

City of Woodbury
Regular Council Meeting
Monday, May 21, 2018
6:00 p.m.

Attending the meeting:

Mayor Steve Ledbetter
Mayor Pro Tem L. C. Gates
Councilmember Randy Carter
Councilmember Carolyn Ledbetter
Councilmember Sherry Wall
City Attorney Nathan Lee
City Hall, City Clerk Angel Fowler
Police Department, Lt. James Henry
Public Works Director, Willie Holmes
Water Director, Cody Kelly

Attending the meeting were the following guest:
Sandy and Tommy Johnson

CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME

Mayor Steve Ledbetter called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.

INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Rev. Cedric Stanford

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Councilman Carter made a motion to approve the agenda.
Councilwoman Wall seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Councilman Carter made a motion to approve the April minutes.
Councilman Gates seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Ledbetter gave special thanks to all who helped with the moving, setting up, music, and landscaping for the New City Hall dedication earlier in the day. Special thanks to the ROTC from Columbus State University for presenting the colors. There was a huge turnout for the open house dedication and ribbon cutting followed by refreshments and guided tours of the new building.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business to report.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Ledbetter made the recommendation to Appoint John Cunningham as the new Municipal Court Judge
Councilman Carter made a motion to approve the appointment of John Cunningham as Municipal Court Judge.

Councilwoman Wall seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

STAFF REPORTS

Police Department Report

Lt. James Henry gave monthly police report.

Public Works Director

Willie "Buck" Holmes gave monthly street department report.

City Clerk Report

City Clerk Angel Fowler gave monthly finance report.

Water Department Report

Water Director Cody Kelly gave monthly water report.

Woodbury Development Authority

Chairwoman Kera Summers gave the Development Authority monthly report. Daffanee Ledbetter was appointed as Vice-Chair. Meetings are set for the 2nd Monday of each Month at 6:00 p.m.

Planning & Zoning

Chairwoman Tonya Moody was not present.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Mayor Ledbetter: "We are asking for help from all of our neighbors to provide pictures of Woodbury from our inception through today for our timeline located in the lobby. If you have old pictures of our town, please bring them by City Hall and we can scan them into our computer system to ensure that we have a High-Quality Picture." We will have them available at our next council meeting and will allow as many as want to be a part of the process to share with us their thoughts on what pictures should be included on the timeline. We will also need the story that goes along with the picture to ensure that we do not lose the history of our great town.

COUNTY & STATE INITIATIVES

The County is working through the Short-Term Comprehensive Planning cycle and may need us to have a called special meeting within the next few weeks.

ORDINANCES & POLICES

§36-80-19- General codification of ordinances and resolutions; publication and availability of code; official state repository for general codifications:

Councilman Carter made a motion to have the City's Code of Ordinances submitted to Municode to comply with State Law.

Councilwoman Wall seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

Water & Sewer Rate Ordinance

Councilman Carter made a motion to adopt the Water & Sewer Rate Ordinance.

Councilwoman Wall seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous

First Reading of Ordinance for Authorization to Sale Distilled Spirits by the Drink.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Interviews for Chief of Police will be held Friday, May 25th. Chief of Police Lou Dekmar of Lagrange is leading the effort to help us locate our next Chief. Chief Dekmar has requested that the Mayor and Councilman Randy Carter represent Woodbury during the interview process.

No bids were received for the surplus property known as the Doctors Office on Jones Mill Rd. Mayor Ledbetter is actively recruiting for a Doctor to locate in Woodbury and requesting the Councils advice and consent to offer the building for rent and will bring back to the council for approval.

Two film crews will be in Woodbury from May 30 to June 5th; Stalwart Films, LLC (film location Cove Rd) and Problem Attic Production, LLC (film location Bartee Street). They will be using officers from Woodbury, Greenville, Manchester, and LaGrange for security.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Nothing Scheduled

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Daffanee Ledbetter created a Summer Camp with approximately 50 children. The facility that she was going to use will not be available. She is actively looking for another location and any sponsors who might want to help sponsor lunches for the kids, each lunch will cost \$10.00 a week per child. Mayor Ledbetter would like to offer the Community Building to Daffanee Ledbetter until she can find another location with the consent of the council. Councilman Carter made the motion to let Daffanee Ledbetter use the Community Building for Summer Camp, Councilwoman Wall seconded, and the vote was unanimous.

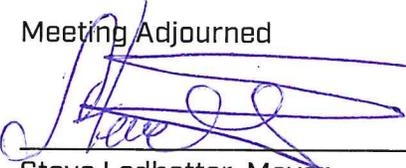
Sandy Johnson spoke with the council about the Pavilion Project and the donations made by individuals and businesses in town. Ms. Johnson encouraged the council to do their best in getting the Pavilion built. Councilman Carter is in the process of talking to a business owner to help with the project.

COUNCIL DISCUSSION

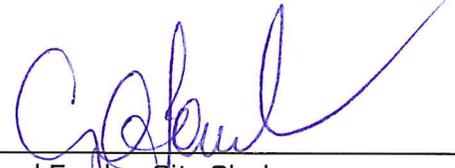
No council discussion.

No new business

Meeting Adjourned



Steve Ledbetter, Mayor



Angel Fowler, City Clerk