

NOVEMBER 21, 2022
5:30 PM
LAKE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
406 COURT ST
LAKE CITY, AR

A regular council meeting of the Lake City Council was brought to order at 5:30 pm by the honorable Mayor Cameron Tate.

The meeting was opened with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The roll having been called and the following councilmembers answered to their names: BRENDA HUTCHESON, TOMMY EAKINS, HARMONY CASH, JAKE EMERY, DANNY DUNIGAN. Kate Wells was absent. The meeting continued with the above members and the City Clerk Lisa Sitz present. (5/0).

GUESTS: Daniel Haynes, Jay Davis, Jason Sitz, Micah Maynard, Chad & Valarie Moody, Bryan Wells, Lana Tate.

A motion by Councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Eakins to amend the minutes from the last council meeting. Terry Fitzgerald, volunteer fireman was to be given a \$50.00 end of year bonus and the City Clerk inadvertently posted the wrong amount. The minutes have been corrected. Motion passed (5/0).

A motion by councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Emery to approve the minutes as stated. Motion passed (5/0).

Mayor Tate discussed the financial statements and the liabilities of the City.

A motion by Councilmember Hutcheson and seconded by Councilmember Cash to approve Resolution No. 2022-11-21, A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE WILLINGNESS OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY TO UTILIZE STATE AID STREET MONIES FOR THE FOLLOWING CITY PROJECT, Lake City overlay. Motion passed (5/0).

A motion by Councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Eakins to accept the 2023 proposed budget. Motion passed (5/0).

A motion by Councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Cash to allow Mayor Cameron Tate to remove Chad Moody from the Planning & Zoning Committee. Motion passed (5/0).

Mayor Tate discussed with the council about the city employee raises for 2023. After discussion, a motion was made by Councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Eakins to add \$1000.00 to the base salary and one step of \$1250.00 for a total of \$2250 for city employee raises for 2023. Motion passed (5/0).

A motion by Councilmember Dunigan and seconded by Councilmember Cash to add the same base plus one step to the administration. Motion passed (5/0).

Next Council meeting will be December 13, 2022 at 5:30 pm

At 6:00pm, a motion was made by Councilmember Eakins and seconded by Councilmember Hutcheson to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously.

CAMERON TATE, MAYOR

LISA SITZ, CITY CLERK/TREASURER