

Council Minutes
March 21, 2024

The Common Council of the City of Belington met in regular session March 21, 2024 at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Cherri Sturm presiding.

Council attending: Charles Alth, Suzanna Skidmore, Dana Booth, Marshall Reed (via phone), and Morgan Nesland.

Also attending Gwen Valentine; City Clerk, and Calvin Elmore.

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Roll Call

Councilwoman Skidmore moved to accept the March 21, 2024 agenda as presented. Councilman Alth seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Booth moved to accept the March 07, 2024 Council meeting minutes. Councilwoman Skidmore seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Public Comments:

Calvin Elmore presented a few questions on obtaining new business license. Mr. Elmore spoke about the upcoming summer events and the options available with placing a temporary restroom. Mr. Elmore also questioned a business closing and if there would be any financial support available to them. After a brief discussion Mayor Sturm directed them to the County Commission and the Barbour County Development Authority.

Reports:

Mayor Sturm updated council on a potential water dept employee. Mayor Sturm is to check with Stephanie at Quality Water for an update on a relief water operator. Mayor Sturm informed council that the Vac Truck financing as been approved and the truck is paid for.

New Business:

Councilman Alth made a motion to accept the budget as presented for fiscal year 2024/2025. Councilwoman Nesland seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Alth made a motion to pay March 21, 2024 invoices. Councilwoman Skidmore seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor and Council Comments:

Councilman Alth questioned the use of a sub pump; Mayor Sturm is to check on this information again. Councilman Booth inquired about the upcoming Easter Egg event. Mayor Sturm spoke briefly on the upcoming Spring clean-up with a date set for April 20th. City Clerk Valentine is to send a letter to all

business's asking for their assistance with cleaning sidewalks and windows in front of their properties. Councilwoman Skidmore asked about a flower distributor for the beautification committees' barrels; a brief discussion followed.

Motion to adjourn at 7:54 p.m. by Councilman Alth, Councilwoman Skidmore seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor
City Clerk