

# *The City of Pelham*

## **MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING**

**August 23, 2016 – 6:30 p.m. – Council Chamber**

### **PRESENT:**

Mayor James Eubanks  
Mayor Pro-Tem Alfred Brown  
Council Member Jeremy Hatcher  
Council Member Loys Johnson  
Council Member Bobby Robinson  
Council Member Tad Williamson

City Manager, Jim Hedges  
City Clerk, Lisa Austin  
Police Chief, Nealie McCormick  
Fire Chief, Ivey Godwin  
Pelham Journal, Carl Stokes

**\*\*Absent from the meeting Council Member Winfred Parker, Council Member Ansel Parrish, and City Attorney Tommy Coleman\*\***

With a quorum present, Mayor Eubanks called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Council Member Robinson provided the opening prayer.

### **CITY MANAGER**

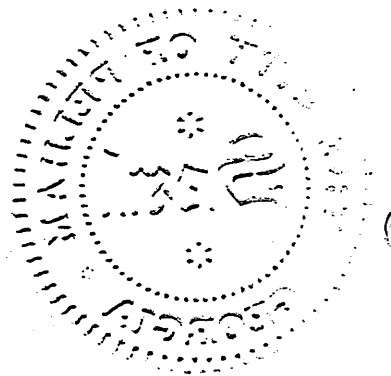
City Manager Hedges reported there is a booklet called S.T.Y.L.E. which is Successful Tips for Youth on Law Enforcement Encounters. The Pelham Police Department, Department of Justice, and Pelham Board of Education they have had meetings and S.T.Y.L.E. document's that is being passed out and this is the effort going on with the youth talking about law enforcement encounters. The Donnie Cochran Complex has had a lot of work including painting, planting of roses, Wi-Fi installed, new sign, the Sothern Regional College will be hosting GED classes at the complex. The dedication of the Donnie Cochran Complex will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at the Donnie Cochran Complex at 11:00 A.M. Other information included were the paving of Hollingsworth Street and the stripping on John Collins road all which was paved with LMIG money. Also shown were pictures of the ditches which have been cleaned out including Cannon, Ella, and A, and Liberia Street. Discussed and viewed the city financials.

### **REGULAR SESSION**

#### **MAYOR EUBANKS PRESIDING**

#### **APPROVAL OF REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

**Council Member Robinson made a motion to approve the agenda as written, seconded by Council Member Williamson. The vote was unanimous.**



## MINUTES FROM PRIOR MEETING

Mayor Pro-Tem Brown made a motion to approve minutes from the July 14, 2016 Called Meeting Minutes as written and July 21, 2016 Regular Meeting Minutes as written, seconded by Council Member Johnson. The vote was unanimous.

## MITCHELL COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

Council Member Johnson made a motion to adopt a pre-disaster mitigation plan prepared in accordance with federal regulations promulgated pursuant to the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, seconded by Council Member Brown. The vote was unanimous.

## NEW EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK

Council Member Robinson made a motion to table the approval of new employee handbook until it can be further reviewed, seconded by Council Member Johnson. The vote was unanimous.

## ALCOHOL LICENSE-FRATELLI'S

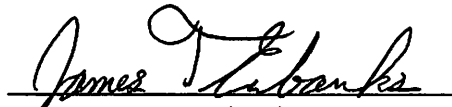
Council Member Robinson made a motion to approve the Alcohol License for Fratelli's for beer pouring only, seconded by Council Member Williamson. The vote was unanimous.

## DEPARTMENT REPORTS

The following department reports were included in Council packets to review: Code Enforcement, Fire Department, Police Department, Mitchell County Animal Control, and Utility Report.


## ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the Pelham City Council, Council Member Robinson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Council Member Johnson. The vote was unanimous. Mayor Eubanks declared the meeting closed at 7:06 p.m.

  
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Mayor, James Eubanks

### **AUTHENTICATED:**

This 22nd Day of September 2016.

  
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City Clerk, Lisa Austin