

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
5-18-20

The City Council of the City of Lineville met in their regular meeting on Monday, May 18, 2020, at the City Annex Building in Lineville, Alabama, with the following present: Mayor Roy Adamson, Council Members: Carolyn Smith, David Proctor, Joseph Appleby, Robert Milstead and Sarah Appleby, Chief Shane Dunnagan, City Clerk Donna Mathews, Assistant City Clerk Nicholas New, City Supervisor Rusty Taylor, City Attorney John Keith Warren and Keifver Smith from the Clay Times Journal.

Mayor called the meeting to order. Mayor asked the Council if they had reviewed the minutes from the previous meeting. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. The vote was unanimous. Next the Mayor asked the Council if they had reviewed the bills to be paid. A motion was then made by Council Member Joseph Appleby and seconded by Council Member Sarah Appleby to approve the bills to be paid. The vote was unanimous.

First on the agenda was to have our City Attorney John Keith Warren speak to the Council on the building demolitions. We will first need to notify the building owners by certified letters that we will vote on demolishing the buildings at the meeting to be held June 15, 2020. We will have him prepare title work on the properties, if there are mortgage or lienholders, we will need to send certified letters to them as well giving notice of our intent to demolish the buildings. These are our next steps in moving forward with the process. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith to go forward. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson gave an update on the COVID-19 and said we will remain the same until the Governor makes changes. We will look at it again on the 1st meeting in June.

City Clerk Donna Mathews presented bound hard copies of Financial Statements for approval on the Fiscal year 2018-2019. Mayor reminded them that we had previously reviewed them and asked if any of them had questions. With no questions, a motion was then made by Council Member Carolyn Smith and seconded by Council Member Robert Milstead to accept the Financial Statements as presented. The vote was unanimous. (Financials attached and recorded in the minutes).

Chief Shane Dunnagan presented the resignation of Police Officer Shanon House to be effective May 30, 2020. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Robert Milstead. The vote was unanimous. Chief recommended that the position be opened up and remain open until it is filled. A motion was made by Council Member Joseph Appleby and seconded by Council Member Sarah Appleby. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson reminded that this upcoming Monday the 25th will be Memorial Day and we will be closed with exception of Police Department. The Mayor also bragged on all employees

keeping all jobs done like clockwork and running smoothly during this time. The Municipal Court will be starting back on Thursday, June 4.

Council Member David Proctor said he had a family visit our park and called him to say that “we take a backseat to no one” when it comes to our park. The family and their grandkids really enjoyed the park.

After no further business, a motion to adjourn was then made by Council Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member Joseph Appleby. The vote was unanimous. The meeting ended at 5:06 p.m.

Attest:

CITY CLERK

MAYOR