

City of Ashville
Council Meeting
Monday, July 20, 2020
6:00 PM

Mayor Derrick Mostella called the Council meeting to order at 6:00 pm on Monday, July 20, 2020 at City Hall. Teleconference was also available pursuant to the Proclamations of the Governor of the State of Alabama declaring a State of Emergency in the State due to COVID19 and for the essential minimum functions of government or in response to the COVID -19 State of Emergency.

Present were: Mayor Derrick Mostella and Councilmembers Sue Price, Shirley Smith, David Thompson, and Denise Williams. Councilmember Charles Williams was absent.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the final meeting agenda. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve the final meeting agenda; Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the council meeting on July 6, 2020. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion to approve the minutes from the council meeting on July 6, 2020; Councilmember Sue Price seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve Resolution 2020-015 Appoint City Clerk Chrystal St. John as Election Manager. Councilmember Sue Price made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-015 Appoint City Clerk Chrystal St. John as Election Manager; Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the change of the unskilled labor position in public works that was approved in the F20 budget to a certified operator position in public works. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve the change of the unskilled labor position in public works that was approved in the F20 budget to a certified operator position in public works; Councilmember Sue Price seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor and Council discussed the Tier I & Tier II Retirement. Attorney Joel Watson and Clerk Chrystal St. John to have resolution ready to present at next meeting. There will be a cost to the City.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to pay the bills due. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion to pay the bills due; Councilmember Denise Williams seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Project Review/Update:

- Weir at spring – installation is planned for July/August. Will need to track for approximately one year. Install additional materials/supplies.
- Terracon Grant – concrete path to be poured soon
- LED Street Lights – AL Power has replaced lights along the State Roads. Project is complete.

- Library Renovation – updating plans from revisions requested during last week’s meeting.
- Paving Project – contract has been signed. Hoping for a mid-August start date.

Announcements:

- The next City Council meeting will be Monday, August 3, 2020. Meeting begins at 6pm.
- The Census portal is open online. Please respond to your census via the online portal, telephone 1-844-330-2020, or mail. #AshvilleCounts www.My2020census.gov

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to adjourn. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to adjourn; Councilmember Sue Price seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved. Meeting adjourned.

Derrick Mostella, Mayor

Chrystal St. John, City Clerk