

MEETING MINUTES

CITY OF MIDFIELD

CITY COUNCIL

The City Council of the City of Midfield, Alabama met in a regular session on Monday, February 24, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Gary Richardson presiding.

Larry Merriweather 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, Councilor Terry Adams, and Mayor Gary Richardson.

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

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

Approval of Bills. Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson made a motion to approve February # 2 bills of \$109,345.52. The motion was seconded by Councilor Wendy Merriweather. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Resolution No. 2020-04. Resolution of the City of Midfield, Alabama authorizing travel advance for Officer David Miller to attend continuing education classes. Councilor Velma Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2020-04. The motion was seconded by Councilor Wendy Merriweather. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for The Sunshine Center (Non-profit providing after school meals) located at 5323 Bessemer Super Highway, Midfield, Alabama 35228. Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson made a motion to approve Business License for The Sunshine Center. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for Just "Wright" Events and Rental Services (Event design and rentals) located at 216 B.Y. Williams Sr. Drive, Midfield, Alabama 35228. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve Business License for Just "Wright"

Events and Rental Services. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Approval of Business License for The Dainty Boutique (Retail Clothing Store) located at 216 B.Y. Williams Sr. Drive, Midfield, Alabama 35228. Councilor Terry Adams made a motion to approve Business License for The Dainty Boutique. The motion was seconded by Councilor Velma Johnson. All members present voted aye, passing the motion unanimously.

Report from Mayor:

Mayor Richardson stated that he will on the leadership panel at UAB as the President of the Jefferson County Mayors Association. Also, he discussed being invited to join the Broadcasters Hall of Fame.

Chief Jesse Bell stated that the Midfield Police Department is working on leads to locate a missing female.

Captain Bobby Golden stated that the Midfield Fire Department had one car fire, and they had to revive a person who was in cardiac arrest.

Jeff Zissatte stated that B.Y. Williams Sr. Drive sidewalk project is moving forward, the elementary school sidewalk project is scheduled to begin mid-March, and he working with the inspector on demolishing six (6) properties. Also, Jeff informed everybody of the Alabama PALS Governor's Award he received.

Report from Council:

Mayor Pro-Tem Janice Anderson - none

Councilor Terry Adams – none

Councilor James Reasor discussed the Black History Program he spoke at in Fairfield, Alabama.

Councilor Wendy Merriweather stated that some her students will be assisting at the Seniors Awareness Day, March 07, 2020.

Councilor Velma Johnson invited everyone out to the Seniors Awareness Day, March 07, 2020.

Open to Public:

Nate Hutton inquired about having an ordinance constructed to eliminate leaves being blown into the sewer

Adjourn:

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