

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PIEDMONT
JUNE 20, 2023
5:53 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, Caleb Pope, Greg South, David Ivey, and Terry Kiser.

Following the invocation 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. Greg South seconded the motion and the minutes were approved.

The bills totaling \$469,792.92 were then presented for consideration for payment. Richard Williams made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. Greg South seconded the motion and the bills were approved for payment.

The next several items on the agenda were resolutions for grass abatement and house demolition. The first was Resolution 2023-13. David Ivey made the motion to approve Resolution 2023-13. Richard Williams seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2023-14 was next on the agenda. Richard Williams made the motion to approve Resolution 2023-14. John Lawrence seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2023-15 was next on the agenda. David Ivey made the motion to approve Resolution 2023-15. Greg South seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2023-16 was next on the agenda. Greg South made the motion to approve Resolution 2023-16. David Ivey seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2023-17 was next on the agenda. Caleb Pope made the motion to approve Resolution 2023-17. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried.

The up-fitting of the two new police cars was the next item on the agenda. Greg South made the motion to authorize Dana Safety Supply to equip both new Tahoes for the amount of \$12,403.00 per vehicle. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the motion carried.

After the Police and Fire reports there was one visitor comment. Ben Keller spoke of a recent ticket that he had received from the Piedmont Police Department.

In Council Reports, John Lawrence had NO report.

Richard Williams would like to see when 2024 police cars can be ordered. He also would like to get some prices for a new putting green at the driving range.

Jubal Feazell asked about fixing the ACO computer. He would like to see some progress on the pole trailer for the electrical department. In closing, he asked about an ice machine at the electrical department.

Caleb Pope had NO report

Greg South had NO report.

David Ivey gave a report on the Lowe's grant that we applied for. He said that the City had not been notified by the June 15 date so we probably did not win.

Terry Kiser wanted to thank Ashlee and Terry for the hard work they have done on the July 4th celebration. This will take place Saturday, July 1 at 3:00 pm.

Clerk Hinton asked the Council to get with Ben Singleton to set up their email accounts if they were not working. He told the Council that paving would run between \$60.00 - \$70.00 per foot. In closing he reported that Michael Bright was back at the Civic Center working on the columns.

In the Mayor's report he reported that he would get with the grant writer for WGS projects and let her know to get started. Our next meeting will be July 11, 2023 at 5:30 pm. In closing, he told of a Tale of the Cities meeting that he attended. He told them of all the things that have happened in Piedmont.

With no other business to come before the Council, Greg South made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:31 pm.