



City of Lanett Meeting Minutes City Council

401 N. Lanier Ave.
Lanett, AL 36863

Monday, November 2, 2020
Chambers

6:00 PM

Council

Organizational/Regular Session -

The City Council of the City of Lanett, Alabama, met in organizational session on Monday, November 2, 2020, in the Council Chambers of the Lanett Municipal Complex at 6:00 P.M.

Deborah Gilbert welcomed everybody.

The floor was turned over to Chambers County Attorney Skip McCoy to administer the Oath of Office for Mayor Elect Kyle McCoy and Council-members Elect Tony Malone, Jamie Heard, Charles Looser, Angelia Thomas and Tifton Dobbs.

Mayor McCoy called the meeting to order.

Reverend Rodney Jones gave the invocation and Mayor McCoy led the pledge of allegiance.

A motion was made by Tony Malone to adopt Resolution 11-16-01 The Election of Mayor Pro-Tem and Fixing of the term of office. It was motioned that Tony Malone would serve 10 months in this position, followed by council members Heard, Looser and Thomas, all serving 10 months. After which council member Dobbs would serve for 8 months. The motion was seconded by council member Thomas. Motion unanimously carried.

Mayor McCoy made the appointment of City Attorney as Stanley Gray. Attorney McCoy administered the Oath of Office to Attorney Gray.

Council member Looser made a motion to hire Deborah Gilbert as City Clerk/Treasurer. Council member Malone seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Oath of Office was administered to Gilbert by Attorney Skip McCoy.

Mayor McCoy made the announcement of Standing Committee Appointments. They are as follows: **Finance, Personnel, License and Insurance** - Councilmember Charles Looser, Chairman, Councilmember Jamie Heard and Mayor McCoy. **Police and School**

- Councilmember Jamie Heard Chairman, Councilmember Tony Malone and Mayor McCoy. **Lights and Gas** - Councilmember Angelia Thomas Chairman, Councilmember Tifton Dobbs and Mayor McCoy. **Streets, Sewer, Cemetery, Building and Grounds** - Councilmember Tifton Dobbs Chairman, Councilmember Charles Looser and Mayor McCoy. **Fire, Emergency Medical Services and Recreation** - Councilmember Tony Malone Chairman, Councilmember Angelia Thomas and Mayor McCoy.

Council member Heard made a motion to hire Johnny Wood as Police Chief. Council member Dobbs made a second to this motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Oath of Office was administered to Wood by Attorney Skip McCoy.

Council member Malone made a motion to hire Johnny Allen as Fire/EMS Chief. Council member Heard made a second to this motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Oath of Office was administered to Allen by Attorney Skip McCoy.

Mayor McCoy appointed Tony Chandler as Superintendent of Utilities.

Attorney McCoy administered the Oath of Office to Chandler.

A motion was made by Tifton Dobbs to adopt **Resolution 11-20-02** Adopting Roberts Rules of Order. Council member Thomas seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

Under New Business Mayor Kyle McCoy asked for a motion for Approval of the minutes from the October 19th meeting. Council member Malone made the motion while Council member Heard seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

Council member Heard made the motion to approve the Invoices as submitted by the Clerk/Treasurer and Council member Looser seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried. Mrs. Thomas questioned the vehicle on the invoice list. Mayor McCoy stated that this vehicle was for the airport.

Mayor McCoy welcomed Mr. Dobbs to the council, telling him that he had some big shoes to fill in replacing Shirley Motley. He congratulated the rest of the council and being reelected without opposition. McCoy stated that our next meeting would be on November 16th and would follow a work session that would start at 5:30 p.m.

Mayor McCoy entertained a motion to adjourn the council meeting and announced that the school board swearing in would follow.

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School Board Swearing In -

Reverend Rodney Jones gave the invocation and Mayor McCoy led the pledge of allegiance.

Superintendent Jennifer Boyd welcomed everyone.

Attorney McCoy administered the Oath of Office to Lanett City School Board of Education to members Gwen Harris-Brooks, Katie Walton, David Gagnon and Gail Holley.

Tony Edmondson was absent.

Superintendent Jennifer Boyd congratulated each of them and adjourned the meeting.

Attest:

Kyle McCoy, Mayor

Deborah Gilbert, City Clerk/Treasurer