Council Minutes

June 15, 2023

Regular Meeting

The Pinson City Council met in regular session at Pinson City Hall at 4410 Main Street, Pinson, on Thursday, June 15, 2023. Councilor Roberts led the invocation. Councilor Walker led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts appointed Jaqualyn Williams as Acting City Clerk.

**Roll Call:** Jaqualyn Williams, Acting City Clerk, called roll of Pinson City Council with the following members present:

Councilor Irvin

Councilor Walker

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts

Councilor Churchwell

Councilor Kirkland

**Absent:**

Mayor Cochran

**Minutes:** Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to waive the reading of and approve the minutes from June 1, 2023. Councilor Walker duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

**Committee Chair Reports:**

**Finance:** Councilor Irvin offered a motion to approve the bills in the amount of $81,987.47. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Highlights on the bills include moving the gate at Turkey Creek in the amount of $16,000, fixing the air unit at City Hall in the amount of $13,000, and library supplies in the amount of $4,000. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

**Enhancements:** Councilor Irvin announced Movies at the Rock will take place June 24, 2023, and will begin at 7:00 p.m. Councilor Irvin mentioned the movie will be Remember the Titans.

**New Business:** Councilor Churchwell offered a motion to approve Butterbean Festival Support to the Clay-Pinson Chamber of Commerce in the amount of $10,000. Councilor Walker duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts announced Ronnie Dixon will be at the council meeting next month with updates.

Councilor Walker offered a motion to approve a supplemental pay to Mr. Turner, Pinson Valley High School Principal, in the amount of $40,000. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

Councilor Kirkland offered a Resolution to appoint Rosy Martin to the Pinson Public Library Board until March 31, 2027. Councilor Walker duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a roll call vote for unanimous consent to consider with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect unanimous consent passes.”** Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a roll call vote on the main Resolution with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect that passes as Resolution 23-12.”**

**Public Comment:** Mayor Pro Tem Roberts opened the floor for public comment.

Seeing none, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a motion to adjourn. Councilor Walker offered a motion to adjourn. Councilor Churchwell duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry and we are adjourned.”**

Adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jaqualyn Williams, Acting City Clerk