

**STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF ETOWAH**

**CITY OF RAINBOW CITY-COUNCIL MEETING-SEPTEMBER 28, 2020**

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 Larry Keenum. Mayor Calhoun led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

1. Mayor Calhoun presented the minutes of regular Council meeting of September 14, 2020 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 Resolution No. 20-12 Personnel Manual was tabled at Council meeting of September 14, 2020 and asked the Council what they would like to do. Anita Bedwell made a motion to table Resolution No. 20-12 Personnel Manual. 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	Yes
Mayor Calhoun	Yes

Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

3. Mayor Calhoun asked that the records show Carla Phillips, Revenue Clerk, started work Friday, September 11, 2020 and that Holman Heating & Cooling was low bidder (\$14,840.00) for the air purifiers for City Hall, Community Center, Library, Recreation Center, and Fire Station II. Anita Bedwell made a motion for the records to reflect this. 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 accept sealed bids for 23-Ballastic Helmets and 23-Face Shields for the Police Dept. to be opened at 4:30 p.m. on Monday, October 12, 2020. Rodney Prickett moved and Rick Hill seconded the motion for the sealed bids. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
5. Mayor Calhoun had a request to hire Michael Stanley Reaves as a Certified Police Officer at \$14.50/hr. with family coverage insurance. His start date is contingent on his notice with his current employer. Rick Hill made a motion to hire Michael Reaves. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
6. Mayor Calhoun presented a resignation from Kaci Staton, Dispatcher, effective Sunday, October 11, 2020 and to post a dispatcher position for ten (10) days to end on Thursday, October 8, 2020. Anita Bedwell made a motion to accept the resignation and for the dispatch posting. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.

7. Mayor Calhoun presented the surplus items (3-Zoll Defibrillators and batteries) from the Fire Dept. Chief Potter recommended donating these to the Steele Fire Dept. Anita Bedwell made a motion to surplus the items on GovDeals with a \$10,000 reserve on each defibrillator with three (3) batteries. The charger will bid separately. Rick Hill seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
8. Rodney Prickett made a motion to install brick columns at the VLMSC trailhead for \$2,200.00 and contract with Mike Erwin. Anita Bedwell seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
9. Rick Hill made a motion to reduce the speed limit at the dangerous curve on Lumley Road to 20 miles per hour and asked that the Clerk prepare an ordinance to that effect for Monday, October 12, 2020 Council meeting. Rodney Prickett seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
10. Anita Bedwell made a motion for the Clerk to give an employee census to Sun Life representative Luther Riley to negotiate lower rates for AD&D and Life Insurance. This insurance is provided by the City to all full-time employees. Larry Keenum seconded the motion. Mayor Calhoun stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Calhoun declared the motion carried.
11. Mayor Calhoun announced he received an email from Rep. Robert Aderholt's office stating that Phase II (construction completion) for the Horton Creek Drainage Project was approved on September 14, 2020. This award will be included in the sub-application reconciliation that will be coming this week and they anticipated the funds will be awarded in early 2021.

**Announcements:**

- September 29, 2020 – ALDOT meeting to discuss turn lane from Hwy. 77 to Lumley Road
- October 1, 2020 – Last day to apply for a regular absentee ballot
- October 1, 2020 – 10:00 a.m. Public Test of Voting Machines at the RBC Community Center
- October 5, 2020 – Last day for hand-delivery of absentee ballots
- October 6, 2020 – Run-off Election
- October 13, 2020 – Canvass run-off election (12:00 Noon)

There being no further business to come before the Council, Anita Bedwell made a motion to adjourn. Time Adjourned: 5:11 p.m.

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Terry John Calhoun, Mayor

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Beth Lee, City Clerk/Treasurer

**Zoll X Series Monitors (Defibrillators)**

**R1-020 Serial# AR16H020911 Dollar amount \$22,000 (Replacement Value)**

**E1-038 Serial# AR16H020961 Dollar amount \$22,000 (Replacement Value)**

**E2-032 Serial# AR16H020946 Dollar amount \$22,000 (Replacement Value)**

**Charger Serial# AC09I00409**

**Batteries:**

**AJ16HAS1080**

**AJ16HAS1042**

**AJ16HAS1043**

**AJ16HAS1062**

**AJ16HAS1072**

**AJ16HAS1050**

**AJ16HAS1055**

**AJ16HAS1035**

**AJ16HAS1070**