## STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF ETOWAH

## CITY OF RAINBOW CITY-COUNCIL MEETING-FEBRUARY 11, 2019

The City Council of the City of Rainbow City, Alabama, met in regular session at City Hall at 5:00 p.m., and upon roll call by City Clerk, Beth Lee, the following members answered present: Mayor Terry John Calhoun, Anita Bedwell, Bobby McCartney, Rodney Prickett, Larry Keenum, and Rick Hill. The same constituting a quorum of the City Council, the following business was transacted. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Calhoun. Invocation was given by Bobby McCartney. Mayor Calhoun led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

- Mayor Calhoun presented the minutes of regular Council meeting of January 28, 2019 for review, and asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions. There being none, Anita Bedwell made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 2. Mayor Calhoun stated that no bids were received in pre-council for a truck for the Street Dept. He recommended that Michael Stevens and Anita Bedwell check on a used truck and be prepared to present this to the Council on February 25, 2019.
- 3. Mayor Calhoun presented the resignation of Investigator Camp Yancey effective Thursday, February 21, 2019. Anita Bedwell moved and Rick Hill seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 4. Mayor Calhoun presented a request from Chief John Bryant to hire Brett Lacy as a certified Police Officer at \$14.50/hr. with family coverage insurance. He will start work Friday, March 1, 2019. Rick Hill moved and Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 5. Mayor Calhoun presented a budget revision for the Police Dept. to increase Clothing/Uniforms (Acct. # 01-430-150) by \$782.82 to reflect a grant received for ballistic vest. Rick Hill moved and Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 6. Mayor Calhoun presented the monthly departmental reports from the Community Center, Library, Building Dept., Court, Police, Fire Depts., and Animal Control.
- 7. Anita Bedwell stated the ISO rating for Rainbow City was a four (4) and Chief Potter was working towards obtaining a rating three (3) in the near future.
- 8. Rick Hill moved to surplus a 2017 Chevrolet Silverado VIN# 1631 in the Police Dept. on GovDeals and place a \$31,000.00 reserve. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 9. Rick Hill moved to purchase a 2019 Chevrolet Tahoe fully equipped minus the computer mount, gun lock and striping for the Police Dept. for the base price of \$32,969.00 off the State Bid List from Donohoo Chevrolet in Ft. Payne with the final price of \$42,043.64 (fully equipped). Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

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- 10. Mayor Calhoun presented a request for a donation to the CED Mental Health Center for youth prevention for 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> graders from all schools. This event will be held on March 12, 2019 at Gadsden City High School. Rodney Prickett moved to donate \$300.00. Rick Hill seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
- 11. Mayor Calhoun read the following announcement:
  - Ribbon Cutting-Willmore Total Fitness located at 209 Rescia Avenue Wednesday, February 20, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Anita Bedwell made a motion to adjourn.

Time Adjourned: 5:05 p.m.	
	Beth Lee, City Clerk/Treasurer
	Terry John Calhoun, Mayor