

MINUTES OF A REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING  
OF THE CITY OF TUSCUMBIA  
MONDAY, MARCH 6, 2017

**CALL OF MEETING TO ORDER**

Mayor Kerry Underwood called the meeting to order @6:30 p.m.

**INVOCATION**

Mayor Underwood

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Katherine Logan

**ROLL CALL**

Present,	Mayor Kerry Underwood	Chairperson ProTempore Katherine Logan
	Council Member Agnes G. Thompkins	Council Member Michael Isom
Absent,	Council Members Jeffrey Smart and William Foster	

Administration: City Clerk JoAnn Armstead, City Attorney Harold Hughston, III, Building Official Luster Echols, Public Works Director Hugh Stanley, Parks and Recreation Director Joel Kendrick and Police Chief Anthony Logan.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**MOTION** – To adopt the Minutes of February 20, 2017, Regular Scheduled Meeting  
Motion by Council Member Logan; seconded by Council Member Isom  
**VOTE:** Yea, 4-0-2  
Nay, 0

**REPORTS OF BOARDS**

The Civil Service Board met on February 23, 2017 and interviewed applicants for the position of "Firefighter" and hired Shane Addison. Mr. Addison's employment will begin immediately following his health and drug screening. The Civil Service Board also promoted Lieutenant Paul Pate II to Assistant Fire Chief.

**READINGS OF PETITIONS, APPLICATIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, ETC**

Investigator Wesley Holland and Lieutenant Smallwood were commended for their heroic actions that lead to the capture and the arrest of an armed robber.

**BUSINESS**

Council Member Thompkins made the motion to accept the Proposal of Trey Edwards, owner of Victory Social Media & Printing, for providing professional services in the amount of \$500 monthly. The motion was seconded by Council Member Logan. Motion 4-0-2

John Bedford, Colbert County Engineer, requested a letter or resolution of support for the ATRIP 2 Project that will provide funds for county roads and bridges with a portion (approximately 20%) of the county's funds allotted to the municipalities. A new 3 cent gasoline tax is proposed to pay-off a \$1.2 billion bond issue over 15 years.

Council Member Thompkins made the motion to declare a vacancy for a Firefighter due to the resignation of Jonathan Bates on February 26, 2017. The motion was seconded by Council Member Isom. Motion 4-0-2

Council Member Logan made the motion to reimburse the General Fund \$5,990 from the 7 cent Gasoline Tax Fund for the purchase of two Bush Hogs from SIDS Trading Company for the Public Works Department. The motion was seconded by Council Member Thompkins. Motion 4-0-2

Reverend Robert Polk requested the council make a donation to Shoals Area COARMM, Inc. for the services they provide to the children within the community. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Martinez donated \$50 to the city for supporting an organization that helps children to read. Council Member Logan made the motion to authorize a Full-Page Advertisement, in the amount of \$100 to Shoals Area COARMM. The motion was seconded by Council Member Thompkins. Motion 4-0-2

Anthony Logan, Police Chief, presented a revised Noise Ordinance for consideration. A Sub-Committee (William Foster and Jeffrey Smart) was appointed by Mayor Underwood to work with Chief Logan on reviewing and revising this Ordinance.

Council Member Logan made the motion to re-appoint Ronald N. Hudson to the Zoning Adjustment Board for the term of three years beginning March 1, 2017 thru March 1, 2020. Mr. Hudson agreed to remain on the Board until a replacement could be found or one more term. The motion was seconded by Council Member Isom. Motion 4-0-2

Council Member Isom made the motion to declare a vacancy in the Police Department for an Officer due to the resignation of Damion Bankhead. The motion was seconded by Council Member Thompkins. Motion 4-0-2

Harold Hughston, City Attorney, presented Resolution No. 17-001, authorizing the acceptance of donated property by William K. Enlow to the City of Tuscumbia. Council Member Logan made the motion to accept Resolution No. 17-001 for the property donated by William K. Enlow. The motion was seconded by Council Member Thompkins. Motion 4-0-2

**ADJOURNMENT**

With no further business, Council Member Logan made the motion to adjourn at 6:40 p.m.; seconded by Council Member Isom. Motion 4-0-2

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kerry L. Underwood, Mayor

Attest:

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JoAnn Armstead, City Clerk/Treasurer