

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
9-20-2021

The City Council of the City of Lineville met in their regular meeting on Monday, September 20, 2021, 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, Larry Bishop and City Clerk Donna Mathews, Police Chief Richard Bickerstaff, Assistant Clerk Nicholas New, City Supervisor Rusty Taylor, Ray Stansell from the Clay Times Journal and guest Charles Duke and Gerald Hill.

Mayor called the meeting to order. Mayor asked the Council if they had reviewed the minutes from the previous Council 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 Larry Bishop to approve the bills to be paid. The vote was unanimous.

Charles Duke speaker for the American Legion Riders #725 addressed the Council with upcoming plans to help out our veterans in the community. He himself served 10 years and was in combat for 3 years. We are a charitable organization raising money to help others. We have already been able to help locally. We want to do a suicide and prevention month. You can find us on facebook.com/alr725. We are currently working on a ride to raise money and want to do a 21 gun salute using veterans from Cleburne County.

Mayor asked the council permission to run the draft beer bill ad for 4 weeks in the paper. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Larry Bishop. The vote was unanimous. The Economic Development Council requested funding monthly to assist in paying their Director. We will add this to our budget.

Downtown Trick or Treat will be Thursday, October 28th from 5-7 pm. A motion was then made by Council Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith. The vote was unanimous.

City Supervisor Rusty Taylor said there were no bids received during the bid time for the new truck. The original truck bid was for \$27,800.00 but the only bid that came in after the fact was for \$28,800.00 from Larry Puckett Chevrolet in Prattville. A motion was then made by Council Member Carolyn Smith to accept that bid and was seconded by Council Member Robert Milstead. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson said all had reviewed the job description previously and we will need to open the City Clerk position and take applications until October 15, 2021, at 5:00 pm. A motion was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Joseph Appleby. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson asked Rusty Taylor if he had a recommendation on the petroleum bids received and Rusty said he recommends Jack Green Oil Company. A motion was then made by Council

Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member Joseph Appleby. The vote was unanimous.

City Supervisor Taylor said he had received a resignation from part-time employee Tyler Potts. The resignation is verbal at this time, but he is bringing it by in writing. A motion was then made by Council Member Joseph Appleby and seconded by Council Member David Proctor. The vote was unanimous. Rusty then asked the Council to open that position again until it is filled. A motion to open position was then made by Council Member David Proctor and seconded by Council Member Carolyn Smith. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Adamson said it is good to finally see the starting of our Pocket Park.

City Supervisor Rusty Taylor gave an update on the downtown buildings and said contractors have been on site at both locations last week. Also, the soccer games have been rained out for 2 days already.

Council Member David Proctor thanked Rusty for the news about the downtown buildings and the Pocket Park.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was then made by Council Member Robert Milstead and seconded by Council Member Larry Bishop. The vote was unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Attest:

CITY CLERK

MAYOR