

**STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF ETOWAH**

CITY OF RAINBOW CITY-COUNCIL MEETING-JANUARY 28, 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 the Acting City Clerk, Kelsey Croley, the following members answered present: Mayor Terry John Calhoun; Council Members: Anita Bedwell, Bobby McCartney, Rodney Prickett, Larry Keenum, Rick Hill-absent. 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 Rodney Prickett. Mayor Calhoun led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

1. Mayor Calhoun presented the minutes of January 14, 2019, for review, and asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions. There being none, Larry Keenum made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun Stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
2. Mayor Calhoun stated that sealed bids were opened in pre-council for the following items: Old Barn, Trailer, and Truck. Tim Ramsey was awarded bid for barn at \$550.00. Anita moved to accept the bid. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
3. Anita Bedwell made a motion to accept the trailer bid from Dan's Vans for a 1995 Fontaine 50 Ton Lowboy trailer, VIN# 4LF4S5644S3504030 for \$30,000.00. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
4. Rodney Prickett made a motion to reject the one bid received for the truck from Southland International Trucks, Inc. for \$46,500.00 and repost it until next Council meeting. Sealed bids will be opened at pre-council meeting on February 11th, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
5. Mayor Calhoun presented Resolution No. 19-02 Christ Central Church donating 100' drainage easement to the City for the Horton Creek Drainage Project. Mayor thanked the church for this donation. Rodney Prickett made a motion to approve resolution. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun asked for a roll call as follows:

Anita Bedwell	Yes
Bobby McCartney	Yes
Rodney Prickett	Yes
Larry Keenum	Yes
Rick Hill	Absent

Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

6. Anita Bedwell made a motion for an hourly pay increase to \$23.50 to John Bryant, Chief of Police, to be effective Friday, February 1, 2019. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

7. Anita Bedwell made a motion for an hourly pay increase to \$13.25 for Linda Cleveland, Business License Inspector effective Friday, February 1, 2019. Rodney

Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

8. Mayor Calhoun stated that Kim Ramsey, Part-Time at the Community Center resigned. Last day worked was January 15, 2019.

9. Eddie Cline requested to hire Donna DeArmond as Part-Time in the Community Center at \$8.25/hr. to start Friday, February 1, 2019. Larry Keenum made a motion to approve the hiring. Bobby McCartney seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

10. Mayor Calhoun presented a request to purchase an ad for the Etowah Sheriff's Rodeo Program May, 10th & 11th, 2019. For \$120.00 for ½ page black and white. Larry Keenum made a motion to approve the request. Bobby McCartney seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

11. Chief John Bryant requested to move Officer Jordan Riggan to the position of Investigator with a pay increase of five percent. His current rate of pay is \$14.50 per hour and the increase will bring his pay to \$15.23 per hour effective Friday, February 1, 2019. Anita Bedwell congratulated Jordan on his position. Anita Bedwell made a request to approve the motion. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

12. Mayor Calhoun request to adopt a Resolution No. 19-03 Small Cell Tower Authority: HR 530. Rodney Pritchett made a request for the motion. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun state all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

13. Mayor Calhoun introduced The Chamber's "Partnering for Prosperity" program. Larry Keenum made a motion to join the program at the Executive level with a donation of \$2,500.00. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun asked for a roll call as follows:

Anita Bedwell	Yes
Bobby McCartney	Yes
Rodney Prickett	Yes
Larry Keenum	Yes
Rick Hill	Absent

Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

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

Time adjourned: 5:15 p.m.

Kelsey Croley, Acting City Clerk

Terry John Calhoun, Mayor