

MEETING MINUTES

CITY OF MIDFIELD

CITY COUNCIL

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in a regular session on Monday, January 27, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson led attendees in prayer. Mayor Gary Richardson led attendees in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

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

Approval of Agenda: Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Councilor Wendy Merriweather. 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 James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Bills. Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson made a motion to approve January #2 bills of \$75,809.34. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2020-02. Resolution of the City of Midfield, Alabama authorizing the Mayor to enter into a short-term line of credit loan with Regions Bank in an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$500,000.00). Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2020-02. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for Budget Friendly Used Appliances located at 118 B.Y. Williams Sr. Dr., Midfield, Alabama 35228. Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve business license for Budget Friendly Used Appliances. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for Pinnacle Chemical Products, LLC (drop shipping home base business) located at 1344 Rayfield Drive, Midfield, Alabama 35228.

Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve business license for Pinnacle Chemical Products, LLC. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Report from Mayor:

Jeff Zissette stated that the Public Works Department had 254 overgrown grass cases in 2019 at a cost of \$14,586.00. Also, he stated that the Midfield Elementary School sidewalk project will be starting soon, and the leaf truck will run for the next two weeks.

Sgt. Cordair Kelly - none

Captain Bobby Golden – stated that the Midfield Fire Department made 1,007 calls in 2019. Also, he discussed the need for a small rescue truck.

Report from Council:

Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson – none

Councilor James Reasor - none

Councilor Wendy Merriweather thanked everyone for coming out to the Neighborhood Clean-up on January 25, 2020. Also, she commended Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson for her participation.

Councilor Velma Johnson - none

Open to Public:

Cleo Jones, 5337 Bessemer Supper Highway, Midfield, Alabama 35228, discussed opening up a cigar bar in the City of Midfield.

Adjourn:

Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilor James Reasor. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.