

City Hall  
October 4, 2022

The regular council meeting was held on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at 6:00 pm with Mayor John J. Rabun, Jr. presiding.

Those present were Councilmembers Connie Nelson, David Hannah, Michelle Weatherford-Usry and Marty Amerson. Corey Hall was unable to attend.

Others present were City Administrator Arty Thrift, City Clerk Cassie Bartlett, City Attorney Chris Dube, Police Chief John Maynard and Public Works Superintendent Brian Usry.

Citizens present were Bennett Clark, Gail Clark, Daniel Eubanks, Rosa Gibbons, Sharena Vaughn, Parish Howard and Ceola Hannah.

Police Chief John Maynard gave the invocation and Councilmember David Hannah led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Michelle Weatherford-Usry made a motion to adopt the agenda as printed. Connie Nelson seconded the motion; all in favor.

Minutes of the September 30, 2022 regular council meeting were approved as printed with a motion made by Michelle Weatherford-Usry. Connie Nelson seconded the motion; all in favor.

Marty Amerson made a motion to approve the General Fund, Water & Sewer Fund, Gas Fund and Landfill & Sanitation Fund Summary Financial Statement as presented. Michelle Weatherford-Usry seconded the motion; all in favor.

In Staff reports, Public Works Superintendent Brian Usry and Police Chief John Maynard presented Council with a report on activities of their respective departments.

In Unfinished Business, City Administrator Arty Thrift announced that the City was not approved for the FY 2022 CDBG Neighborhood Revitalization Housing Grant.

Michelle Weatherford-Usry made a motion to approve the second reading and adopt Ordinance No. 2022-010-001 amending Section 3, Paragraph 3.200 of the City Personnel Policy to revise the list of City-observed official holidays adding Martin Luther King Jr. Day on the third Monday in January and Juneteenth on June 19 of every year. David Hannah seconded the motion; all in favor.

Michelle Weatherford-Usry made a motion to set the 2022 Millage Rate at 14.873 mills. David Hannah seconded that motion; all in favor.

In Committee Reports, David Hannah discussed rescheduling the community clean-up day. Michelle Weatherford-Usry made an announcement regarding the Wrens Hometown Partnership meetings.

There was no Executive Session.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:29 pm with a motion made by David Hannah. Michelle Weatherford-Usry seconded the motion; all in favor.

Cassie Bartlett  
City Clerk