## RECORD OF COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES CITY OF ARGO

**Date:** 03/10/2025 **Time:** 5:00 PM

Place: Municipal Complex

**Work Session** 

The City Council for the City of Argo met on Monday, March 10, 2025, for a work session. The meeting was held at the Municipal Complex located at 100 Blackjack Road, Argo, AL 35173.

The roll call is as follows:

Councilperson Dennis Griffin
Councilperson Thomas Suggs
Councilperson Rick Hopkins
Councilperson Danny McCarley
Mayor Pro-Tem Ann Brown -arrived 5:20 PM
Mayor Betty Bradley

The work session consisted of discussion on March 10, 2025, regular council meeting agenda.

David Gray from Rogue IT presented the Agreement for Managed Technology Services to the Mayor and Council. He informed them that Rogue IT has already replaced the switches and the firewall for the City of Argo, though the city is still experiencing latency issues, which are causing VPN drops. Currently, the City of Argo has a server on-premises and leases two cloud servers. If the City of Argo agrees to a contract with Rogue IT, the company will provide ongoing services, including security updates, Wi-Fi management, password changes, and 24/7 support. The monthly recurring charge for these services will be \$1,825.00.

Councilperson Hopkins requested that the City Attorney review the agreement and would like to see additional quotes before moving forward.

Councilperson Griffin requested to use City Hall on Sunday for future Misty Pines Subdivision HOA meetings. The Mayor and Council would like to address concerns before allowing this request, ensuring that the city has a policy for public access.

Mayor Pro Tem Brown made the Mayor and Council aware of a citizen's concern regarding dog feces in the park area. She had acquired some quotes for disposable doggy bags. Nic Morrison with Public Works reassured the Mayor and Council that he had checked the park and did not observe a concern. Additionally, no complaints had been filed with the clerks.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Amanda McCurdy

APPROVED:

BETTY BRADLEY, MAYOR