

The Wilsonville Town Council met Monday, January 04, 2010, for the regular monthly council meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Rosemary Liveoak at 6:30 P. M.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Councilwoman Melissa Rosetta.

The following council members answered roll call: Dennis Blackerby, Calvin Gill, Patricia Johnson, Lee McCarty, Terry Newman, Alan Revis, Melissa Rosetta.

The minutes of the December 07, 2009, meeting, which had been mailed to the council members prior to the meeting, were reviewed. Calvin Gill made a motion to approve the minutes as presented; Terry Newman seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, abstain; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, yes; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

The financial reports (mailed to the council members before the meeting) were reviewed. Alan Revis made a motion to accept the reports as presented; Calvin Gill seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, no; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

Mayor Liveoak presented the leak forgiveness summary report for calendar year 2009 (copy attached to these minutes). Charges totaling \$1,444.54 for water and \$100.64 for sewer were forgiven in 2009, for a grand total of \$1,545.18. Melissa Rosetta made a motion to accept the report as presented; Alan Revis seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, no; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

At the December meeting, the council voted to spend \$25,000.00 for improvements to Boyles Field, Helms Park; however, the budget was not amended to reflect this expense. Terry Newman made a motion to amend the budget, adding \$25,000.00 for phase one of the improvements to Boyles Field. Melissa Rosetta seconded the motion which passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, yes; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

Dennis Blackerby reported on the progress of the Boyles Field project. Dirt has been brought in, the French drain reconnected, and the fence removed. This week, the lights will be moved. Grass will need to be stripped and rocks removed. Shelby County will do some of the work. \$4, 490.00 has been spent, so far. The entrance will be rearranged so there will be no vehicle traffic between the concession stand and Boyles Field which should greatly increase safety. It was suggested the Town might purchase one or two lots in Wilson Glen to facilitate the road. There also may be a need to have an engineer look at the road situation.

Dennis Blackerby presented his recommendation concerning the firearms ordinances, as follows: enforce the state regulations, not the town ordinances. Patricia Johnson made a motion to repeal Ordinance Numbers 93-004 and 071105-1; Terry Newman seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, yes; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

Lee McCarty made a motion to post the repeal of Ordinance Numbers 93-004 and 071105-1 on the town website and to authorize the deputy to enforce the state statute as follows:

2202.139 Hunting or Discharging A Firearm Near a Dwelling, Etc.

It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or attempt to hunt within 100 yards of any dwelling belonging to another, whether occupied or not, without the permission of the owner or lessee of said dwelling. Provided further, it shall be unlawful for any person to discharge a firearm while hunting in such a manner that any projectile strikes any dwelling or building used for human occupation, whether occupied or not, or any commercial vessel, without the permission of the owner or lessee of said dwelling, building, or vessel. This regulation shall not apply to a landowner or member of his or her immediate family hunting on his or her own property provided that no projectile strikes any of the above stated property of another without the permission of the owner or lessee of said property.

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Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975 927, 928, 9212

History: New Rule: Filed July 18, 2005; effective

Terry Newman seconded the motion, which passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, yes; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

Public Comment.

Dennis Blackerby asked about the irrigation upgrade at Yellowleaf Park. Roger Perry stated he has the parts for the project and is also aware of a situation with lines at Helms Park.

Melissa Rosetta expressed concern about eighteen-wheeler trucks on highway 103, which is not wide enough to accommodate them.

There being no further business to come before the council, Calvin Gill made a motion to adjourn. Terry Newman seconded. The motion passed with the following vote: Dennis Blackerby, yes; Calvin Gill, yes; Patricia Johnson, yes; Lee McCarty, yes; Terry Newman, yes; Alan Revis, yes; Melissa Rosetta, yes; Rosemary Liveoak, yes.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:54 P. M.

Rosemary C. Liveoak, Mayor

Attest