

Regular Minutes of the City Council

1 Court Square
Council Chambers of Criminal Justice Building
Thursday, January 4, 2018 --- Meeting at 5:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER THE PRE-COUNCIL MEETING: Council President Spraggins called the Pre-Council Meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 4, 2018, in the Council Chambers of the Criminal Justice Building. Councilman Tapley, Councilwoman Colvin, Councilman Hardy, Councilman Brown, Council President Tommy Spraggins, and Councilman Funderburk were present.

Absent: None

Others present included: Mayor Nabors, Al Jones, Sandy Stanbrough, Amanda Thomas, Kathy Railey, Chief McAlister, Herbert Harold, Cliff Campbell with the Outlook, Louise Pritchard, Chief Turner, Deputy Chief Easterwood, Captain Roth, Captain Orr, and Misty Brown.

During the Pre-Council Meeting Council President Spraggins asked the following persons to inform the Council of the following items.

Al Jones informed the Council that the property (Russell Pond) that Russell Brands is offering the City is very nice and pretty for \$10.00. Council President Spraggins stated, "There is approximately five (5) acres and would be valuable property once the road is complete."

Council President Spraggins explained the situation concerning the proposed resolution to accept funds from the CCACCTC Headstart. Herbert Harrell, Director of Cooper Rec., stated that there are a few more items to finish before the project is complete.

Hearing no further discussion or questions, Council President Spraggins ended the Pre-Council Meeting.

CALL TO ORDER THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: Council President Spraggins called the Council Meeting to order at 5:37 p.m. on Thursday, January 4, 2018, in the Council Chambers of the Criminal Justice Building. Councilman Tapley, Councilwoman Colvin, Councilman Hardy, Councilman Brown, Council President Tommy Spraggins, and Councilman Funderburk were present.

Absent: None

Others present included: Mayor Nabors, Al Jones, Sandy Stanbrough, Amanda Thomas, Kathy Railey, Chief McAlister, Herbert Harold, Cliff Campbell with the Outlook, Louise Pritchard, Chief Turner, Deputy Chief Easterwood, Captain Roth, Captain Orr, and Misty Brown.

OPENING PRAYER: Clifford Spradley

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Deputy Chief Easterwood

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

December 18, 2017 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

Councilman Tapley made a motion to approve the December 18, 2017, Regular Council Meeting Minutes. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Colvin. There being no discussion, the minutes were approved with the following roll call votes.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, SPRAGGINS AND FUNDERBURK

NAYS: NONE

December 13, 2017 Special Council Meeting Minutes

Councilwoman Colvin made a motion to approve the December 13, 2017, Special Council Meeting Minutes. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hardy. There being no discussion, the minutes were approved with the following roll call votes.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, SPRAGGINS AND FUNDERBURK

NAYS: NONE

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:

Approval of the January 4, 2018 Agenda

Councilman Tapley made a motion to approve the January 16, 2018, Regular Council Agenda. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Colvin. There being no discussion, the minutes were approved with the following roll call votes.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, SPRAGGINS AND FUNDERBURK

NAYS: NONE

PUBLIC HEARING: None

REPORT FROM STANDING COMMITTEES:

Finance: Work continuing on, finishing up 16 audit and work going on behind the scenes.

Public Safety Committee: No Report

Utilities Committee: No Report

Parks and Recreation Committee: No Report

Public Works Committee: No Report

Buildings and Properties Committee: No Report

REPORTS FROM SPECIAL COMMITTEES: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Resolution 18-34: A Resolution to Accept Property (Russell Pond) from Russell Brand, LLC.

Councilman Tapley made a motion to approve the afore-mentioned resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Colvin. There being no further discussion, the resolution was adopted with the following roll call votes.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, FUNDERBURK, AND SPRAGGINS

NAYS: NONE

2. Resolution 18-35: A Resolution to Accept Funds from CACCTC Headstart for Repairs to a Water Heater and Upgrades to the Grease Trap Located at Cooper Rec.

Councilwoman Colvin made a motion to approve the afore-mentioned resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hardy. There being no further discussion, the resolution was adopted with the following roll call votes.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, FUNDERBURK, AND SPRAGGINS

NAYS: NONE

COMMENTS FROM THE MAYOR: It has been a busy season (December and January) relative to the end of year. There will be a couple of items that will come before the Council in the next couple of months: salary study and plans for the main office. I could not be happier with the staff and would like to express my appreciation for the Council's support.

COMMENTS FROM THE FINANCE DIRECTOR: I can't say that things are done fast, but there is progress.

COMMENTS FROM THE CITY CLERK: The next council meeting will be on Tuesday, January 16, 2018.

COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL:

Tapley: Thank you to everyone who came out. Thank you to the Fire and Police for working during the storm.

Colvin: Thank you to city workers, Police and Fire.

Hardy: I commend the progress that the Mayor and AI have made with the land and property.

Brown: Thank you to everyone for coming out.

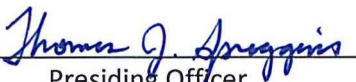
Spraggins: I can't say enough good things about public safety.

Funderburk: I would like to echo what everyone else said, looking forward to 2018, and I appreciate everyone here.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, Councilwoman Colvin made a motion to adjourn in memory of her Grandmother, Alma Colvin. The motion was seconded by Councilman Funderburk. The meeting adjourned (6-0) at 5:49 p.m.

AYES: TAPLEY, COLVIN, HARDY, BROWN, FUNDERBURK, AND SPRAGGINS

NAYS: NONE



Presiding Officer



City Clerk

Attachments:

1. Agenda

