

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF  
THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF ARAB, ALABAMA  
MARCH 4, 2024**

The City Council of the City of Arab, Alabama, met in regular session at 6:00 p.m. for its regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, March 4, 2024, in Arab City Hall, the time and place previously scheduled for such meeting.

Mayor Bob Joslin called the meeting to order. Upon roll call, the following answered present:

MIKE ALLEN  
JOHNNY HART  
ALAN MILLER  
MITCH STONE  
MARK GULLION

Also present were Denise Williams (City Clerk), Katie Jones (Administrative Assistant), Rodney Edmondson (City Attorney), city department heads, representatives of the media, and the public.

Mayor Joslin declared a quorum present and opened the meeting for the transaction of business. Council Member Stone led the pledge of allegiance. The invocation was given by Council Member Gullion.

The minutes of the February 20, 2024, regular meeting was approved by unanimous vote upon a motion made by Council Member Allen and seconded by Council Member Gullion.

Mayor Joslin reminded the Council of reports made in the work session and then moved on to a few other staff reports. Police Chief Shane Washburn gave an update on several recent happenings. Assistant Fire Chief Michael Hall reminded citizens of changing batteries & testing smoke detectors next week with the time change. Jeremiah Yates with the Street Department reported on recent street work.

With no other staff reports or old business, the Mayor then moved to the first item of new business, a Resolution to Approve Amending Signatories on Cadence Bank Account. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the reading, Council Member Miller seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Hart moved to suspend the Rules, Council Member Allen seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Stone moved to Adopt the Resolution, Council Member Allen seconded and all voted yes.

The Mayor then moved to the second item of new business, a Resolution to Approve Amending Signatories on Citizen Bank & Trust Account. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the reading, Council Member Stone seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the Rules, Council Member Miller seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Allen moved to Adopt the Resolution, Council Member Stone seconded and all voted yes.

The Mayor then moved to the third item of new business, a Resolution to Approve Amending Signatories on Peoples Bank Account. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the reading, Council Member Gullion seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Stone moved to suspend the Rules, Council Member Allen seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Allen moved to Adopt the Resolution, Council Member Gullion seconded and all voted yes.

The Mayor then moved to the fourth item of new business, a Resolution to Approve Amending Signatories on Regions Bank Account. Council Member Miller moved to suspend the reading, Council Member Allen seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the Rules, Council Member Miller seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Stone moved to Adopt the Resolution, Council Member Allen seconded and all voted yes.

The Mayor then moved to the fifth item of new business, a Resolution to Approve a Line of Credit for Arab Fire Department at Peoples Bank for a Credit Card. Council Member Allen moved to suspend the reading, Council Member Gullion seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Miller moved to suspend the Rules, Council Member Stone seconded and all voted yes. Council Member Allen moved to Adopt the Resolution, Council Member Miller seconded and all voted yes.

Mayor Joslin then opened up the floor for public comment. Rodney Willingham, Chairman of Planning Commission spoke requesting on behalf of the Planning Commission that the Council make a request to the Alcohol License Review Committee to evaluate the license fee being charged by the city in connection with other cities / county charges to ensure the City is in line with the same. Jeremy King then spoke giving his opinion regarding the landfill. With no one else desiring to comment, Council Member Allen moved to adjourn the meeting and Council Member Miller seconded and all voted yes.



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MAYOR BOB JOSLIN



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DENISE WILLIAMS, CITY CLERK