

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PIEDMONT
2-4-2020
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, Mary Bramblett, Doug Dickeson, Greg South, Bobby Hardin and Terry Kiser.

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

The bills totaling \$441,803.04 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 for payment unanimously.

In Council Reports Ben Keller discussed the gas station gas prices and how it takes away from Piedmont businesses when people go out of town to purchase gas and then eat and shop.

Mary Bramblett said that trash cans are being left too far out in the streets.

Doug Dickeson recognized the Jr. High boys and girls on being the Calhoun County Champions. He also congratulated the new Piedmont Resource Officers.

Matt Rogers had no report.

Greg South had no report.

Bobby Hardin asked if the back alley that was being paved was going to cost more than the Council first thought. Bobby Hardin then made a motion to dissolve the Commercial Development Board. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and after some discussion the Mayor asked the City Clerk for a roll call vote and the vote was as follows:

YEAS	NAYS	ABSTAIN
Ben Keller	Mary Bramblett	None
Doug Dickeson	Matt Rogers	
Greg South	Mayor Baker	
Bobby Hardin		
Terry Kiser		

Following the roll call the vote was 5 yeas and 3 nays therefore, dissolving the Commercial Development Board passed.

Terry Kiser said that the gas prices was about volume.

In the Mayor's Comments the Mayor also congratulated the Jr. High Boys and Girls and he also complimented Doug Dickesons daughter for how well she played. He announced Black History Month on February 21st. at 6:00 pm. He also informed the Council that the First United Methodist Church would feed the Mayor, Council and First Responders on March 5th from 5 to 7.

With no other business to come before the Council Doug Dickeson made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Greg South seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:00 pm.