



CITY OF LEEDS, ALABAMA

CALLED COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

City Hall Annex - Meeting Room - 1412 9th St, Leeds, AL 35094

September 27, 2023 @ 5:00 PM

CALL COUNCIL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor David Miller called the meeting to order at 5:09 pm.

ROLL CALL / INVOCATION / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRESENT

Mayor David Miller
Council member Kenneth Washington
Council member Eric Turner
Council member Johnny Dutton
Council member Angie Latta
Council member Devoris Ragland-Pierce

INVOCATION

Council member Eric Turner

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor David Miller

CUTOFF FOR PUBLIC COMMENT SIGN-UP

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Ordinance 2023-09-01: Consider Amending and Supplementing City Building and Construction Ordinance - Chapter 10

Mayor Miller called on Mr. Joe White who is on the associated committee for this change. Mr. White answered questions from both the Council and the public regarding the proposed ordinance.

Motion for Unanimous Consent to consider Ordinance 2023-09-01 made by Council member Ragland-Pierce, Seconded by Council member Dutton. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

Motion to approve Ordinance 2023-09-01 made by Council member Dutton, Seconded by Council member Ragland-Pierce. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

2. Resolution 2023-09-09: Consider Approval of Fiscal Year 2023-2024 City Budgets

Council member Turner stated he has reviewed the proposed budget but requests more time for review next year. Council member Washington asked what are the 'big ticket' items. Mr. Watson replied: Cost of Living Adjustment for all City Employees, Downtown Revitalization, Highway 78 Widening Project, traffic signal for I-20 East Exit 140 Ramp and Annual Paving Project.

Motion to approve Resolution 2023-09-09 made by Council member Dutton, Seconded by Council member Latta. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

3. Resolution 2023-09-10: Consider Authorization and Ratification of Cost of Living Adjustments

Motion to approve Resolution 2023-09-10 made by Council member Latta, Seconded by Council member Ragland-Pierce. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

4. Resolution 2023-09-11: Consider approval of ALDOT Traffic Signal Agreement for Exit 140 Eastbound Exit Ramp

Motion to approve Resolution 2023-09-11 made by Council member Washington, Seconded by Council member Ragland-Pierce. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No one signed up. Mayor Miller recognized someone from the audience.

Ms. Amber Yeackle, 8028 4th Avenue, questioned if the traffic signal agreement included a turn lane for Buc-ee's.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn made by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

The meeting adjourned at 6:06 pm

David Miller, Mayor

Attest:

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