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# CITY OF LEEDS, ALABAMA

## REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

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

March 06, 2023 @ 6:00 PM

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### CALL COUNCIL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor David Miller called the meeting to order at 6:01 pm.

### ROLL CALL / INVOCATION / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### PRESENT

Mayor David Miller  
Council member Kenneth Washington  
Council member Johnny Dutton  
Council member Devoris Ragland-Pierce

#### ABSENT

Council member Eric Turner  
Council member Angie Latta

#### INVOCATION

Council member Devoris Ragland-Pierce

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor David Miller

### CUTOFF FOR PUBLIC COMMENT SIGN-UP

### APPROVE COUNCIL MINUTES

1. Minutes from February 21, 2023

Motion to approve Minutes from February 21, 2023 made by Council member Dutton, Seconded by Council member Ragland-Pierce. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Dutton, Council member Ragland-Pierce. Voting Abstaining: Council member Washington

### REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

2. Mayor's Report: Mayor David Miller

Mayor Miller announced a Community-wide Cleanup Day on April 22, 2023 (rain or shine).

3. Police Department: Chief Irwin

Chief Irwin reported on thefts at Shops of Grand River. Leeds Police Department will co-host along with Moody an active shooter training.

4. Fire Department: Chief Parsons

Chief Parsons was absent. Assistant Chief Courington had no report.

5. Municipal Court: Magistrate Roberts

No report

6. Development Services Department: City Administrator Watson

No report

7. Public Works Department: Public Works Director Warren

No report

8. Social Services Department: Director Bryan

No report

### OLD BUSINESS:

There was no Old Business.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- 9. Resolution 2023-03-01: Consider Adoption and Ratification of December 2022 City Expenditures/Payables  
Motion to approve Resolution 2023-03-01 made by Council member Dutton, Seconded by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Dutton, Council member Ragland-Pierce
  
- 10. Resolution 2023-03-02: Consider Budget Amendment and Authorization to use Confiscated Funds for Police Equipment  
Chief Irwin explained the G.L.O.V.E. (Generated Low Output Voltage Emitter) gives officers an upper-hand in apprehension.  
Motion to approve Resolution 2023-03-02 made by Council member Ragland-Pierce, Seconded by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Dutton, Council member Ragland-Pierce

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Ms. Sha Holt, 9218 Clairmont Circle, reported that entrance is unkempt, there are potholes in Clairmont Park Subdivision, and fence is falling.

**ADJOURNMENT**

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

The meeting adjourned at 6:14 pm.

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David Miller, Mayor

Attest:

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