



City of Lake View

Council Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 27, 2025

6:00 pm

Lake View Municipal Complex

Mission: To promote an ethical and responsive municipal government which provides its citizenry with high-quality municipal services in an efficient and cost-effective manner.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 6:03pm by Mayor Dudley.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Invocation and Pledge was led by Mayor Dudley.

ROLL CALL: The members present were Mayor Dudley and Councilmembers, Doug Beaulieu, Ben Hudson, Dan Celmer, and Cheryl Ivey.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion was made by the Mayor to approve the agenda for the evening. Councilmember Celmer seconded the motion. **The motion passed by the unanimous vote of the Council.**

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA: Mayor Dudley made a motion to the consent agenda from the Work Session. Councilmember Hudson seconded the motion. **The motion passed by the unanimous vote of the Council.**

GUEST/PUBLIC HEARING: Boy Scouts troop leader thanked Mayor Dudley for allowing them to come visit. Mayor Dudley stated that he had some flags he would like for the Scouts to retire.

OLD OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- 4th Annual Lake View Day (April 26, 2025) – Mrs. Dudley provided a progress report on the preparations for Lake View Day and stated that they are still accepting Vendor applications. Mayor Dudley made a motion to appropriate funds left over from previous

years to be used to pay for some supplies for Lake View Day. Councilmember Ivey seconded the motion. **The motion passed by a unanimous vote of the Council.**

- Spring Cleanup- Mayor Dudley stated that previously a date of April 12th was decided upon but that it would compete with activities at PARA on the same day. The Council decided to keep April 12th from 12pm to 4pm as the date and time of Spring Cleanup.
- 2025 Municipal Elections – Mayor Dudley provided information regarding the changes in the election process regarding filing documents. Mayor Dudley stated that all documents needed to be filed with the Secretary of States office.
- Floodplain Administrator-Delegation- Mayor Dudley stated that the Floodplain Ordinance Article 3 Section A Page 10 identifies the Building Official for the City of Lake View is the Floodplain Administrator.
- City Equipment Not In Use – Mayor Dudley introduced the resolution to dispose of property no longer in use.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Lake View Voting Delegate for ALM Conference – Mayor Dudley stated that the City must identify a voting delegate and two alternates, who will attend the conference. Mayor Dudley made a motion that the voting delegates for the 2025 ALM Conference would be Mayor Dudley as the Voting Delegate with Councilmember Kelly Rolen as 1st Alternate and Councilmember Celmer as 2nd Alternate. Councilmember Hudson seconded the motion. **The motion passed by a unanimous vote of the Council.**

COMMITTEES AND BOARDS:

- A. Budget & Finance Committee – Mayor Dudley stated that he and Mrs. Witherspoon would be meeting to discuss the budget and that he would like to schedule a meeting for March.
- B. Board of Adjustments – Councilmember Hudson stated no new meetings had been held.
- C. Planning & Zoning – Mrs. Dudley stated that the meetings are held every 3rd Thursday at 6:00pm. The meetings are open to the public. Mrs. Dudley also stated that the Comprehensive Plan was discussed in the last meeting.
- D. GUSC -Councilmember Ivey stated that the next meeting will be March 6th at 6:30pm at City Hall.
- E. Police Relations – Councilmember Celmer stated that they were still looking for new committee members to join and help plan future events.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- Charlie Plasters stated that as an educator and Scout Master he would urge the Mayor and the Council to speak with members of the community who have high school students with opportunities for Community service hours.
- Shana Stewart spoke about the idea of the Lake View Garage Sale that she brought before the Council previously. Ms. Stewart proposed the 3rd Saturday of May to coincide with Tannehill Trade Days. Mayor Dudley made a motion to tentatively allow May 17, 2025,

as the date for Lake View Garage Sale. Councilmember Ivey seconded the motion. **The motion passed by the unanimous vote of the Council.**

MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBER BUSINESS/COMMENTS:

Doug Beaulieu: Thanks to the Scouts for coming out and the Scout Masters for the work they put into the children.

Ben Hudson: Thank the Scouts and Public for coming out tonight.

Dan Celmer: Thanks to the Scout Master Plasters for bringing the issue of community service to the Council and Thanks to the scouts for coming to visit.


Cheryl Ivey: Thank the Scouts for coming out and spoke on her time as a scout and an Air Force veteran.

Mayor Dudley: Stated he attended an MPO meeting that identified the issues with the bridge at Exit 100 and the process to move forward with the bridge completion.

Mayor Dudley stated that on April 10, 2025, Stadium Trace in Hoover will hold a Veterans Resources event and career fair. Information will be placed out front of City Hall.

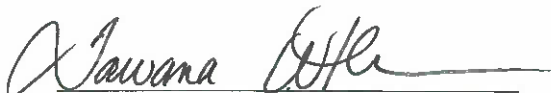
Mayor Dudley presented Resolution 0102272025 that resolved the City of Lake View has appointed Mrs. Tawana Witherspoon as City Clerk.

Adjournment: Mayor Dudley made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Ivey seconded the motion. **Meeting adjourned at 6:46pm.**



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ATTEST:



Tawana Witherspoon, City Clerk

