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Anniston, Alabama
May 8, 2012

The City Council of the City of Anniston, Alabama, met in Regular Session in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of the City of Anniston, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 8, 2012, at approximately 6:12 o'clock p.m.

Council Member Palmore prayed the Invocation.

Council Member Palmore led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Mayor Robinson called the meeting to order. On call of the roll the following Council Members were found to be present: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; absent: none. A quorum was present and the meeting opened for the transaction of business.

Don A. Hoyt, City Manager, was present.

Cleo Thomas, City Attorney, was present.

Council Member Jenkins made a motion to dispense with the reading of and approve the minutes of April 24, 2012. The motion was seconded by Council Member Little; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Mayor Robinson made a motion to add to the agenda a motion to approve reimbursements up to \$5,000.00 from Larry May for the concert in Zinn Park on July 14 and to approve additional closing of streets, a motion to approve a request to block 14th Street between Moore Avenue and Gurnee Avenue from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon beginning June 16, 2012, through September 8, 2012, a resolution authorizing the submission of a grant application under the Recreational Trails Program, and to remove a motion to approve a lounge retail liquor – Class I ABC application for Averygrae LLC d/b/a Blus Tavern located at 1013 B U.S. Highway 431 North. The motion was seconded by Council Member Palmore; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Council Member Jenkins made a motion to adopt the agenda as amended. The motion was seconded by Council Member Palmore; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Mayor Robinson announced that was the time for the public hearing on the City of Anniston's 2012 JAG Grant application, declared the hearing open and asked if anyone wished to address the Council concerning the City of Anniston's 2012 JAG Grant application.

No one addressed the Council concerning the City of Anniston's 2012 JAG Grant application.

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Mayor Robinson declared the public hearing on the City of Anniston's 2012 JAG Grant application closed.

Council Member Jenkins introduced and read Resolution Number 12-R-166 as follows:

(12-R-166, reappointing members to the RMC board)

Council Member Jenkins made a motion for the passage and adoption of Resolution Number 12-R-166 as introduced and read. The motion was seconded by Council Member Palmore; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and Resolution Number 12-R-166 was passed and adopted.

Council Member Palmore introduced and read Resolution Number 12-R-167 as follows:

(12-R-167, declaring a reported condition to be a public nuisance)

Council Member Palmore made a motion for the passage and adoption of Resolution Number 12-R-167 as introduced and read. The motion was seconded by Council Member Little; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and Resolution Number 12-R-167 was passed and adopted.

Council Member Palmore introduced and read Resolution Number 12-R-168 as follows:

(12-R-168, declaring a reported condition to be a public nuisance; groups 16 & 17)

Council Member Palmore made a motion for the passage and adoption of Resolution Number 12-R-168 as introduced and read. The motion was seconded by Council Member Little; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and Resolution Number 12-R-168 was passed and adopted.

Mayor Robinson introduced and read Resolution Number 12-R-169 as follows:

(12-R-169, approving participation in the State of Ala. Sales Tax Holiday for severe weather preparedness items)

Mayor Robinson made a motion for the passage and adoption of Resolution Number 12-R-169 as introduced and read. The motion was seconded by Council Member Palmore; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and Resolution Number 12-R-169 was passed and adopted.

Council Member Jenkins introduced and read Resolution Number 12-R-170 as follows:

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(12-R-170, submission of a grant pre-application under the Recreational Trails Program)

Council Member Jenkins made a motion for the passage and adoption of Resolution Number 12-R-170 as introduced and read. The motion was seconded by Mayor Robinson; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and Resolution Number 12-R-170 was passed and adopted.

Council Member Little made a motion to approve reimbursements up to \$5,000.00 from Larry May for the concert in Zinn Park on July 14 and to approve additional closing of streets. The motion was seconded by Mayor Robinson; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Mayor Robinson made a motion to approve a request to block 14th Street between Moore Avenue and Gurnee Avenue from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon beginning June 16, 2012, through September 8, 2012. The motion was seconded by Council Member Little; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Council Member Little made a motion to appoint Millie Harris as the Ward 4 Council Member. (No one seconded the motion.)

Council Member Palmore made a motion to appoint Marcus Dunn as the Ward 4 Council Member. The motion was seconded by Mayor Robinson; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried.

Mayor Robinson stated there would be a Special Council Meeting on Friday, May 11, 2012, at 11:00 a.m.

Council Member Jenkins thanked all the candidates who had applied for the position of Council Member for Ward 4.

Council Member Palmore thanked all the candidates who had applied for the position of Council Member for Ward 4.

There being no further business to come before the meeting at that time Council Member Little made a motion the meeting be continued until Friday, May 11, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. The motion was seconded by Council Member Palmore; and on call of the roll the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Palmore, Little, and Robinson; nays: none. The motion carried and the meeting was continued until Friday, May 11, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at approximately 6:44 o'clock p.m.