

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PIEDMONT
MAY 17, 2022
5:59 PM

The City Council of the City of Piedmont met in regular session at the time and on the date above. Present were Mayor Baker, Council Members John Lawrence, Richard Williams, Jubal Feazell, Greg South, David Ivey, and Terry Kiser.

Following the invocation by Jubal Feazell and the pledge of allegiance given by Mayor Baker, the minutes were presented for consideration. Terry Kiser made the motion that the minutes be approved as presented. David Ivey seconded the motion and the minutes were approved. John Lawrence abstained.

The bills totaling \$323,407.65 were then presented for consideration for payment. Richard Williams made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. John Lawrence seconded the motion and the bills were approved for payment.

The next item on the agenda was Resolution 2022-04. Jubal Feazell made the motion to approve Resolution 2022-04. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The next item was Resolution 2022-05. David Ivey made the motion to approve Resolution 2022-05. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The next item was Resolution 2022-06. Richard Williams made the motion to approve Resolution 2022-06. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The next item was Resolution 2022-07. John Lawrence made the motion to approve Resolution 2022-07. David Ivey seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

The final resolution was 2022-08. Greg South made the motion to approve Resolution 2022-08. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

After the Police Report was given by Chief Johnson, the Mayor asked for any visitor comments. There were no visitor comments.

In Council Reports John Lawrence thanked Chief Johnson for all the hard work that he and his department does.

Richard Williams thanked Arthur from AMEA for his solar canopy information. He also wanted to thank East Alabama for their presentation. He wanted to commend Piedmont baseball / softball for the great success they had during the season. He would like to see the City Facebook added to the City web page.

Jubal Feazell also wanted to get City Facebook page linked to City website. He would like to see Alex with the Civic Center update the City Facebook page while she updates the PARD page. He wanted to

let everyone know the new videos were in for review. In closing he wanted to let Council know how much he appreciated the League training in Tuscaloosa.

Caleb Pope was absent.

Greg South would like to see information being put on city Facebook page and website.

David Ivey wanted to echo the good things going on in Piedmont. He had a great experience at the League Convention. He asked to compare our business license schedule with other cities.

Terry Kiser wanted to thank the Police Department during National Police Week.

Clerk Hinton asked for Council discussion for a storage fee from Carla Jones for the mobile units at Southside. The Council agreed to not charge until June 1 then \$10 per day per unit. The dozer from Street Department is needing major repairs in the amount of \$9,482.87. Greg South made the motion to approve the dozer repairs. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. The next item was the purchase of utility poles from Baldwin Pole. Greg South made the motion to purchase poles from Baldwin Pole. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. The last item was the purchase of electrical supplies form GRESCO in the amount of \$10,072.50. Richard Williams made the motion to purchase the needed supplies. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

In the Mayor's Comments he wanted to congratulate Piedmont boys baseball and girls softball on the great season they had. He said the ALM meeting was a great experience. He thanked the police for all the hard work they do. He wanted to let everyone know that this week was National Police Week. The Mayor asked Council if they wanted to look for additional grants from East Alabama. The Council agreed to check and see if any were available. He said things are going well in the City. CVG will be hiring 20 employees now with a possibility of 80 in the future.

With no other business to come before the Council, Terry Kiser made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. David Ivey seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:50 pm.