



Minutes of the City of Calera Council Meeting – March 5, 2018

The Council of the City of Calera met in the Council Chambers of the City Hall at 7901 Highway 31 on Monday, March 5, 2018 at 6:30 p.m., in a regular meeting. Mayor Graham presiding.

Mayor and Council Members Present:

Jon G. Graham, Mayor
David Bradshaw, Council Member
Chris Bunn, Council Member
Philip Busby, Council Member
Ernest Montgomery, Council Member
Kay Snowden Turner, Council Member
Alan Watts, Council Member

Department Heads Present:

Reggie Darden, Building Official
Kelly Ellison, Finance Director
Seth Gandy, Park and Recreation Director
Sean Kendrick, Fire Chief
Sean Lemley, Police Chief
Chris Pappas, City Engineer
Alison Powers, Library Director
Doug Smedley, Sewer Operations Director
Matt Worthen, IT Services Manager

Absent:

N/A

Guests:

Arianne Turner, Markus Snowden, Bill Davis, David Comer and Harold Cole

Mayor Graham called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Word of Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance:

Jason Jarvis opened the meeting with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes:

Council Member Turner made a motion to approve and dispense with the reading of the following minutes:

Regular Meeting – February 19, 2018
Work Session – February 19, 2018

Council Member Bradshaw seconded said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Graham, Bradshaw, Bunn, Busby, Montgomery, Turner, Watts
NAYS: None

Motion Passed

REPORTS OF DEPARTMENT HEADS:

N/A

COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS:

Council Member Turner requested an update on The National Center for Fire and Life Safety.

Council Member Bunn reported stop signs in Waterford Subdivision are fading and are in need of replacing.

MAYOR REPORT:

Mayor Graham advised the city is still in discussion with The National Center for Fire and Life Safety. Kelly Ellison, Finance Director met with Russell Jackson and reviewed proposals from the following cities: Pelham, Hoover and Alabaster. The National Center for Fire and Life Safety will be locating closer to Birmingham, not Calera. However, an official announcement has not been made.

Mayor Graham will request Johnny Humphries, Street Superintendent look at the stop signs in Waterford Subdivision.

OLD BUSINESS:

N/A

NEW BUSINESS:

N/A

Council Member Busby made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:37 p.m.

Approved this 19th day of March, 2018.

Jon G. Graham, Mayor

ATTEST:

Connie B. Payton, City Clerk