

CITY OF MOULTON
COUNCIL MEETING
October 15, 2018
5:00 PM

Present-Mayor Weatherwax

Brent White
Joyce Jeffreys
Cassandra Lee
Denise Lovett

Absent: Jason White

Mayor Weatherwax began meeting by asking the Council to dispense of the reading of the minutes for October 1 & October 8, 2018 and approve them. Motion was made by Brent White to this effect and seconded by Joyce Jeffreys.

Resolution #2018-008 was introduced by Mayor Weatherwax and explained that this was for the sidewalk project on Byler Road from Sommerville Ave to SR-157 TAPNU-TAPNU-TA18 by implementing this Resolution the City confirms its commitment to this project and agrees to the conditions set forth by this grant. Motion was made by Brent White and seconded by Cassandra Lee a roll call vote was taken with votes as Cassandra Lee – aye, Joyce Jeffreys – aye, Mayor Weatherwax – aye, Brent White – aye, and Denise Lovett – aye with not opposition the Resolution was adopted.

For several meetings now the Council has heard the information on helping to provide an SRO officer to the 3 Schools located in Moulton City Limits. Mayor Weatherwax recommended that the City help the Lawrence County Board of Education by utilizing the grant provided to pay for a part-time SRO officer in the amount of \$26,000.00 the City will commit to helping in this endeavor as long as grant monies are available to fund this position. Brent White made the motion to move forward in this matter and Denise Lovett seconded the motion.

Jackie Burch was present and presented the Council with the one bid that he had gotten for the Dugout project. Mr. Burch informed the Council that after receiving only one bid he spoke with contractor and renegotiated some things and the final price for 8 dugouts on the new ballfields is \$100,874.00 by Tennessee Valley Mechanical Inc. from Courtland, Alabama. Hearing the details of the project Brent White made the motion to accept this bid and proceed with this company to complete the dugouts. Denise Lovett seconded the motion.

Mayor Weatherwax spoke on the behalf of Mark Heflin the Superintendent of the Sewer Department his department is in need of a “Rock Box” to help in working on sewer projects

especially on roadways where it could be a hazard to have a dump truck blocking traffic. Cassandra Lee questioned if this was to replace a piece of equipment that was in need of repair or a new piece of equipment. The Mayor informed Council that the Sewer Department had not had a piece of equipment like this before. Joyce Jeffreys made the motion to approve this purchase and Denise Lovett seconded the motion.

The Fire Chief Ryan Jolly was present and presented the Council with information on his intentions to list internally for an Assistant Fire Chief for 1 week and then if no one is qualified it would be taken outside and should there be a promotion from within there would then be an opening for another fireman. Cassandra Lee made the motion for Mr. Jolly to proceed with the internal job posting and the motion was seconded by Joyce Jeffreys.

Request was submitted for Emily Farris to attend the Municipal Clerks Conference November 28-30, 2018 in Orange Beach, AL for Certification Training. Brent White made the motion for her to attend and the motion was seconded by Denise Lovett.

With no further business Denise Lovett made the motion to adjourn and Brent White seconded the motion.

Roger Weatherwax, Mayor

Deroma Pepper, City Clerk

Brent White, Council Member

Cassandra Lee, Council Member

Joyce Jeffreys, Council Member

Denise Lovett, Council Member