



Minutes for
City of Abbeville
COUNCIL MEETING
2/16/2015



1. CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Jim Giganti called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. with Terry Allums, Brendt Murphy, Eddie Jones, Billy Helms and Betty Yoder in attendance. Also present was City Clerk Treasurer Pam Ward.
2. PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Billy Helms
3. VISITORS:
 - a. Danny Creel – Reviewed Animal Control Procedures
4. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES
 - a. 2/2/2015 – Regular Meeting – Upon motion by Allums and second by Helms, the Council unanimously approved the minutes.
5. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE APPLICATION – HUGGIN’ MOLLY’S, INC.
Upon motion by Helms and second by Yoder, a motion was made to approve the alcoholic beverage license for beer and wine for Huggin’ Molly’s Inc. Motion carried.
Yeas: Yoder, Helms, Jones, Giganti
Nays: Allums
Abstain: Murphy
6. RENEWAL OF LINE OF CREDIT WITH BANK SOUTH - Upon motion by Yoder and second by Murphy, the Council unanimously approved the renewal.
7. REQUEST APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION No. 15-2-A – Alabama Community of Excellence Application - Upon motion by Murphy and second by Jones, the Council unanimously approved the ACE application.
8. REQUEST APPROVAL OF POLICE DEPARTMENT POLICE GENERAL ORDERS – motion tabled.
9. REQUEST APPROVAL TO CLOSE RBEG GRANT ACCOUNT – GRANT NOW CLOSED – Upon motion by Allums and second by Yoder, the Council approved the closing of the RBEG Grant bank account.
10. DISCUSSION ON CHIEFS PAY STATUS – Councilman Murphy reminded the Council that per our personnel policy, the immediate Supervisor and the Mayor approved pay raises based on evaluations. Mayor and Clerk to complete evaluation and any recommendation for pay increase.
11. OTHER BUSINESS AS NEEDED – There was none.
12. COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL:
Yoder – asked about the statements made by several employees (Dawn Jones, David Dozier and (per Dawn Jones) Vonda Armstrong not receiving pay increases. Clerk Pam Ward produced copies of reports showing that each of the individuals had, in fact, received increases in each year that a pay increase was budgeted.
13. ADJOURNMENT – Upon motion by Murphy and second by Allums, the Council adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

Pam Ward, CMC – Clerk/Treasurer