# SPECIAL MEETING

## March 25, 2022

The Bessemer City Council met in special session on Friday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at 8:00AM in Council Chambers of City Hall. Proper notice was given.

#### Members Present

Mayor Becky Smith, Council Members: Dan Boling, Brenda Boyd, Kay McCathen, Joe Will, Brent Guffey, and Donnie Griffin. Also present were City Manager, James Inman and department heads: Jamie Ramsey, Charlie Harbin, JoD Franklin, Diane Jenkins, Nathan Hester, Joshua Ross, and Hydeia Hayes.

### Call to Order

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order and explained that this meeting was the 2022 City Council Budget Retreat. This meeting's purpose was to review the City's plans for FY 2022-2023 and discuss future projects.

#### **Presentations**

City Manager, James Inman led the retreat. Presentations from department heads were given.

Light discussion amongst Council and department heads ensued regarding future year priorities.

Assistant City Manager, Jamie Ramsey addressed Council regarding the possibility of purchasing a brush truck in the upcoming year for the Public Works Department.

Council member, Donnie Griffin made a motion to purchase a brush truck with a boom attachment. This motion failed with a 1:5 vote, with Dan Boling, Kay McCathen, Joe Will, Brent Guffey and Brenda Boyd in opposition.

### <u>Adjourn</u>

Being no further business to come before the board, by general consensus, the meeting was adjourned at 3:02 PM

Becky S. Smith, Mayor

Hydeia Y. Hayes, City Clerk