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Anniston, Alabama

July 10, 2018

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, July 10, 2018, at approximately 5:37 o'clock p.m.

Jay Jenkins, Council Member, prayed the Invocation.

Jay Jenkins, Council Member, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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

Jay Johnson, City Manager, was present.

Bruce Downey, City Attorney, was present.

Council Member Jenkins made a motion to waive the reading of the minutes of June 19, 2018. The motion was seconded by Council Member Harris; and on call of the roll, the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Reddick, Little, Harris and Draper; nays: none. The motion carried.

Council Member Harris made a motion to approve the minutes of June 19, 2018. The motion was seconded by Council Member Jenkins; and on call of the roll, the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Reddick, Little, Harris and Draper; nays: none. The motion carried.

Council Member Little made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Council Member Harris; and on call of the roll, the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Reddick, Little, Harris, and Draper; nays: none. The motion carried.

Glen Ray, 3514 Dale Hollow Road, have filed with the attorney general and others about investigating the municipal court in Anniston.

Ralph Bradford, Citizen of Anniston, wanted to appeal to the council that he is in support of Ms. Shelia Smoot being a part of Economic Development for Ward 2 and 3

Anne Crossley, 1001 Noble Street, went through the process through the planning board for business and cannot get any help

Ralph Bradford, Citizen of Anniston, Storm water Bank Statements

Mayor Draper opened a Public Hearing to hear comments regarding over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances (Group 2018-01 Vehicles).

Tana Bryant, Code Enforcement, speaking on behalf of Mr. McNealy who has property at 2930 Noble Street, is requesting more time he has a buyer looking at the vehicle.

Mayor Draper closed the Public Hearing to hear comments regarding over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances (Group 2018-01 Vehicles).

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Mayor Draper opened a Public Hearing to hear comments regarding over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances (Group 2018-02 Grass & Debris).

Tana Bryant, Code Enforcement, speaking on behalf of Mr. McNealy who has property at 2930 Noble Street, will be getting the grass cut.

Mayor Draper closed the Public Hearing to hear comments regarding over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances (Group 2018-02 Grass & Debris).

Council Member Little made a motion to approve the amended Consent Agenda:

- (a) Resolution authorizing reimbursements to city officials for expenses incurred while traveling away from the city (18-R-129)
- (b) Resolution over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances. Group 2018-01 Vehicles. (18-R-130)
- (c) Resolution over-ruling objections to the abatement of identified nuisances. Group 2018-02 Grass & Debris (18-R-131)
- (d) Resolution declaring a reported condition to be a public nuisance. Group 2018-03 Grass & Debris (18-R-132)
- (e) A motion to authorize the Mayor to execute a Facility Use and Operation Agreement between the City of Anniston, Alabama and Greyhound Lines, Inc.

The motion was seconded by Council Member Reddick; and on call of the roll, the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Member Jenkins, Reddick, Harris, and Draper; nays: Council Member Little. The motion carried.

Jay Jenkins, wants to highlight the museum, the Berman Museum, has an exhibit opening on Friday on the 2nd floor.

David Reddick wants to commend the ACEF, who sponsored 10 girls of the Girls who code group to Space Camp in Huntsville, Al.

Benjamin Little stated that the council received notice from the owner of 201 South Noble, the city did a good job on the paving in front of the store.

Millie Harris stated that with all the problems we have in Anniston, it is still the most philanthropic cities in the South. Evidence of that is this coming weekend the Sunny King Charity classic. Over \$100,000 dollars stay locally to support local charities. Remember the good things.

Mayor Draper wanted to thank everyone for their engagement and involvement.

Mayor Draper made a motion to adjourn into executive session to discuss matters of pending litigation and they will not return to discuss what was discussed in executive session. Council Member Harris' second to said motion, the following vote was recorded: ayes: Council Members Jenkins, Reddick, Little, Harris and Draper; nays: none

The meeting was adjourned into executive session to discuss matters of pending litigation at 6:23 o'clock p.m.