



**Regular City Council Meeting and Work Session
Council Chambers — 7901 Highway 31 Calera, Alabama**

April 20, 2026

Council Work Session Time 6:00 PM

Council Meeting Time 6:30 PM

Department Head Meeting Time: 4:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER - WORK SESSION / PRE-COUNCIL 6:00 PM

City Attorney

Grace Graham

Mayor's Report

Kenny Dale Cost, Mayor

Council President's Report

Drew Bradshaw

Council Member Reports

Chris Bunn, Councilmember

Debbie Byers, Council President Pro Tem

Henry Davis, Councilmember

Calvin Morgan, Councilmember

Kay Snowden Turner, Councilmember

CALL TO ORDER (REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING 6:30 PM)

Word of Prayer & Pledge of Allegiance

Dr. Jason Jarvis, Pastor

Calera Baptist Church

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

Minutes from April 6th, 2026 Work Session and Meeting

Old Business

New Business

Board of Adjustments Appointment

Candace Roberson

Proclamation

Recognizing April as National Donate Life Month
Legacy of Hope Organization

Resolution No. 2026-21

A Resolution Authorizing Legal Counsel to Initiate Litigation to Remove Nuisance

Resolution No. 2026-22

Resolution Authorizing Chief Kendrick to execute a purchase proposal agreement with Sutphen for a Heavy Custom Pumper Fire Truck

Resolution No. 2026-23

Resolution Declaring Certain IT Property Surplus and Authorizing Disposal

Public Hearing

Ordinance No. 2026-03

City of Calera, Alabama seeks to amend Article II of the Ordinance Code of the City of Calera, Alabama and City of Calera Ordinance No. 2013-06 pertaining to the levy and collection of Sales and Use Taxes (excluding food)

Public Hearing

Ordinance No. 2026-05

City of Calera, Alabama seeks to amend Article XI of the Ordinance Code of the City of Calera, Alabama and the City of Calera Ordinance No. 2004-25 pertaining to the levy and collection of Leasing and Rental Tax Rate, and Leasing and Rental of Linens Tax Rate

Guests:

Calera Main Street

Public Comments

Motion to Adjourn - Time



Minutes of the City of Calera City Council Meeting

The Council of the City of Calera met in the Council Chambers of the City Hall at 7901 Highway 31 on April 6, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. in a regular meeting. Council President Drew Bradshaw presiding.

CALL TO ORDER- DEPARTMENT HEAD MEETING/WORK SESSION/ PRE-COUNCIL

The Department Head meeting was called to order at 4:30 pm, Mayor Kenny Dale Cost presiding.

The Work Session was called to order at 6:00 pm with Council President Drew Bradshaw presiding.

ROLL CALL

Kenny Dale Cost, Mayor

Councilmembers' Present:

Calvin Morgan, Council Member
Chris Bunn, Council Member
Debbie Byers, Council President Pro-Tem
Drew Bradshaw, Council President
Henry Davis, Council Member
Kay Snowden Turner, Council Member

Report of City Attorney- Grace Graham

Report of Department Heads

Tabitha Anderson, Henry Davis, Debbie Byers, Kay Snowden Turner, Kenny Dale Cost, Connor Elliott, David Hyche, Kevin Shirey, Drew Charcandy, Reggie Darden, Sean Kendrick, Kelly Ellison, Bill Hilyer, Chris Bunn, Drew Bradshaw, Calvin Morgan, Roger Smith, and Stacy Walkup

Mayor Report

Kenny Dale Cost

Report of Council Members

Drew Bradshaw, Council President
Debbie Byers, Council President Pro-Tem

Henry Davis, Council Member
Calvin Morgan, Council Member
Chris Bunn, Council Member
Kay Snowden Turner, Council Member

CALL TO ORDER REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

The Regular City Council Meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM with Drew Bradshaw presiding.

Word of Prayer & Pledge of Allegiance

Pastor Michael Jones, New Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church

Agenda

Councilmember Byers made a motion to amend the agenda by adding Calera Varsity Basketball Team and Cara Stallman/Grant Updates, seconded by Councilmember Turner and the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Agenda

Councilmember Byers made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Councilmember Turner and the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Grant Updates

Cara Stallman

Approval of Minutes

Regular Meeting on March 23, 2026

Work Session- March 23, 2026

Councilmember Byers made a motion to dispense of the reading of the minutes and to approve the minutes, seconded by Councilmember Turner.

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Old Business

New Business

Historical Board Member Appointment

Alisha R. Anderson

Councilmember Turner made a motion to accept the mayor's appointment of Alisha R. Anderson to the Historical Board, seconded by Councilmember Morgan.

AYES: Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

ABSTAIN: Bradshaw

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Police Chief David Hyché

Swearing in Ceremony for Officer Joseph Smitherman

Proclamation

Recognizing April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM)
Safe House

Councilmember Byers made a motion to approve the Proclamation recognizing April 2026 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month, seconded by Bunn.

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Proclamation

Recognizing April as Child Abuse Prevention Month
Owens House (Child Advocacy Center for Shelby County)

Councilmember Turner made a motion to approve the Proclamation recognizing April 2026 as Child Abuse Prevention Month, seconded by Morgan.

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Resolution 2026-20

Resolution Supporting the United States Semi-Quincentennial

Councilmember Byers made a motion to adopt Resolution R-2026-20 a resolution for supporting the United States Semi-Quincentennial, seconded by Davis.

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Public Hearing

Resolution 2026-19

Resolution Authorizing the Submission of a program year 2026 CDBG Grant to the Shelby County Commission to Construct Water Improvements

President Bradshaw opened the Public Hearing. There were no comments.

Councilmember Morgan made a motion to adopt Resolution R-2026-19 authorizing the submission of a program year 2026 CDBG Grant to the Shelby County Commission to Construct Water Improvements, seconded by Councilmember Turner.

AYES: Bradshaw, Byers, Davis, Bunn, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Ordinance No. 2026-02

Annexation Request Phillip and Vicky Barreras
204 Doyle Drive Montevallo Al 35115

Council Member Byers moved that unanimous consent from the Council be given for immediate action upon Ordinance No. 2026-02 to annex into Calera 204 Doyle Drive. Council Member Bunn second said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Bunn, Byers, Davis, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion for unanimous consent passed

Council President declared said motion carried and unanimous consent given for the consideration of said Ordinance.

Council Member Morgan moved that Ordinance No. 2026-02 be adopted. Council Member Turner second said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Bunn, Byers, Davis, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2026-02 passed.

Ordinance No. 2026-06

Annexation Request Phillip Barreras
209 Doyle Drive Montevallo AI 35115

Council Member Bunn moved that unanimous consent from the Council be given for immediate action upon Ordinance No. 2026-06 to annex into Calera 209 Doyle Drive. Council Member Morgan seconded said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Bunn, Byers, Davis, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion for unanimous consent passed

Council President declared said motion carried and unanimous consent given for the consideration of said Ordinance.

Council Member Byers moved that Ordinance No. 2026-06 be adopted. Council Member Davis second said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Bunn, Byers, Davis, Morgan, Turner

NAYS: None

Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2026-06 passed.

Public Hearing

Ordinance No. 2026-03- 1st Reading

City of Calera, Alabama seeks to amend Article II of the Ordinance Code of the City of Calera, Alabama and City of Calera Ordinance No. 2013-06 pertaining to the levy and collection of Sales and Use Taxes (excluding food)

President Bradshaw opened the Public Hearing. Public Comments by Rosetta Bean, Byron Devinner, and David Morgan

Public Hearing

Ordinance No. 2026-05- 1st Reading

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President Bradshaw opened the Public Hearing. No public comments

Executive Session

Council President Bradshaw announced the Council will move into executive session for discussion regarding the purchase of real property; good name and character and a litigation matter and will reconvene at 8:45 pm

Council reconvened at 8:27 pm

Councilmember Morgan made a motion to accept the mayor’s recommendation for termination and decline the recommendation of the grievance committee; seconded by Bunn.

AYES: Byers, Bunn, Morgan, Turner, Bradshaw

ABSTAIN: Davis

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

Guests:

Main Street

Andrew Gunn, Candidate for Superintendent of Education

David Morgan, Candidate for State Representative

Ben Fuller, Candidate for District Judge

Mark Wilson, Candidate for District Judge

Byron Devinner

Motion to Adjourn- Time

Council Member Byers made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Bunn at 8:28 pm

Kenny Dale Cost, Mayor

Drew Bradshaw, Council President

ATTEST:

Stacy Walkup, City Clerk



National Donate Life Month Proclamation

By becoming an organ, eye, and tissue donor, one individual can save and heal the lives of more than seventy-five people. During National Donate Life Month, we honor the compassion and generosity of registered donors, donor families, and living donors; we recognize the commitment of medical professionals, researchers, national partners, and all those who work tirelessly to save and heal lives through donation and transplantation.

Whereas, more than 100,000 Americans and nearly 1,200 Alabamians are currently on the national transplant waiting list.

Whereas, another person is added to the waiting list every eight minutes, and, on average, thirteen people die each day while waiting for a lifesaving organ transplant.

Whereas, the most effective way to address this health crisis is to educate and to encourage citizens to commit to the following actions: register your decision to be an organ, eye, and tissue donor at legacyofhope.org or at your local DMV and learn more about living donation at DonateLife.net.

Whereas, the Kenny Dale Cost, Mayor of The City of Calera feels that the Donate Life cause of saving and healing lives through organ, eye, and tissue donation is of such immediate and worthwhile importance that,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Kenny Dale Cost with and on behalf of The City of Calera do Proclaim that Calera Alabama observes:

April as National Donate Life Month

I encourage all residents to register their decision to be an organ, eye, and tissue donor at legacyofhope.org or at your local Alabama DMV or local licensing organization.

Mayor Kenny Dale Cost

Drew Bradshaw, President

Attest:

Stacy Walkup, City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. R-2026-22

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FIRE CHIEF TO EXECUTE A
PURCHASE PROPOSAL AGREEMENT**

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Calera, Alabama, that the Fire Chief is hereby authorized to execute a purchase proposal agreement with Sutphen for the purchase of One (1) Sutphen Heavy Custom Pumper matching HS-8177 Fire Truck in an amount not to exceed \$1,088,977.92. The apparatus and equipment being purchased hereunder shall be completed within approximately 34-36 months after Sutphen's receipt and approval of Purchaser's acceptance of the purchase proposal agreement

Thereupon, Council Member _____ made a motion to adopt Resolution No. R-2026-22.

Council Member _____ seconded said motion, and said Resolution passed by a majority vote of all members of the Council present, and the Council President declared the same passed and adopted.

ADOPTED this ___ day of _____, 2026.

Drew Bradshaw, Council President

Kenny Dale Cost, Mayor

ATTESTED BY:

Stacy Walkup, City Clerk/Treasurer

Asset Tag ID	Description	Purchase Date	Date Disposed	Dispose to
0554	HP Prodesk 400 G3 Desktop Mini	11/08/2018	02/05/2025	Dump
0555	HP 260 G2 Desktop Mini	11/08/2018	04/14/2025	Dump
0556	HP ProBook 4440s Laptop	05/17/2021	07/28/2025	Dump
0558	HP Prodesk 400 G3 Desktop Mini	12/10/2019	08/11/2025	Dump
0559	HP Prodesk 600 G1 Desktop Mini	03/13/2019	08/11/2025	Dump
0563	HP Prodesk 400 G3 Desktop	08/13/2019	08/11/2025	Dump
0569	HP Elite Desk 705 SF	08/13/2019	08/11/2025	Dump
0570	HP Compaq Pro 6300 SFF	11/01/2018	08/11/2025	Dump
0571	Panasonic CF-54-2 Laptop	11/08/2018	08/11/2025	Dump
0572	HP Probook 450 G5 Laptop	08/13/2019	08/11/2025	Dump
0573	HP Elite Desk 800 G1	06/08/2020	08/11/2025	Dump
0576	HP Prodesk 600 G2 Desktop Mini	06/08/2020	08/20/2025	Dump
0579	XPS13 7390	12/10/2019	08/27/2025	Dump
0581	Dell Optiplex 3070	11/18/2019	09/08/2025	Dump
0584	Dell Optiplex 3070	09/04/2019	09/08/2025	Dump
0585	Dell Optiplex 3070	04/29/2020	09/10/2025	Dump
0590	Latitude 5500 Laptop	11/18/2019	11/18/2025	Dump
0593	Dell Precision 7810 Tower	12/10/2019	11/18/2025	Dump
0594	HP Probook 450 G3 Laptop	12/10/2019	11/26/2025	Dump
0603	Panasonic CF-53-Laptop	12/22/2016	12/01/2025	Dump
0604	Panasonic CF-53-Laptop	12/10/2019	12/01/2025	Dump
0611	Dell Optiplex 3070	01/19/2021	03/26/2026	Dump
0621	HP Elite Desk 705 G1	05/05/2022	04/13/2026	Dump
0622	HP Prodesk 400 G4 Desktop Business PC	10/17/2023	04/13/2026	Dump
100162	HP 260 G2 Desktop Mini	12/10/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
100175	HP Elite Desk 700 G1	09/04/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
100185	HP Compaq 6005	11/18/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
03DIS2021	HP 260 G2 Desktop Mini	11/18/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
P3145	Kycera (old senior center)	06/08/2020	04/13/2026	Dump
2F46715200020	NetGear Switch 24R4	08/13/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
HIDLUTJ7010	NEL BFS10124 Switch	08/13/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
7X0582116NA	NEC Swith U423	08/13/2019	04/13/2026	Dump
ToughBook	FS-9JTTC47437	11/08/2018	04/13/2026	Dump
ToughBook	FS-9JTTC07223	11/08/2018	04/13/2026	Dump