

**STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF ETOWAH**

CITY OF RAINBOW CITY-COUNCIL MEETING-FEBRUARY 25, 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 Anita Bedwell. Mayor Calhoun led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

1. Mayor Calhoun presented the minutes of regular Council meeting of February 11, 2019 for review, and asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions. There being none, Rick Hill 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 presented Resolution 19-04 which supports an increase in the State Motor Fuel Tax. Resolution died for lack of a motion.
3. Mayor Calhoun presented the specs to replace the roof at the Rainbow City Municipal Building. Bids will be opened at 4:30 p.m. in Council Chambers on March 25, 2019. Rodney Prickett moved and Larry Keenum 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 to purchase a 2012 Freightliner truck Model Cascadia 125 VIN# 8492 for the Street Department from Ryder Used Vehicle Sales for \$35,095.00. Larry Keenum moved and Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
5. Mayor Calhoun asked that the records show that the 2017 Chevrolet Silverado truck VIN# 1631 sold on GovDeals for \$31,223.00.
6. Mayor Calhoun presented the ecological survey for the Industrial Park on Lumley Road for it to be listed as an "AdvantageSite". Rainbow City is not moving forward with this application.
7. Mayor Calhoun presented a request to rebid the portable toilets (7) in the Recreation Dept. as the current bid has expired. Bids will be opened at 4:30 p.m. in Council Chambers on March 11, 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.
8. Mayor Calhoun presented a quote from Regina Terrell to pressure wash and paint the Rainbow at the entrance of the Industrial Park on Hwy. 77 for \$2,385.00. Anita Bedwell moved and Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
9. Mayor Calhoun presented the two (2) non-working surplus items in the Police/Detective Division. Rick Hill moved and Anita Bedwell seconded the motion to dispose of these items. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

10. Mayor Calhoun discussed the proposed SB23 sponsored by Alabama Senator Chris Elliott and how it could impact Police and Fire protection and other services to county citizens in our City.
11. Rodney Prickett moved to post one (1) full-time position to help in the Recycling Program for 10 days. Rick Hill seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
12. State Representative Craig Lipscomb was recognized and updated the Mayor and Council about a new bridge between Rainbow City and Southside and turn lane from Lumley Road to Hwy. 77. Discussion followed.
13. Rick Hill moved to purchase a new truck for the Police Dept. from the State bid list. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
14. Rick Hill moved to surplus the 2005 Fleetwood 30' travel trailer Serial # 8733 used as a command post in the Police Dept. with a reserve of \$2,500.00. Sealed bids will be opened at 4:30 p.m. on March 11, 2019. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
15. Rick Hill moved to surplus a Dodge Charger VIN# 7621, fully equipped with a reserve of \$3,500.00 and take sealed bids to be opened at 4:30 on March 11, 2019. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

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

Time Adjourned: 5:30 p.m.

Beth Lee, City Clerk/Treasurer

Terry John Calhoun, Mayor