CITY COUNCIL MEETING 12-16-19

The City Council of the City of Lineville met in their regular meeting on Monday, December 16, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. 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, Court Clerk Nicholas New, City Supervisor Rusty Taylor, Lt. Richard Bickerstaff, City Clerk Donna Mathews, Keifer Smith from the Clay Times Journal, guest were Gerald and Faye Dial.

Mayor Adamson then called the meeting to order. Mayor Adamson asked the Council if they had reviewed the minutes of the previous meeting. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith to accept the minutes of the previous meeting. The vote was unanimous. Next Mayor Adamson asked the Council if they had reviewed the bills to be paid. (See attached) A motion was then made by Council Member Joseph Appleby and seconded by Council Member Robert Milstead to approve the bills to be paid. The vote was unanimous.

City Supervisor Rusty Taylor read aloud the Proclamation for Championship and presented it to Coach Danny Horn at the meeting. Mayor thanked Coach Horn for coming.

Mayor Adamson recognized Gerald and Faye Dial and asked him if he would like to address the Council and he first commended the City on the beautiful decorations, next he said they were here to donate 7 acres owned by them to the City. He had a Warranty Deed that was already prepared and wanted to present it tonight. The Mayor and Council thanked them for attending the meeting and for their generous donation to the City.

The next issue of business was to declare District 5 Seat open due to the death of long time Council Member Johnny Appleby. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith. The vote was unanimous. A motion was also made by Council member Carolyn Smith and seconded by Council Member Robert Milstead to allow anyone in that District with any interest in the vacancy to put it in writing and turn in at the City Hall by 5:00 p.m. on January 6, 2020, for consideration by the City. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson reminded everyone that the City Hall will be closed on Wednesday, January 1, 2020, for New Year's Day.

City Supervisor Rusty Taylor announced the parade winners: 1st place was Clay Times-Journal; 2nd place was Lineville Baptist Church and 3rd place was House of Prayer. He thanked all the participants, the Judges that remain anonymous, and certainly everyone that came out to watch the parade. Mayor Adamson thanked Rusty and his crew for all their hard work and said town looked great. He also said Christmas in town on Saturday with all the vendors was also a good day.

The bids for cleaning City Hall and the Annex were opened at 4:30 p.m. A motion was made by Council Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member David Proctor to accept the bid from Mark Heard at Mark's Cleaning Service for \$625.00 per month.

City Supervisor Taylor said that the property donated to the City is a big benefit for the City. Mayor Adamson agreed and said we greatly appreciate the donation and we need the property and will put it to use soon.

Council Member Carolyn Smith said that the City Christmas luncheon was wonderful today and also commented on how beautiful the City looks decorated.

Council Member David Proctor thanked the Grand Marshals of the parade and specifically thanked Liz and Jim Villman, Donna Adamson, Jerry and Carolyn Colquette and Rusty and his guys for all their hard work.

Council Member Joseph Appleby on behalf of the Appleby family thanked the City for the support shown during loss of Johnny Appleby.

Mayor Adamson and Council Member David Proctor wished everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

After no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member Joseph Appleby. The vote was unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

ATTEST:		
CITY CLERK	MAYOR	