

The Town of Winnsboro Council met in regular session on June 4, 2019, at 6:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers of Town Hall. Following normal procedures, copies of the agenda were provided to Council and The Voice. Those in attendance were:

Mayor Roger Gaddy, MD
Councilman Danny Miller, District #1
Councilwoman Janice Bartell-Prather, District #2
Councilman John McMeekin, District #4
Town Manager, Don Wood

Absent

Mayor Pro-tem Clyde Sanders, District #3

Others

John Fantry, Attorney
Creighton Coleman, Attorney
Chief John Seibles
Lorraine Abell, ATM

Guests

Raymond & Yvette Howard
Debby Stidham
Jacqueline Beaver
Earnestine Williams
Gene Stephens
Pelham Lyles

Call to Order:

Mayor Gaddy called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m.

Invocation:

Councilman John McMeekin offered the Invocation.

Approval of Minutes:

Councilman John McMeekin made a motion to accept the minutes of the May 21, 2019, Town Council Meeting and Finance Meeting be approved as written. Councilwoman Janice Bartell-Prather seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Public Comments: Ms. Debbie Stidham presented to Council a request to use the Armory for elections for polling location #1. This request would move the elections from Public Safety to the Armory. Council inquired about moving the elections held at the Town Clock to the Armory as well. Ms. Stidham stated the delegation would have to approve all changes with the polling locations and Ms. Stidham wanted to know the availability of the Armory before presenting the request to move the polling site to the election delegation. Mayor Gaddy thanked Ms. Stidham and stated she would have an answer in a few minutes.

Ms. Yvette Howard spoke on ordinance enforcement.

Presentation: None

New Business:

- a. 1st Reading of Budget Ordinance #061819A**
First reading was presented to Council. Public hearing and second reading will be held on June 18th.
- b. 1st Reading of Budget Ordinance #061819B**
First reading was presented to Council. Public hearing and second reading will be held on June 18th.
- c. Armory Use Request-Fairfield Election Commission – Debby Stidham**
Mayor Gaddy stated Council had heard the request from Ms. Stidham and were there any additional questions or a motion. Councilman Danny Miller made a motion to approve the request for use of the Armory for elections. Councilwoman Janice Bartell-Prather seconded the motion. All voted aye.
- d. Water Availability Request – Red Gate – HVP3 Harold Pickrel**
Attorney John Fantry presented the request for willingness to serve Red Gate developer, Harold Pickrel with HVP3. Attorney Fantry explained this is a new developer for the project and the number of lots has decreased. There would be 138 lots and would use about 41,000 gallons of water per day. Councilman McMeekin made a motion for the approval of willingness to serve the project. A second was made by Councilwoman Janice Bartell-Prather. All voted aye.

Old Business:

- a. Financial Sponsorship Request-Historic Winnsboro Brochure-Earnestine Williams and Gene Stephens**
Mr. Gene Stephens showed examples of what the brochure could look like and other brochures being updated. The brochure has not been updated in 30 years. Ms. Earnestine Williams stated the distance between each site and the total miles walked will be added to the brochure. Ms. Williams stated Ms. Pelham Lyles had been working with her in updating the brochure deleting a few sites and adding additional sites to the brochure. The total cost of the brochure is \$2,600.00 and they were requesting a sponsorship of \$1,500.00 from the town. Councilman John McMeekin made a motion to approve the request for \$1,500.00. The motion was seconded by Councilman Danny Miller. All voted aye.

Mr. Stephens also requested the use of the Town Clock Promenade for the Ag & Art Dinner, since the new farmer's market would not be available. Mr. Stephens stated he had approval for the road to be closed. Council agreed to the usage.

- b. Review of Town Winnsboro Park's Rules and Regulations**
Council reviewed and discussed the regulations. Councilman Miller requested that under no swimming and fishing to add no swimming and fishing in the pond. With the noted addition, Councilwoman Bartell-Prather made a motion for the acceptance of the new rules and regulations for the Town of Winnsboro's Parks. Councilman McMeekin seconded the motion and all voted aye.

Other Business: None

Executive Session: Pursuant to SC Code Section 30-4-70 (a) (2):

a. Legal/Personnel-Municipal Court

Councilman McMeekin made a motion to enter into executive session for the discussion of a personnel matter concerning Municipal Court. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Bartell-Prather. All voted aye.

Councilman McMeekin made a motion to resume the general meeting and was seconded by Councilman Miller. All voted aye.

No actions were taken.

Questions from the Media: None

Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, Councilman McMeekin made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilwoman Bartell-Prather. All voted aye. The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Submitted by:

Lorraine Abell, ATM

Approved: _____
Mayor Roger Gaddy