

SUMMARY OF CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2020
AS PER GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION OF MARCH 18, 2020
UPDATED GUIDANCE ON OPEN MEETINGS ACT - COVID-19

Mayor Smith called the regular Council meeting to order at 5:30 P M.

The City Council of the City of Dadeville met in regular session in the conference room of the City Hall on March 24, 2020 at 5:30 P.M. Those present were: Mayor Smith, Councilpersons Brownie Caldwell, Adams, Wolfe, Mathis and Councilperson Teneeshia Goodman-Johnson. City Attorney Robin Reynolds was present.

Mayor Smith presided and stated the meeting was open for the transaction of any business that might come before the Council. Mayor Smith led the attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilperson Mathis gave the invocation.

Mayor Smith asked the Council if they had read the minutes from the last meeting and if there were any corrections? Minutes from the March 10, 2020 regular council meeting were unanimously approved by the Council, after a motion was made by Councilperson Johnson and seconded by Councilperson Caldwell. Motion carried, non-opposed.

There were no visitors on the agenda.

Mayor Smith then recognized council / departments for their reports:

Councilperson Mathis - no report
Councilperson Adams - no report
Councilperson Wolfe - no report
Councilperson Caldwell - no report
Councilperson Johnson - no report

Old Business -

Mayor Smith gave an update on the Courthouse Square Project informing Council that he had received a letter that Gillespie Construction is asking for an additional 30 days to complete the project.

At 5:35 p.m. Councilperson Caldwell asked to suspend the rules of regular council session to enter into Executive Session to discuss potential pending litigation, motion was seconded by Councilperson Johnson.

At 5:45 p.m. Councilperson Johnson asked to suspend the rules to enter back into regular session of council, motion was seconded by Councilperson Caldwell.

New Business -

Motion to purchase a 2005 Chevrolet Silverado Extended Cab pick-up truck from Evers Motor Company in the amount of \$6200.00 for the cemetery department was made by Councilperson Caldwell, and seconded by Councilperson Johnson. Roll call vote: Councilperson Johnson, yes; Caldwell, yes; Mathis, yes; Adams, yes; and Councilperson Wolfe, yes. Motion carried by unanimous vote to purchase this vehicle.

Resolution 20-005 Declaring City of Dadeville State of Emergency was adopted after motion made by Councilperson Caldwell, and seconded by Councilperson Johnson. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Community wide clean-up day will go ahead as scheduled on Saturday, April 4, 2020.

One rec center rental was approved after motion was made by Councilperson Johnson, and seconded by Councilperson Adams.

At 5:56 p.m. Councilperson Johnson asked to suspend the rules of regular council session to enter into Executive Session to discuss the good name and character of a personnel matter, motion was seconded by Councilperson Caldwell.

At 6:30 p.m. Councilperson Caldwell asked to suspend the rules to enter back into regular session of council, motion was seconded by Councilperson Johnson.

Motion giving the mayor and city clerk permission to discuss combining the two jobs of street and cemetery maintenance was made by Councilperson Caldwell, and seconded by Councilperson Johnson.

Motion to adjourn was made by Councilperson Caldwell, and seconded by Councilperson Adams.