

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

May 16th, 2017

Pre-Council Minutes

Members of the Chelsea City Council met in pre-council on May 16th 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:

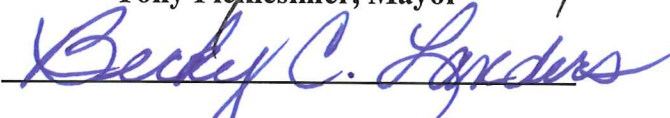
Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Cody Sumners
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember David Ingram
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Others present were: City Clerk Becky Landers, Fire Chief Wayne Shirley, and City Attorney Grant Howard

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: 6-7-17

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Becky C. Landers, City Clerk

May 16th, 2017

Regular Session

The City Council of the City of Chelsea, Alabama, met in regular council session on May 16th, 2017, at 6:06 P.M. at Chelsea City Hall. Mayor Tony Picklesimer called the meeting to order and Pastor Henry Prater from Union the Church at Chelsea Park UMC opened the meeting with prayer. The pledge of allegiance was led by Councilmember Cody Sumners.

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

Mayor Picklesimer declared a quorum present.

A motion to approve the minutes as written from the Regular Council Meeting on May 2nd, 2017, was made by David Ingram and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

The mayor and council recognized the Chelsea High School Varsity Baseball Team and Coach Michael Stallings. The team won 27 games this season, making it the winningest season in the program's history. They also made it to the 6-A State Quarterfinals, losing to Hillcrest School, the defending state champion. The team's four seniors played a part in the team's success and were all recognized. Mayor Picklesimer gave all the team players a City of Chelsea pin.

Proposed Resolution 2017-05-16-620 for a resolution to appoint a Municipal Court Judge for the City of Chelsea was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. The mayor and council have chosen Jeffrey Hester for this position. Mr. Hester also serves as the municipal judge for the Cities of Calera and Vincent, and Mayor Picklesimer stated he will bring experience to the city of Chelsea. He will take his Oath of Office and one of the council meetings held in June. A motion to approve this resolution was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2017-05-16-621 for a resolution to accept asphalt bid improvements for Crossbrook Subdivision streets and Shirley Lane was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. Kelley Contracting and Paving, Inc. gave the lowest and best bid for these repairs for a total of \$1875.00 for Crossbrook and \$1250.00 for Shirley Lane. A motion to approve this resolution was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by David Ingram. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2017-05-16-622 for a resolution to ratify the purchase of an ad for the Girls State Soccer Championship game program for the Chelsea Lady Hornets Soccer Team 6-A State Champs was presented by Mayor Picklesimer. A motion to approve this resolution was

made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".


Proposed Resolution 2017-05-16-623 for a resolution to create a new employee position for the Chelsea Maintenance Department was also presented by Mayor Picklesimer. With the completion of the city's new sports complex, the city has increased the number of fields needing maintenance from 9 to 12. A motion to approve this resolution was made by David Ingram and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

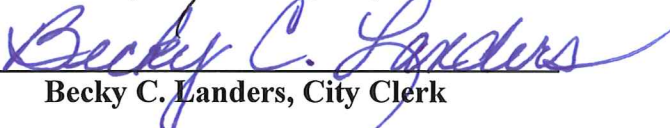
The approval of the City of Chelsea Bills to be paid was next on the agenda. A motion was made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Cody Sumners to approve to pay the bills. A voice vote was taken and it was an unanimous, "Yes".

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

Time: 6:25 P.M.

Approval Date: 0-7-17

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Becky C. Landers, City Clerk