

CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF PIEDMONT  
JANUARY 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2018  
6:00 PM

The City Council of the City of Piedmont met in regular session at the time and on the date above. Present were Mayor Bill Baker, Council Members Ben Keller, Doug Dickeson, Bobby Hardin and Terry Kiser.

Mary Bramblett, Matt Rogers and Greg South were absent from the meeting.

Following the invocation given by Doug Dickeson and the pledge of allegiance to the flag the minutes were presented for consideration. Terry Kiser made the motion that the minutes be approved as presented. Doug Dickeson seconded the motion and the minutes were approved unanimously.

The bills totaling \$47,981.70 were then presented for consideration for payment. Ben Keller made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the bills were approved unanimously.

The Mayor asked for a nomination for the Piedmont Health Care Board to fill the vacancy left due to the passing of Vera Myers. Terry Kiser asked that the nominations be tabled until the next meeting so that those Council members that are absent could vote.

In Council Reports Ben Keller had no report.

Doug Dickeson asked for a list of contractors and permits that had been given and also for an update on how many sales tax payers are delinquent. He also apologized to Ben Keller and Ricky Jackson for the arguments and said that everyone needed to be more professional and respectful in the meetings.

Bobby Hardin had no report.

Terry Kiser had no report.

City Clerk Michelle Franklin informed the Council that Chief Norton had developed a policy for the wrecker rotation and she had given the Council one to review. She said that she would put this in Ordinance form for the next meeting.

In the Mayor's Comments the Mayor said that city employees do not need to be texting during the meetings and to be more professional. He told the employees to be safe during this cold weather and take needed breaks from the cold. He asked that everyone come out and support the Polar Plunge on Saturday at 10:00 am.

With no other business to come before the Council Doug Dickeson made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:16 pm.