

City of Ashville
Council Meeting
Tuesday, September 1, 2020
8:00 AM

Mayor Derrick Mostella called the Council meeting to order at 8:00am on September 1, 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 late to the meeting.

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

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the council meeting on August 17, 2020. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve the minutes from the council meeting on August 17, 2020; Councilmember Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Councilmember Charles Williams arrived to the meeting.

Mayor Mostella asked the Election Manager, Chrystal St. John, to open and count the provisional ballots deemed valid by the Board of Registrars.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve Resolution 2020-022 Canvass the August 25, 2020 Election Results. Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-022 Canvass the August 25, 2020 Election Results; Shirley Smith seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve Resolution 2020-023 Renaming of the Ashville Public Library. Councilmember Sue Price made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-023 Renaming of the Ashville Public Library; Denise Williams seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion extend the acceptance of bids for the storm shelter at the Alabama power Building thru Friday, September 4, 2020 at Noon. Councilmember Shirley Smith made a motion to extend the acceptance of bids for the storm shelter at the Alabama power Building thru Friday, September 4, 2020 at Noon; Denise Williams seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

Mayor Mostella asked for a motion to approve three projects funded by the Cares Act:

1. Single Slide Automatic Doors @ City Hall entrance one quote received \$13,279.80

2. Touchless faucets and automatic flushing toilets at City Hall, Splash Park and Ball Park – two quotes received \$9,984.68 and \$16,500.00
3. Cardiac Monitor (will have to be bid) approximate spend \$45,000

Councilmember Denise Williams made a motion to approve all three projects and accepting the lowest quote on the faucets/toilets; Sue Price seconded the motion; all Councilmembers voted yes, motion approved.

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 – Bart is reviewing all options again.
- Library Renovation – Bid opening has been re-scheduled for September 10.
- Paving Project – Will likely be later on in the year before they are able to pave the contracted streets in Ashville

Announcements:

- City Hall will be closed Monday, September 7, 2020 for the Labor Day Holiday.
- The next City Council meeting will be Monday, September 21, 2020. Meeting begins at 6pm.
- The Census portal is still open online. Please respond to your census via the online portal, telephone 1-844-330-2020, or mail. Census takers are making door to door visits. #AshvilleCounts www.My2020census.gov. The census deadline is September 30, 2020
- Run-off election is October 6, 2020

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

Derrick Mostella, Mayor

Chrystal St. John, City Clerk