

**City of Chelsea
City Council Pre-Council**

April 4th, 2017

Pre-Council Minutes

Members of the Chelsea City Council met in pre-council on April 4th, 2017, at 5:30P.M. with Mayor Tony Picklesimer presiding. The meeting was held in the Conference Room Chamber and open to the public.

The following elected officials were found to be present:

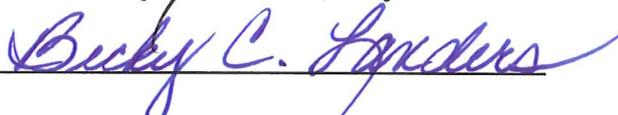
Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Cody Sumners
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember David Ingram
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Others present were: City Clerk Becky Landers, Fire Chief Wayne Shirley, and City Attorney Mark Boardman

After discussion regarding items on the agenda and other various items the pre-council meeting adjourned at 6:00 P.M. and the Council met in the council chambers for the regular scheduled council meeting.

Approval Date: April 20, 2017

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Becky C. Landers, City Clerk

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Regular Session

The City Council of the City of Chelsea, Alabama, met in regular council session on April 4th, 2017, at 6:08 P.M. at Chelsea City Hall. Mayor Tony Picklesimer called the meeting to order and Pastor Melissa Self Patrick from Lester's Chapel United Methodist Church opened the meeting with prayer. The pledge of allegiance was led by Councilmember Casey Morris.

The following elected officials were found to be present:

Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Cody Sumners
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

The following elected officials were found to be present:

Councilmember David Ingram

Mayor Picklesimer declared a quorum present.

A motion to approve the minutes as presented from the Regular Council Meeting on March 21st, 2017, was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

During the mayor's report portion of the council meeting, Chelsea Park Elementary Principal Jeanette Campisi-Snider gave an update on Chelsea Park Elementary School. The school is approaching its 10th anniversary and is in the process of purchasing Chromebooks for students to utilize. Chelsea Park's PTO has been successful in supplying almost every third, fourth, and fifth grader with a Chromebook and hopes to have every student have a Chromebook within the next year. Ms. Campisi-Snider also gave an update on rezoning that will affect Chelsea Park Elementary. The school has nearly 900 students and two trailers for classrooms while Forest Oaks Elementary has empty classrooms. To accommodate students, homes along Highway 11 and some of Highway 47, have been rezoned to Forest Oaks Elementary. Ms. Campisi-Snider said she will miss a lot of the families that they will lose, but to keep the quality of education that we're all used to, the county had to do something and this was the best move that they could have made.

Fire Chief Wayne Shirley advised the council to a training event on April 24th and during the event, they will purposely set fire to a home and use it as a training exercise.

Proposed Ordinance X-2017-03-21-738 for an ordinance to adopt state offenses and traffic violations as Municipal Violations within the City limits and police jurisdiction of the City of Chelsea was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. This ordinance was first presented at the March 21st, 2017, Council Meeting. A motion to approve this ordinance was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Casey Morris. A roll call vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Ordinance X-2017-03-21-739 for an ordinance to establish a Chelsea Municipal Court was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. This ordinance was also first presented at the March 21st, 2017, Council

Meeting. A motion to approve this ordinance was made by Cody Summers and seconded by Scott Weygand. A roll call vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

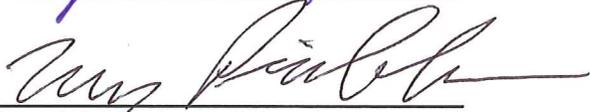
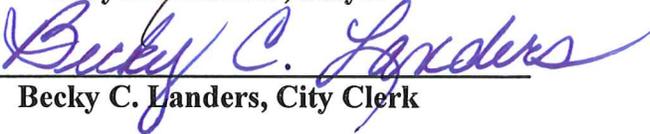
Proposed Resolution 2017-04-04-615 to authorize the purchase of a commercial recumbent bike for the Chelsea Community Center was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. The total cost for the bike from Fitness Zone Commercial Sales for the purchase of one CR800 Commercial Recumbent Bike with installation will be \$1,899.00. A motion to approve this resolution was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Tiffany Bittner. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2017-04-04-616 to authorize the purchase of a 6 ft. black vinyl chain fence with a walk gate to enclose the air conditioner units at the Chelsea Sports Complex was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. The total cost of this fence will be \$840.00 which includes installation by Davis Fence Company. A motion to approve this resolution was made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Cody Summers. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

The approval of the City of Chelsea Bills to be paid was next on the agenda. A motion was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Casey Morris to approve to pay the bills. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

There being no further business a motion to adjourn was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Cody Summers. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

Time: 6:45 P.M

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