MINUTES FROM A WORK SESSION OF THE COUNCIL OF MUSCLE SHOALS, ALABAMA, HELD January 3, 2023

The City Council of Muscle Shoals, Alabama met at the Muscle Shoals City Hall auditorium in said City at 5:00 p.m. on the 3rd day of January 2023. The following members were found to be present or absent, as indicated:

PRESENT: CHRIS HALL, GINA CLARK, WILLIS THOMPSON, KEN

SOCKWELL, DAVID MOORE

ABSENT: NONE

Ken Sockwell, Council President, presided at the meeting. Mayor Mike Lockhart was also present. Beth Jones, City Clerk, and Kate Isbell, Administrative Assistant/Marketing, were present and kept the minutes of the meeting.

Jalen Johnson presented the job description of Procurement Agent to the Mayor and Council for their review. He announced that a college diploma is not required, but a minimum of two years of experience in purchasing; previous work experience in a government office and/or work with the public is strongly preferred or any combination of education, training and experience.

Beth Jones, City Clerk, discussed an update of the Request to be Placed on the City Council Meeting Agenda form with the Mayor and Council. It was decided that Kate Isbell, Administrative Assistant/Marketing, will begin working on creating a digital only form.

Avtar Sinuh, who was supposed to appear before the Mayor and Council to discuss a medical marijuana dispensary, was unable to attend the work session and meeting.

Rusty Wheeles, Director of Parks and Recreation, gave the Mayor and Council an update on Cypress Lakes Golf and Tennis spaces that were damaged from the pipe bursting due to extreme cold weather. Everything that required it is in the process of being treated and/or replaced.

Shawn Malone, Fire Chief, gave the Mayor and Council an update on the station that was affected by the pipe bursting due to extreme cold weather. There was no severe damage, but some areas that required it are in the process of being treated and/or replaced.

The council reviewed agenda items.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

MINUTES FROM A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF MUSCLE SHOALS, ALABAMA, HELD January 3, 2022

The City Council of Muscle Shoals, Alabama met at the Muscle Shoals City Hall auditorium in said City at 6:00 p.m. on the 3rd day of January 2023 being the scheduled time and place for said meeting. The meeting was called to order by Ken Sockwell, Council President. On roll call the following members were found to be present or absent, as indicated:

PRESENT: CHRIS HALL, GINA CLARK, WILLIS THOMPSON, KEN

SOCKWELL, DAVID MOORE

ABSENT: NONE

Ken Sockwell, Council President, presided at the meeting and declared that a quorum was present and that the meeting was convened and opened for the purposes of transaction of business. Mayor Mike Lockhart was also present. Beth Jones, City Clerk, and Kate Isbell, Administrative Assistant/Marketing were present and kept the minutes of the meeting.

The invocation was given by Rusty Wheeles. President Ken Sockwell led in the pledge of allegiance.

Upon motion duly made by Council Member Clark and seconded by Council Member Thompson and unanimously adopted, the Council waived the reading of the minutes of the previously held regular meeting and work session of December 19th, 2022, and approved the minutes as written.

Mayor Lockhart announced a brief overview of a tentative schedule for the upcoming Centennial Celebration. He also thanked everyone who worked so thoroughly for our city through the holidays.

Council Member Moore made a motion to reschedule the next council meeting for Tuesday, January 17th, 2023, in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday on Monday, January 16th, 2023; Council Member Hall seconded that motion.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, upon the motion duly made and seconded the meeting was adjourned.