

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF ETOWAH

CITY OF RAINBOW CITY- COUNCIL MEETING-DECEMBER 28, 2021

The City Council of the City of Rainbow City, Alabama, met in regular session at City Hall at 5:00 p.m. Invocation was given by Randy Vice. Mayor Taylor led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Taylor and upon roll call by City Clerk, Beth Lee, the following members answered present: Randy Vice, Jeff Prince, Jameson Jenkins, Clark Hopper and Mayor Taylor. Anita Bedwell-Absent. The same constituting a quorum of the City Council, the following business was transacted.

1. Mayor Taylor presented the minutes of regular Council meeting of December 13, 2021 and asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions. There being none, Randy Vice made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Clark Hopper seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
2. Mayor Taylor stated the minutes from Council meeting of April 12, 2021 needed a correction to item #4. The 2006 fire truck that was surplus should have read VIN# 6638 instead of 6639. This truck was sold on December 15, 2021 for \$40,000.00 to Pine Hill Fire Dept., Aberdeen, NC. Jeff Prince made a motion to correct the minutes as presented. Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
3. Mayor Taylor presented the resignation of Sergeant Camp Yancey effective Monday, January 3, 2022, post for two (2) certified/non-certified Police Officers for ten (10) + days to end on Monday, January 10, 2022, and post a Sergeant's position in house for ten (10) days. Jameson Jenkins made a motion to approve the resignation and the job postings. Clark Hopper seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
4. Mayor Taylor presented a one-step pay raise for all employees to be effective the next pay period (1/7/22). Jeff Prince made a motion to approve the pay increase. Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
5. Mayor Taylor presented Ordinance No. 547 – Rezoning of the vacant lot located at the corner of Steele Station Road and Lumley Road (PPIN# 055380) from Agricultural Zoning District (AG) to Highway Commercial (HC) and asked if anyone was here to speak for or against this ordinance. JoAnn Tallent, owner of the corner lot, spoke in favor. Clark Hopper made a motion to introduce Ordinance No. 547. Jeff Prince moved and Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration. Mayor Taylor asked for a roll call as follows:

Anita Bedwell	Absent
Randy Vice	Yes
Jeff Prince	Yes
Jameson Jenkins	Yes
Clark Hopper	Yes
Mayor Taylor	Yes

Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.

Jeff Prince moved and Clark Hopper seconded the motion to adopt Ordinance No. 547. Mayor Taylor asked for a roll call as follows:

Anita Bedwell	Absent
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Randy Vice	Yes
Jeff Prince	Yes
Jameson Jenkins	Yes
Clark Hopper	Yes
Mayor Taylor	Yes

Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.

6. Mayor Taylor presented a sponsorship request from The Chamber 2022 Annual Meeting & Awards Luncheon to be held on Friday, January 28, 2022 at the 210 at the Tracks. Jeff Prince made a motion to be a Premier Sponsor at \$500.00. Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
7. Jeff Prince thanked the Utility Board for repairing a water main break in Covered Bridge recently.

**Announcements:**

- December 29, 2021 – Red Cross Blood Drive to be held in Council Chambers from 10:00 – 2:00.
- There will be no Planning Commission on Tuesday, December 28, 2021. It is rescheduled for Tuesday, January 4, 2022 at 3:30 p.m.
- City Hall will be closed Friday, December 31, 2021 in observance of New Year's Day. Garbage will be on schedule. Monday-Friday.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Jameson Jenkins made a motion to adjourn. Jeff Prince seconded the motion. Time Adjourned: 5:13 p.m.

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Beth Lee, City Clerk

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Joe Taylor, Mayor