

City of Lanett Meeting Minutes

401 N. Lanier Ave.
Lanett, AL 36863

Tuesday, January 18, 2022

6:00 PM

Lanett Council Chambers

Regular Session -

The City Council of the City of Lanett, Alabama, met in regular session on Tuesday, January 18, 2022, in the Council Chambers of the Lanett Municipal Complex at 6:00 P.M.

Council members present were Tony Malone, Tamalita Autry, Charles Looser and Tifton Dobbs. Mayor Heard presided over the meeting.

Rev. Rodney Jones said the invocation and Mayor Heard led the pledge of allegiance.

Councilmember Malone made the motion to adopt the prepared agenda. Councilmember Dobbs seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

Councilmember Malone made the motion to approve the minutes of the January 3, 2022 Council Meeting. Councilmember Autry seconded the motion. Motion unanimously carried.

A Proclamation was presented to Caden Story, Lanett High School Student who recently was named Alabama Class 2A Lineman of the Year. The proclamation was presented by Mayor Heard.

Approval of Invoices was motioned by Councilmember Dobbs and seconded by Councilmember Malone. Motion unanimously carried.

Resolution 01-22-02 a resolution to accept bid from Peach State Roofing for roofing at Lanett City Hall was put into motion by Councilmember Dobbs and seconded by Councilmember Malone. Motion unanimously carried.

Resolution 01-22-03 a resolution to agreement with Alabama Department Transportation for installation, maintenance and operations of lights and traffic control signals at U.S. 29 and I-85 Southbound from Moore's Creek to the state-line was put into motion by Councilmember Malone and seconded by Councilmember Dobbs. Motion unanimously carried.

City Council gave approval of Retail Beer (Off Premises Only) and Retail Table Wine (Off premises Only) License Transfer from Moe All in One Stop Inc to Jaymi LLC (Raceway 6860)

2303 S Broad Avenue, Lanett, Alabama. Looser and Dobbs motioned and seconded. Malone asked questions for clarity on the transfer process.

City Council gave approval of Lounge Retail Liquor Class II Package, Tobacco Only License Application for Abernathy (Jason) 1534 S. 8th Avenue, Lanett, Alabama. Looser and Autry motioned and seconded. Code Enforcement Officer Teddy Morris explained that he would be doing lawn mower repairs and selling off premises tobacco and alcohol.

Mayor Heard explained that he and the City Clerk had recently met with representatives of the Municipal Gas Authority of Georgia. He then introduced Gene Taylor (compliance) and Bryan Smith (budgets and rates) from the authority. They explained the services that their company offers, these being necessary to the city either having a city employee do it or this company, who the city already purchases gas from.

Mayor Heard asked for a motion to approve the hiring of MGAG for this service. It was put in motion by Councilmember Looser and seconded by Councilmember Thomas. Motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Malone had no committee report. He congratulated Caden Story and his parents.

Councilwoman Autry had no committee report. She too thanked and congratulated the Story Family for Caden's accomplishment as well as Mrs. Story being named Teacher of the Year.

Councilman Looser had no committee report. He congratulated the Story family citing that it's a family affair.

Councilwoman Thomas was absent.

Councilman Dobbs had no committee report. He congratulated Story stating that he was his nephew.

Mayor Heard also congratulated the Story family stating that they had been students of his when he was in the school system. He reminded the citizens of the Garbage, Sewage and Non-Operable Vehicle Ordinances and stated that his goal is to clean the entire city and these 3 ordinances will be strictly enforced with possible citations and fines.

A motion was made to go into Executive Session by Councilmember Malone and seconded by Councilmember Dobbs. A Roll Call vote was taken with the following results: Malone = Yes, Autry = Yes, Dobbs = Yes, Looser = Yes, Heard = Yes.

Mayor Heard announced that a Work Session would be held Monday, January 24th at 6:00.

After coming out of Executive Session Mayor Heard asked for a motion to dismiss.

Mayor Heard stated that there being no further business to come before this council, motion duly made, the meeting adjourned.

Attest:

Jamie L. Heard, Mayor

Deborah Gilbert, City Clerk/Treasurer