

CHESNEE CITY COUNCIL
MEETING
FEBRUARY 8, 2010
MINUTES

WORKSHOP:

Mayor and all Council present; several visitors.

The concrete project at the park was discussed, and it was decided that the City Attorney should write an opinion if the low bidder had to have insurance (workmen's comp and tort).

Mayor Pro tem Mahaffey is going to check prices for an ice machine for the City Hall.

Chief Smith introduced Danny Tippett, volunteer in the Police Department.

Councilwoman Dawkins asked for the City to do a plaque and furnish refreshments at the reception for Stephen Twitty. The date is not yet set.

It was agreed that McKinney Street from Richland to the plant should be re-named "Jerry Copeland Drive" in honor of Jerry Copeland.

The Manning Street Hike and Bike was discussed.

Omelia Harris gave a proposal to Council for contract work for the City. The Council will study the proposal, and make a decision at a later date.

REGULAR MEETING:

Present: All the above; David from Tribune; Andrew from Cable.

Mayor Cash called the meeting to order.

Mayor Pro tem Mahaffey gave the invocation.

Mayor Pro tem Mahaffey made the motion to approve last month's minutes; Councilman Pye second. Unanimous. Motion carried.

The Administrator's report consisted of the financial report and an update on the grants.

Planning Commission member Vertie Crawford gave the report from their group, including telling Council about the March 20 Easter Egg Hunt. She requested \$1000. for the Easter decorations and the hunt. Mayor Pro tem Mahaffey made the motion to allow her to use \$1000. of Hospitality funds for the event; Councilwoman Dawkins second. Unanimous. Motion carried.

Much discussion ensued about the Streetscape # 3, and the Manning Street Hike and Bike. Jim Longshore with Summit Engineering answered questions concerning both projects.

Jeff Bailey gave an update on the sewer plant; stating that we were at ½ capacity; that we now have a SCADA unit operating at the Bilo pump station; and that the two clarifiers need some work. Jeff will get quotes for a manhole that needs repair at the Red Line pump station.

Chief Smith gave his report.

Ben Dodd, Victims Advocate gave his report.

Councilman Pye made the motion to give five hours annual leave back to Scott Smith that had been taken; Councilwoman Dawkins second. Upon discussion, Councilwoman Dawkins rescinded her second, and stated that more information was needed. Motion died.

Mayor Pro tem Mahaffey made the motion to adjourn; Councilwoman Dawkins second. Unanimous.

Minutes _____ this _____ day of March, 2010.

Mayor E. Max Cash

Administrator