MEETING MINUTES

CITY OF MIDFIELD

CITY COUNCIL

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in a regular session on Thursday, January 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Councilor Terry Adams led attendees in prayer. Mayor Pro Tem Janice Anderson led attendees in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recarda Cobb called roll. The following members were present: Councilor Wendy Merriweather, Councilor Terry Adams, Councilor Velma Johnson, Councilor Janice Anderson, Councilor James Reasor, and Mayor Gary Richardson.

Approval of Agenda: Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Councilor Terry Adams. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Minutes from last regular scheduled meeting: Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve minutes from the last regular scheduled meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Terry Adams. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Bills. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve January #1 bills of \$34,011.18. The motion was seconded by Councilor Wendy Merriweather. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2018-1: Resolution authorizing travel advance for Councilor Terry Adams. Councilor Wendy Merriweather made a motion to approve travel advance for Councilor Terry Adams. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, except Councilor Terry Adams (abstained). The motion was passed by a majority vote.

Approval of new Business License for Royal Return's (tax preparation) located at 593 Bessemer Super Highway, Midfield, Alabama 35228. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve Business License for Royal Return's. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of new Business License for Magic City Taxes (tax preparation) located at 593 Bessemer Super Highway, Midfield, Alabama 35228. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve Business License for Magic City Taxes. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Report from Mayor:

Mayor Gary Richardson informed all in attendance of the ADECA Grant (\$56,564.89) recently awarded to the City of Midfield to install lighting at the Midfield Community Center football field.

Jeff Zissette thanked David Beach for commending the Public Works Department for doing an outstanding job. He also thanked the Midfield Fire Department for their promptness in assisting one of his employees.

Fire Department- none

Sgt. Bell stated that everything is ok at the Midfield Police Department

Report from Council:

Councilor Terry Adams - None

Councilor James Reasor- None

Councilor Velma Johnson - None

Councilor Wendy Merriweather - None

Councilor Janice Anderson-None

Open to Public:

Terry Locklyn had a concern about the condition of the Midfield Community Center. She stated that the center is in deep need of repair, and that she would like for the Mayor and Council to tour the building.

Adjourn:

Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.