NOVEMBER 24, 2020

STATE OF ALABAMA
MOBILE COUNTY

The Chickasaw City Council met in regular session, via Zoom video conference call, on Tuesday, November 24, 2020 at 7:00 PM with the following members present: Ken Sterrett, Jason Rawls, Adam Bourne, James Hanson, Jennifer White and Mayor Barry Broadhead who presided. City Clerk Jessica Veals and Attorney Nash Campbell were also present. Mr. Rawls opened the meeting with prayer.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Mr. Sterrett and Mr. Rawls to approve the agenda for the regular scheduled council meeting on November 10, 2020. Motion carried and so ordered.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Miss White made a motion seconded by Mr. Bourne to approve the minutes of the November 10, 2020 regular scheduled meeting minutes as previously distributed. Motion carried and so ordered.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

Mayor Broadhead announced that due to the increased number of COVID-19 cases in Mobile County, the City of Chickasaw Christmas Parade would be cancelled. Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Mr. Hanson to cancel the City of Chickasaw Christmas Parade, scheduled for December 5, 2020. Motion carried and so ordered.

Mayor Broadhead presented a resignation from Josephine Hough. Ms. Hough is resigning from the Historic Preservation Commission Board. Miss White made a motion seconded by Mr. Bourne to accept this resignation in. Motion carried and so ordered.

Mayor Broadhead recommended the council appoint Kendall Sterrett to the Historic Preservation Commission Board, to serve in the place of Josephine Hough. Roll call vote went as follows: Mr. Sterrett, abstained; Mr. Rawls, “Yes”; Mr. Broadhead, “Yes”; Miss White, “Yes”; Mr. Bourne, “Yes”; and Mr. Hanson, “Yes”. Motion carried and so ordered.

Mayor Broadhead presented a petition to vacate for the 252 Hopi Street Alley. City Attorney Nash Campbell advised that the petition to vacate needed to be published in the Call News for four consecutive weeks before the scheduling a public hearing to vacate that alley. Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Miss White to approve the petition to vacate to be published in the Call News. Motion carried and so ordered.

Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Mr. Hanson to amend the Lodging Tax Ordinance to have the tax raised to 13%. Motion carried and so ordered.
APPEALS

There were no appeals presented at this time.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COUNCIL

A resignation was presented for Doug Cooper, Fire Fighter. Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Mr. Rawls to accept his resignation in “good standing”. Motion carried and so ordered.

A quote was presented from Transmission Magician in the amount of $1200.00 to replace the transmission in Link Fillingim’s maintenance truck. Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Mr. Sterrett and Mr. Rawls to approve Transmission Magician to replace the transmission in Link Fillingim’s truck. Motion carried and so ordered.

CALL FOR PUBLIC HEARINGS

There was no public hearing presented.

REPORTS

Attorney’s Report: Mr. Nash had nothing to present.

RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES

There were no resolutions or ordinances presented at this time.

FINANCIAL REPORT

The accounts payable were presented in the amount of $52,670.78. Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Miss White to place the accounts payable in line for payment. Motion carried and so ordered.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Miss White wished Mayor Broadhead, Happy Birthday. The other council members followed.

Mr. Bourne requested that Mr. Sterrett and Mr. Hanson start scheduling interviews for the School Board next week.

Mayor Broadhead reminded the council that the meeting scheduled for December 8, 2020 at 7:00 p. m. would be a work session meeting to discuss the budget and other city finances. Mayor Broadhead stated that the regular scheduled meeting on December 22, 2020 would be a regular council meeting.
ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mr. Bourne made a motion seconded by Miss White and Mr. Rawls to adjourn the meeting at 7:28 PM. Motion carried and so ordered.

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Jessica Veals, City Clerk