Regular Meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Guntersville, Alabama Monday, April 1st 2024 at 12:00 p.m. AGENDA

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Guntersville, Alabama met in a pre-meeting in City Hall in said city on April 1st 2024 at 11:30 a.m. to discuss matters to come before the Council. Upon advice of the City Attorney that there was a need for discussion concerning the settlement of a pending litigation Councilman Whitaker made a motion and Councilman Ray seconded and the motion was passed by a voice vote of all Councilmembers to go into Executive Session at 11:37a.m. At 11:41a.m. Councilman Ray made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Councilman Whitaker and passed by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present. Afterwards in a regular meeting in Town Hall at 12:00 p.m. Mayor Dollar presided as Chairman. The following members of the Council were present: John Myers, Carson Ray, Dink Myers, Rich Russell and Randy Whitaker. Sanchez Watkins and Larry Wilson were absent. Betty Jones acted as City Clerk for the meeting. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Randy Whitaker. Mayor Dollar welcomed visitors and declared that a quorum was present and opened the meeting for business.

Minutes

Mayor Dollar announced that copies of the minutes from the March 18th Regular Meeting have been distributed to the members of the Council. There being no corrections or additions to the minutes, there was a motion to approve made by Councilman Dink Myers, seconded by Councilman Russell and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Personnel Report: Mayor Dollar called on Renea Rowan who gave the following Personnel Report:

Street/Maintenance: Charlie Minor selected Jason Sanders to fill the vacant position of Skilled Laborer. Mr. Sanders accented our job offer and began his employment as a full time employee on 3/18/24

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Sanitation: Jamie Bishop selected Dewayne Lindsey to fill the vacant position of Laborer. Mr. Lindsey accepted our job offer and began his employment as a full-time employee on 3/18/24

Police Department: Following an internal job announcement for the position of Captain of Operations, Chief Ryan Darnell selected Lt. Justin Young. Lt. Young accepted the position. The effective date of this change is today 4/1/24. There was a motion to approve made by Councilman Whitaker, seconded by Councilman Ray and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Chief Darnell called on Justin Young to be pinned by his wife and congratulated him on his promotion.

Surplus Items for Fire & Police Departments and City Hall

Mayor Dollar introduced **Resolution No. 1374** to surplus the following items for Police and Fire Department and City Hall:

Police Department

2006 Magnum Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 2YTETH52247147

2006 Genie Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 5D8L4496R000140

2006 Genie Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 5D8LC14126R000173

2006 Genie Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 5D8LC1X6R000292

2006 Genie Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 2YTEYH522998501

2003 Genie Light Plant (tower) 3cyl Diesel Engine 339316VHN822

Fire Department

Residential Gas Stove

City Hall

EGO Leaf Blower

Miscellaneous Microphones & Accessories

Global Floor Scrubber

Stanley Shop Vac

Panasonic Microwave

There was a motion to approve the surplus made by Councilman Russell, seconded by Councilman Whitaker and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Breached Agreement Concerning 3605 Smith Street

Mayor Dollar called on City Attorney Jim Beard to address the breached agreement from Resolution No. 1290 concerning 3605 Smith Street. Mr. Beard and Mr. Mark Beyers had worked together on the agreement presented to the Council. There was a motion to approve the agreement was made by Councilman Dink Myers and seconded by Councilman John Myers to approve and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Board Appointment

Mayor Dollar entertained a motion to reappoint Kate McCurdy to the Library Board. There was a motion to approve the reappointment made by Councilman Whitaker, seconded by Councilman Dink Myers and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Reschedule 2nd April Council Meeting

Mayor Dollar entertained a motion to reschedule the 2nd Council Meeting in April by moving the meeting from April 15th to April 22nd. There was a motion to approve rescheduling the meeting made by Councilman Whitaker, seconded by Councilman Ray and passed unanimously by a voice vote of all Councilmembers present.

Announcements:

- The Council will take a tour of the new High School after the meeting
- Tomorrow is election the State Representative for District 27

Public Comments:

- Eddie Allen of Willow Beach complained about speeders on Willow Beach Road saying it was just a drag strip and someone was going to get hurt.
- Mark Shefford of 2804 Willow Beach agreed that the speeders were going to hurt someone if not stopped.
- Mayor Dollar stated that the police are working on speed all over the City and would add this area to the list.

There being no further business to come before the Mayor and Council at this time, the meeting on motion duly made and seconded, stood adjourned until April 22nd 2024 at 5:00p.m. at the Guntersville Town Hall

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS THE 22nd DAY OF APRIL 2024.

	CITY OF GUNTERSVILLE, ALABAMA
	A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION
	LEIGH DOLLAR, MAYOR
ATTEST:	
BETTY JONES, CITY CLERK	