

RECORD OF COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES

CITY OF ARGO

Date: 02/12/2024

Time: 5:00 PM

Place: Municipal Complex

Work Session

The City Council for the City of Argo met on Monday, February 12, 2024, for a work session. The meeting was held at the Municipal Complex located at 100 Blackjack Road, Argo, AL 35173.

The following members were present:

Councilperson Dennis Griffin

Councilperson Thomas Suggs

Councilperson Rick Hopkins

Councilperson Danny McCarley

Mayor Pro-Tem Ann Brown

Mayor Betty Bradley

The work session consisted of discussion on the February 12, 2024, regular council meeting agenda.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:


TOMMIE EBNER, CITY CLERK

APPROVED:


BETTY BRADLEY, MAYOR

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Regular Meeting

ROLL CALL

Councilperson Dennis Griffin

Councilperson Thomas Suggs

Councilperson Rick Hopkins

Councilperson Danny McCarley

Mayor Pro-Tem Ann Brown

Mayor Betty Bradley

Mayor Bradley called the meeting to order and asked for a roll call. Roll was called and the roll call is listed above.

The invocation was given by Councilperson Hopkins and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited by those in attendance.

Mayor Pro-Tem Brown motioned to approve the Regular meeting minutes and Work Session minutes from 01/22/2024. Councilperson McCarley seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yes, Suggs-yes, Hopkins-yes, McCarley-yes, Brown-yes. Bradley-abstain. Motion carried.

Charles Ford, candidate for St. Clair County Commission address the council and those in attendance.

Councilperson Griffin made a motion to approve the road repair proposal from MSE for option 1 at \$26,910, for repairs on Mary Ann Lane. Money comes from the \$100,000 the city received from St. Clair County 4-cent gas tax money. Mayor Pro-Tem Brown seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yes, Suggs-yes, Hopkins-yes, McCarley-yes, Brown-yes. Bradley-yes. Motion carried.

FIRE REPORT – Chief Payne gave the monthly fire report. Argo FD had a total of 55 calls in January.

POLICE REPORT – Chief Busler gave the monthly police report. Argo PD has a new full-time APOST certified K9 Officer, Jasmine Graham. Corporal Davis spoke about the K9 training he attended in Dothan last week.

Councilperson Hopkins made a motion to suspend the rules to add item to the agenda: set the date of the 2024 Fall Festival so that the city can apply for the Tourism Grant. Mayor Pro-Tem

Brown seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yes, Suggs-yes, Hopkins-yes, McCarley-yes, Brown-yes. Bradley-yes. Motion carried.

Councilperson Hopkins made a motion to set the date of the 2024 Fall Festival so that the city can apply for the Tourism Grant. Fall Festival will be set for October 19, 2024, at 2PM. Mayor Pro-Tem Brown seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yes, Suggs-yes, Hopkins-yes, McCarley-yes, Brown-yes. Bradley-yes. Motion carried.

MAYOR REPORT – no new business.

CITY COUNCIL – Mayor Pro-Tem Brown announced that there will be a County Commission Candidate Debate on Thursday, February 22, 2024, at 6:30 PM at The Depot in Springville.

Councilperson Hopkins announced the next Mayor's Breakfast will be Friday, February 16th at Odenville City Hall.

Councilperson Hopkins asked about business signs on the city right-of-way, specifically around the City of Argo Welcome Sign. It was reiterated that this is not allowed and any signs placed there will be removed by the city.

CITY ATTORNEY – no new business.

PUBLIC COMMENTS – no public comments.

A motion was made to adjourn. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

APPROVED:



Betty Bradley, Mayor

ATTEST:



Tommie Ebner, City Clerk