



CITY OF LEEDS, ALABAMA

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Leeds Municipal Annex - 1412 9th Street; Leeds, Alabama 35094

October 18, 2021 @ 6:00 PM

CALL COUNCIL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor David Miller called the meeting to order at 6:03 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

APPROVE COUNCIL MINUTES

1. Minutes from October 04, 2021

Motion to approve minutes from October 04, 2021 made by Council member Turner, 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

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

2. Mayor's Report: Mayor David Miller
No Report
3. Police Department: Chief Atkinson
No Report
4. Fire Department: Chief Parsons

Chief Parsons reported of his attendance with the Blount County 9-1-1 Director to the Alabama Chapter of NENA (National Emergency Number Association) Conference.

5. Library: Library Director Carden
No Report
6. Municipal Court: Magistrate Roberts
No Report
7. Development Services Department: City Administrator Watson
No Report
8. Public Works Department: Public Works Director Warren
No Report
9. Social Services Department: Director Bryan
No Report

OLD BUSINESS:

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS:

10. Resolution 2021-10-04: Consider Declaring and Deeming Certain Municipal Property Surplus and No Longer Needed for Public Purposes & Authorizing and Approving Sale

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-10-04 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

An Executive Session for the Council under Section 36-25A-7 (a)(1) was requested by Council member Washington. The item for discussion will not require a vote. Motion for an Unanimous Consent for an Executive Session made by Council member Turner, Seconded by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

Motion for Unanimous Consent to add Executive Session to the agenda made by Council member Turner, Seconded by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce
11. Resolution 2021-10-05: Consider Waiving Standing City Streetlight Policy and Amending City Budget for related costs

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-10-05 made by Council member Washington, Seconded by Council member Turner. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

12. Resolution 2021-10-06: Consider Appointment to the Board of Trustees of the Leeds Jane Culbreth Library

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-10-06 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

13. Resolution 2021-10-07: Consider Authorizing Purchase of SRO Vehicle and Hiring a School Resource Officer

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-10-07 made by Council member Latta, 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

14. Resolution 2021-10-08: Consider Authorizing Interim City Financial Audit

Tabled until Finance Committee meets for discussion.

15. Resolution 2021-10-09: Consider Budget Amendment for Emergency Culvert Repair

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-10-09 made by Council member Turner, Seconded by Council member Washington. Voting Yea: Mayor Miller, Council member Washington, Council member Turner, Council member Dutton, Council member Latta, Council member Ragland-Pierce

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There was none.

ADJOURNMENT

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

David Miller, Mayor

Attest:

Toushi Artbitelle, City Clerk