

Council Meeting Minutes
08/04/2025
@ 5:00 PM

Present: Mayor Roger Weatherwax
Brent White – Council member
Denise Lovett – Council member
Jason White – Council member
Cassandra Lee - Council member

Absent: Joyce Jeffreys - Council member

The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance and prayer by Mayor Weatherwax.

Public Hearing was held to allow input from the community about the request for Alcohol License by Shivsankar Inc., dba Moulton Beverage and Tobacco, located at 12443 AL Hwy 157, Moulton, AL 35650

- Building Inspector & Code Enforcer Robert Johnston was present and reported to Council that the purposed location didn't seem to meet the guidelines for distance from a church(Wear Baptist) he had just checked the distance on Google Earth but at the request of Attorney Thompson he will be measuring the distance with a measuring wheel this week as he had not been aware of the exact location and timing that Council would be deciding on licensing.
- Motion to Table this item until exact measurements are gotten: Denise Lovett
2nd: Brent White

This motion and 2nd addresses the original #4 on the Agenda which was where the Council could have decided to approve or not the licensing for this location but decided to wait for the exact measurements and to revisit this later.

Mayor Weatherwax ask that the Minutes from July 7, 2025, the Council Meeting and July 14, 2025, Work Session be approved without reading them out during the meeting.

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Jason White

Resolution 2025-011 approving the election officers for August 26, 2025, Municipal Election and run-off election, if necessary, on September 23, 2025, with Barbara Chenault no longer a resident of District 5 – Councilman Brent White requested that her name be removed as a poll worker - the Alternate Rosalee Free will be placed in that position as Clerk at that poll.

Motion to accept the replacement and approve other poll workers was made by: Jason White

2nd: Denise Lovett

Brian Phillips Fire Chief requested to Council to purchase a CPR Device at a cost of approximately \$11,525.00 he has a grant check in the amount of \$6,000.00 to use towards this purchase but would need approval from Council for the difference of \$5,525.00. Since the closing of the Hospital here in Moulton sometimes their only one might have to be used in transport to a hospital which could take a great deal of time to get back and risk the need for the apparatus on another call. Ms. Lee ask where the additional money would come from? Mr. Phillips stated that he had spoked with Emily Edwards – Accountant and it would come out of the General Fund.

Motion: Jason White

2nd: Cassandra Lee

Jerome Thompson recommends Council go into executive session due to possible litigation.

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Cassandra Lee

Roll Call Vote: Denise Lovett(aye), Brent White(aye), Mayor Weatherwax(aye), Jason White(aye), & Cassandra Lee(aye)

Motion to Adjourn due to Council going into executive session and will not reconvene.

Motion was made by Denise Lovett
2nd: Jason White

Roger Weatherwax, Mayor

Deroma Pepper, City Clerk

Brent White, Council Member

Cassandra Lee, Council Member

Jason White, Council Member

Denise Lovett, Council Member