

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF ETOWAH

CITY OF RAINBOW CITY- COUNCIL MEETING-DECEMBER 23, 2024

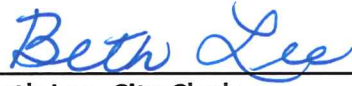
The City Council of the City of Rainbow City, Alabama, met in regular session at City Hall at 5:00 p.m. The invocation was given by Jameson Jenkins. Mayor Taylor led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Taylor, and upon roll call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

1. Mayor Taylor presented the minutes of the regular Council meeting of December 9, 2024 and asked if there were any corrections, additions, or deletions. There being none, Jameson Jenkins made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Jeff Prince seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
2. Jameson Jenkins made a motion to postpone indefinitely the recommendation to authorize Mayor Taylor to sign the Contract Agreement with B. Craig Lipscomb, Architect for architectural services for the renovations at City Hall and 4017 Rainbow Drive. Randy Vice seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
3. Mayor Taylor presented the following personnel change:
  - Accept the resignation of Jessica Roberts, Probation Officer, effective December 27, 2024 and to post for a full-time Probation Officer to end on Friday, January 10, 2025.Jeff Prince made a motion to accept this personnel change and to post the job opening. Randy Vice seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
5. Mayor Taylor presented Resolution No. 24-27 – Authorize Mayor Taylor to purchase 24.96 acres at 4026 Steele Station Road for \$570,000.00 to be paid from the General Fund from Michael Wayne Brown, David Albert Brown, and Patrick Richard Brown. Jeff Prince made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 24-27. Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
6. Mayor Taylor presented Resolution No. 24-28 – Utilize ARPA funds for the renovations to the Rainbow City Municipal Building and 4017 Rainbow Drive (former City Church building). There is \$77,187.00 left in the ARPA checking account. Randy Vice made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 24-28. Jameson Jenkins seconded the motion. Mayor Taylor stated all in favor say aye. All ayes. Mayor Taylor declared the motion carried.
7. Mayor Taylor presented an ad request from The Messenger – Progress Edition. Died for lack of a motion.

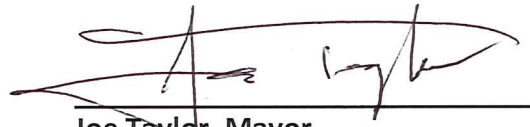
Announcements

- Tuesday & Wednesday, December 24 & 25, 2024 – City Hall will be closed in observance of Christmas. Garbage will not be serviced on Christmas Day. Pick up will be Thursday – Saturday.
- Monday, December 30, 2024 – Red Cross Blood Drive in Council Chambers 9:00 – 1:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, January 1, 2025 – City Hall will be closed in observance of New Years Day. Garbage will not be serviced on New Years Day. Pick up will be Thursday-Saturday.

There being no further business to come before the Council, Jeff Prince made a motion to adjourn. Time Adjourned: 5:18 p.m.



Beth Lee, City Clerk



Joe Taylor, Mayor