

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL, LINCOLN, ALABAMA

May 23, 2023

The City Council of the City of Lincoln, Alabama met in regular session in the Council Chambers at City Hall on Tuesday, May 23, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. Chairman Pro Tempore Jennie Jones called the meeting to order and upon roll call the following answered present: Chairman Pro Tempore Jennie Jones, Councilmembers Billy Pearson, Sadie Britt and Brandon Tate. Mayor Watson and Councilmember Joey Callahan were absent. Invocation was given by Billy Pearson and Chairman Pro Tempore Jones led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Pro Tempore Jones opened the Public Hearing for discussion regarding the adoption of certain International Building Codes. Adam Thrasher informed the Council this is updating the code cycle and bringing us up to the state agencies. There were no comments from the public and Chairman Pro Tempore Jones closed the Public Hearing.

Councilmember Tate made a motion to approve the minutes of May 9, 2023; second by Britt. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Abstain.

Councilmember Tate made a motion to approve the minutes of May 16, 2023; second by Pearson. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

Chairman Pro Tempore Jones presented Ordinance 2023-21 adopting the 2021 International Building Codes, 2015 International Residential Code and 2020 NEC National Electric Code, NFPA 70. Councilmember Pearson made a motion to accept the first reading as having been read; second by Tate. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye. Councilmember Britt made a motion to suspend the rules that would otherwise prohibit the immediate consideration of Ordinance 2023-21; second by Tate. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye. Motion passed unanimously. Councilmember Tate made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2023-21; second by Pearson. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

Chairman Pro Tempore Jones presented Resolution 2023-40 abating the property located at 0 Oak Ridge Lane. Councilmember Tate made a motion to adopt Resolution 2023-40; second by Pearson. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

Chairman Pro Tempore Jones presented Resolution 2023-41 abating the property located at 256 Oak Forest Circle. Councilmember Britt made a motion to adopt Resolution 2023-41; second by Pearson. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

Chairman Pro Tempore Jones presented Resolution 2023-42 declaring a nuisance on the property located at 256 Oak Forest Circle. Councilmember Britt made a motion to adopt Resolution 2023-42; second by Tate. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

Councilmember Tate made a motion to approve the purchase of Falcon and Falcon Flex cameras from Insight for the Police Department; second by Pearson. The vote was Pearson – Aye, Britt – Aye, Jones – Aye and Tate – Aye.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Pearson made a motion to adjourn; second by Tate. The vote was Ayes: Britt, Pearson, Jones and Tate.

Jennie Jones, Chairman Pro Tempore

Attest:

Laura S. Carmack, City Clerk