

CITY OF SMITHS STATION, ALABAMA
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
July 26, 2016

REGULAR MEETING HELD AT	SMITHS STATION CITY HALL 2336 LEE ROAD 430 SMITHS STATION, AL 36877
WORK SESSION HELD AT:	5:30 P.M. EASTERN TIME
MEETING HELD AT:	6:00 P.M. EASTERN TIME

(ALL TIMES STATED ARE EASTERN TIME)

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

LaFaye Dellinger	Mayor
George Stringer Jr.	Place 1
Morris Jackson	Place 2
James Moody	Place 3
Richard A. Cooley	Place 4
Richard Key	Place 5

MINUTES OF THE WORK SESSION

The work session of the City Council was called to order at 5:30 P.M. All members were present except for Council Member Stringer. General municipal business was discussed and the agenda was reviewed. No business was conducted. The work session was adjourned at 5:59 P.M.

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING

Mayor Dellinger called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

City Attorney Richard Chancey gave the invocation and Council Member Cooley led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Jerry Bentley conducted roll call. All members were present except for Council Member Stringer. Mayor Dellinger announced a quorum.

The minutes from the July 12, 2016 work session and regular meeting were approved as read.

Council Member Cooley made the motion to amend the agenda to include Item 5. Ordinance 2016-118 Establishing the Speed Limit and a "DESIGNATED REDUCED SPEED ZONE" on Lee Road 728. Council Member Moody seconded the motion. The Roll Call Vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council members Jackson, Moody, Cooley, Key, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays none. The motion passed by a unanimous vote of the members present.

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Council Member Moody made the motion that all rules governing the Council which might, unless suspended, prevent the passage and adoption of Ordinance 2016-118 at this meeting, be and the same are hereby suspended for the purpose of permitting the said ordinance to be finally passed and adopted at this meeting.

Council member Cooley seconded the motion. The roll call vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council Members Moody, Cooley, Key, Jackson, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays: None. The motion passed by a unanimous vote of the members present.

Council Member Jackson introduced Ordinance 2016-118 Establishing the Speed Limit and a "DESIGNATED REDUCED SPEED ZONE" on Lee Road 728.

Council Member Cooley made the motion to approve and adopt Ordinance 2016-118. Council Member Key seconded the motion.

After discussion the roll call vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council Members Cooley, Key, Jackson, Moody, and Mayor Dellinger. The motion passed.

Mayor Dellinger read the statements to the City Council of the City of Smiths Station, Alabama, that only 1 (one) person filed a Statement of Candidacy for the following City Council Places:
Place 1. George Stringer, Jr.
Place 3. James Moody

Council Member Cooley introduced Resolution 2016-242 That City Council Place 1 was elected without opposition.

Council Member Jackson made the motion to suspend the reading of Resolution 2016-242 except for the last three paragraphs.

Council Member Cooley seconded the motion. The roll call vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council Members Cooley, Key, Jackson, Moody, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays: None. The motion passed.

Council Member Key made the motion to approve and adopt Resolution 2016-242. Council Member Cooley seconded the motion.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council Members Key, Jackson, Moody, Cooley, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays: None. The motion passed.

Council Member Jackson made the motion to suspend the reading of Resolution 2016-243 except for the last three paragraphs.

Council Member Cooley seconded the motion. The roll call vote was as follows:

Yeas: Council Members Jackson, Moody, Cooley, Key, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays: None. The motion passed.

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Council Member Cooley made the motion to approve and adopt Resolution 2016-243 That City Council Place 3 was elected without opposition. Council Member Jackson seconded the motion. The roll call vote was as follows: Yeas: Council Members Cooley, Key, Jackson, and Mayor Dellinger. Nays: None. Abstained: Council Member Moody. The motion passed.

Shelby Branton, Financial Officer, presented the Financial Statement for the General Fund Budget for the month ending June 30, 2016. The General Fund Financial Statement was approved as presented.

Shelby Branton, Financial Officer presented the Financial Statement for the Environmental Fund Budget for the quarter ending June 30, 2016. The Environmental Fund Financial Statement was approved as presented.

Mayor Dellinger temporarily adjourned the regular meeting at 6:21 P.M. and called the Executive Session to order. City Attorney Rick Chancey attended the Executive Session to discuss a claim that may or may not result in litigation. At 6:38 P.M. the Executive session was adjourned and the regular meeting was reconvened.

Having no further business, Council Member Jackson made the motion to adjourn. Council Member Moody seconded the motion. The motion passed and at 6:43 P.M. the meeting was adjourned.



Scott E. Johnston for Jerry F. Bentley, City Clerk

DATE: 8/12/16

ATTESTED BY: 

LaFaye Dellinger, Mayor