

City of Chelsea
City Council Pre-Council
February 2, 2021
Pre-Council Minutes

Members of the Chelsea City Council met in pre-council on February 2, 2021, at 5:02P.M. with Mayor Tony Picklesimer presiding. The meeting was held in the Council Chambers and open to the public.


The following elected officials were found to be present:

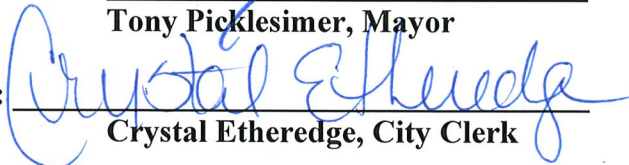
Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Cody Summers
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember Chris Grace
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Others present: Crystal Etheredge and City Attorney Mark Boardman

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

Approval Date: 2-11-21

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk

February 2nd, 2021

Regular Session

The City Council of the City of Chelsea, Alabama, met in regular council session on February 2nd, 2021, at 6:06P.M. at Chelsea City Hall. Mayor Tony Picklesimer called the meeting to order. Terry Francis (Chelsea Church of Christ) opened the meeting with prayer. Councilmember Chris Grace led the council in the pledge of allegiance.

The following elected officials were found to be present:

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

Mayor Tony Picklesimer declared a quorum present and announced the city council meeting was in full compliance with Governor Ivey's July 16th, July 29th, August 27th, September 30th, November 5th, December 9th, 2020 and January 21st, 2021 orders of the State Health Officer requiring facemasks because no one was within six (6) feet of a person from another household. The City Council required those in attendance to maintain six (6) feet or social distance or wear a mask. Further, the city council chamber was at less than fifty (50%) percent of the normal occupancy load.

A motion to approve the amended agenda was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Next, a motion to approve the minutes as written from the Regular Council Meeting on January 19th, 2021, and from the Special Called Meetings on January 18th & 25th, 2021 was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Chris Grace. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

During the Mayor's Report, Mayor Picklesimer gave a brief recap of the January 25th special called council meeting and Fire Chief Joe Lee recognized Lt. Taylor Gunnels for being the recipient of the Shelby County Fire/EMS Paramedic of the Year

Proposed Resolution 2021-02-02-875 to reappoint Bert Seitz to the Planning Commission was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the reappointment was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Scott Weygand. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2021-02-02-876 to reappoint Margo Churchwell and Cindy Garmin to the Library Board was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the reappointment was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Chris Grace. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2021-02-02-877 to appoint Tom Holcombe to the Library Board was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the appointment was made by Chris Grace and seconded by Tiffany Bittner. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2021-02-02-878 to accept the lowest bid for the Atchison Parkway Road Improvement Project was next on the agenda. A motion to accept the lowest bid by HN Donohoo was made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Approval of City of Chelsea Bills to be paid was next up on the agenda. A motion to approve paying the City of Chelsea's bills was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Jane Ann Mueller, Chelsea Community Center, updated the council on total memberships and sports registrations.

Emily Sims, Chelsea Public Library, announced the Valentine Blind Date Book Contest where the winner would be drawn on February 13th.

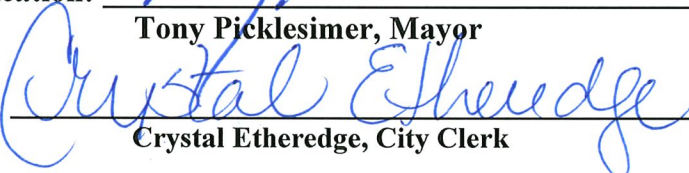
Chief Joe Lee, Chelsea Fire & Rescue, reminded the council a second fire due billing was being sent out and encouraged the public to pay their fire dues when they receive the bill in the mail.

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 a unanimous, "Yes".

Time: 6:34P.M.

Approval Date: 2-16-21

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk