

Council Minutes
March 21, 2024
Regular Meeting

The Pinson City Council met in regular session at Pinson City Hall at 4410 Main Street, Pinson, on Thursday, March 21, 2024. Councilor Roberts led the invocation. Councilor Roberts led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Roll Call: Marie Turner, City Clerk, called roll of Pinson City Council with the following members present:

Councilor Walker
Mayor Pro Tem Roberts
Councilor Churchwell
Councilor Kirkland
Mayor Cochran

Absent:
Councilor Irvin

Minutes: Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to waive the reading of and approve the minutes from March 7, 2024. 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 Walker offered a motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$81,163.71. 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."**

Enhancements:

Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to approve funds for CityFest 20th Year Anniversary with a Cake and 8-minute Firework Show for \$11,000. Motion failed due to lack of 2nd. Councilor Kirkland offered a motion for the 12-minute Fire Work Show for \$15,000 but amended to \$17,000 to include funds for advertising. 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."**

Annexations:

Councilor Churchwell offered a motion to annex the property of 7416 Helms Circle into the City. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro-Tem Roberts called for unanimous

consent to consider with the following results: Councilor Walker- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- 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 Ordinance with the following results: Councilor Walker- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the motion passes unanimously as , Ordinance 2024-02.”**

New Business:

Councilor Walker offered a motion to purchase carpet in the Rock School in the amount of 11,772.00. Mayor Cochran duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts suspended the rules Eric Winfrey spoke about poles adding \$2,000.00. Rules were reinstated. Councilor Walker amended his motion to the amount of \$14,000.00 Mayor Cochran 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 Cochran offered a motion to purchase 20-year banners at the cost of \$3,500.00 for 30 banners. 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.”**

Councilor Walker offered a motion to approve the SRO Conference in the amount of \$2570.90 Councilor Churchwell duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for unanimous consent with the following results: Councilor Walker- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect unanimous consent passes.”**

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a roll call vote to with the following results: Councilor Walker- yes, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the motion passes unanimously.”**

Councilor Walker offered a motion to appoint the ALM Voting Delegates as Brad Walker; 1st Alternate John Churchwell; 2nd Alternate Glenda Kirkland. 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.”**

Public Comment:

Dawn Tanner, 7800 Ware Drive Pinson, Al 35126
Invited the city out to the Cochran Alumni Softball Game for ALS on Saturday, March 23rd, at 12pm at Pinson High School Softball Field

Chris Horn -CPFD gave the CPF District Report

Paula Chandler, 4397 Main Street Pinson, AL 35126
Had questions regarding her garbage bill and trash pickup.

Chris Sharit- Public Safety Tornado Shelters available on Bradford-Trafford Road and Miles Spring Road.

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilor Walker offered a motion to adjourn. 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 and we are adjourned".**

Adjourned at 7:35 p.m.
Respectfully submitted,
Marie Turner City Clerk

Bills 3/21/2024**Alabama Power**

Regions

Birmingham Water Works

City Hall

Library

Community Center

Bradford Soccer Field

PHCC

Bicentennial Park

Innsbrooke

Pinson Sports Complex

Faucett House

Powell Ave House

Triangle Park

First Net

Old Republic Surety Group

Seay Construction Inc

Green Co Landscapes

Library

Bicentennial Park

Bradford Soccer Field

City Hall

Softball Field

Triangle Park

Sports Complex

Rock School

Public Work

Public Work

Faucett House

Rock School

Uline

Airgas

Latta Plumbing

Hemphill Service

Greater Birmingham Humane Society

Subsurface Imaging Solutions

Jefferson County Dept of Health

O' Reilly First Call

Jefferson County Sheriff Department

Waste Management

Prestige Monitoring

Precision Graphics

Verizon Connect

BSN Sports

Trussville Gas & Water

Sports Complex

Bicentennial Park

City Hall

Community Center

Bicentennial Park

Powell Ave House

Rock School

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Library

Alabama Nature Center

Ingram

Ameritek

Dell Financial

Tmobile

LockCorp

Alabama Power (7/2)**Total:****\$162.25**

\$15,541.84

\$37.16

\$2,409.20

\$142.39

\$28.25

\$206.84

\$392.65

\$28.25

\$169.15

\$66.75

\$28.25

\$28.25

\$692.23

\$700.00

\$7,483.00

\$909.95

\$1,093.68

\$99.34

\$206.17

\$189.19

\$1,083.76

\$225.75

\$486.00

\$39.63

\$150.00

\$79.00

\$769.64

\$1,800.00

\$150.00

\$113.94

\$35,749.99

\$388.19

\$288.00

\$84.00

\$304.00

\$1,145.00

\$255.00

\$102.96

\$179.36

\$140.41

\$685.36

\$310.34

\$4,290.25

\$160.79

\$302.17

\$744.57

\$497.50

\$23.31**\$81,163.71****Account Balances @02/29/2024:**

Regions Gen. Fund \$2,517,447.43

Regions MM Cap. Fund \$144,421.72

Regions Merchant Acct \$54,273.42

Hometown Library Fund \$2,859.16

Hometown 4-5-6 \$426,010.97

Hometown 7-2 \$86,188.10

Hometown Misc. Road \$103,752.05

Hometown 10 cent tax \$88,831.61

Hometown Saving Acct \$578,549.70