

CITY OF RAINSVILLE

Regular Council Meeting Minutes June 15, 2015

Workshop:

Prayer: David Holt

Pledge of Allegiance: Brandon Freeman

Address the Council/Public:

Address the Council/Department Heads: Betty Holcomb, City Accountant—Discussed the City's Budget

Regular Council Meeting Monday 5:30 p.m.

The Rainsville City Council met in regular session on June 15, 2015, at the Rainsville Agri-Business Center with the following members present: Mayor—Nick Jones. Council Members—Joey Graham, David Holt, Melissa Ledbetter, Brandon Freeman, and Rodger Lingerfelt.

Mayor Jones called the meeting to order and called the roll.

A motion was made by Graham and seconded by Ledbetter to approve and dispense with the reading of the minutes. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #1. A motion was made by Graham and seconded by Freeman to accept the bridge over Horton Road. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #2. A motion was made by Graham and seconded by Holt to contact Sam Phillips to do the preliminary engineering to prepare for the re-surface bidding. Mayor Jones-yea, Graham-yea, Holt-yea, Ledbetter-yea, Freeman-yea, Lingerfelt-yea. **Motion carried.**

Item #3. A motion was made by Graham to accept Chief Center's request to allow officer's Coffen and Bowen to receive an extra hour promotion if moved to Shift leader/Sergeant at night. Graham **rescinded the motion** on the basis that Mayor Jones would meet with Chief Centers and resolve the situation accordingly.

Item #4. A motion was made by Ledbetter and seconded by Graham to appoint Glenn Shedd to finish the City Judge's term. Mayor Jones vacated the chair to the Mayor Pro-Tem for debate, and the Mayor Pro-Tem returned the chair to Mayor Jones after the vote. Mayor Jones-abstained, Graham-yea, Holt-yea, Ledbetter-yea, Freeman-yea, Lingerfelt-abstained. **Motion carried.**

Item #5. A motion was made by Ledbetter and seconded by Holt to approve \$1080.00 for renovations to the Annex building. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #6. A motion was made by Ledbetter and seconded by Graham to schedule a budget meeting for July 14, at 4:00 p.m. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #7. A motion was made by Freeman and seconded by Lingerfelt to purchase a tractor for the Field of Dreams. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #8. A motion was made by Freeman and seconded by Lingerfelt to purchase playground equipment for the Park at a sum of \$13,278.00. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #9. A motion was made by Freeman and seconded by Holt to close the Field of Dreams Dormant Account and deposit the sum in the General Fund, to be used as payment on the purchase of the tractor or playground equipment. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

Item #10. A motion was made by Graham and seconded by Ledbetter to empower the Mayor or Mayor Pro-Tem to sign the contract with Robert Thompson for the renovations to the Old Weekly Post Building. Mayor Jones-nay, Graham-yea, Holt-yea, Ledbetter-yea, Freeman-yea, Lingerfelt-abstained. **Motion carried.**

A motion was made by Ledbetter and seconded by Graham to pay the monthly bills. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

A motion was made by Ledbetter and seconded by Graham to adjourn at 6:35 p.m. **Motion carried with all in favor.**

NICK JONES, MAYOR

KELLY FRAZIER, CITY CLERK