

**CITY OF SPRINGVILLE
CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
December 5, 2016 6:00 p.m.**

ROLL CALL:

Present: Members: Herbert Toles, Wayne Tucker, Hugh Marlin, David Jones, Mayor William Isley, Sherry Reaves, Chip Martin

Absent: Katrina Hennings

Mayor William Isley called the regular meeting to order and gave the invocation. David Jones led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Amendments to Agenda

Herbert Toles made a motion to amend the agenda to include discussion related to replacement of a sewer machine. Wayne Tucker seconded the motion. All voted aye.

David Jones made a motion to amend the agenda to add presentation of a contribution to the Argo Food Bank and Argo Christmas for Kids. Sherry Reaves seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Minutes of November 21 Regular Meeting

David Jones made a motion to approve the minutes of the November 21 regular meeting. Wayne Tucker seconded the motion. All voted aye except Chip Martin who abstained. Motion carried.

Ordinance 2016-14 Severe Weather Sales Tax Holiday

David Jones made a motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration of Ordinance 2016-14. Herbert Toles seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with results as follows: Toles-aye, Marlin-aye, Tucker-aye, Isley-aye, Martin-aye, Jones-aye, Reaves-aye. Motion carried

Herbert Toles made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2016-14 declaring February 24-26, 2017 to be a severe weather sales tax holiday as authorized by Act 2012-256 of the Alabama Legislature. Hugh Marlin seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Ordinance 2016-15 Regulate Discharge of Firearms in the City Limits

David Jones made a motion to suspend the rules for immediate consideration of Ordinance 2016-15. Chip Martin seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with results as follows: Toles-aye, Marlin-aye, Tucker-aye, Isley-aye, Martin-aye, Jones-aye, Reaves-aye. Motion carried

Herbert Toles made a motion to adopt Ordinance 2016-15 to regulate discharge of firearms within the city limits. David Jones seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Christmas Eve Holiday

Herbert Toles made a motion to declare December 23 as a city holiday for 2016. Chip Martin seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Reschedule January Regular Council Meetings

Sherry Reaves made a motion to reschedule the January 2 regular meeting to January 12 due to the New Year's holiday, and to reschedule the January 16 regular meeting to January 26 due to the Martin Luther King holiday. Chip Martin seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Replace Sewer Equipment

Wayne Tucker made a motion to replace a sewer roto-rooter machine at a cost of \$4,815.27. Chip Martin seconded the motion. After discussion, Wayne Tucker amended his motion to include purchase of a sewer line jetter to be built in-house at a cost not to exceed \$4,000.00. Both pieces of equipment are to be paid from the sewer impact fees account. Chip Martin seconded the amended motion. All voted aye.

Aimee Martin – Springville Band Boosters

Chip Martin made a motion to contribute \$2,000.00 to Springville High School for the purchase of audio-visual equipment for the band room. Herbert Toles seconded the motion. All voted aye except David Jones who abstained. Motion carried.

Argo Food Bank and Christmas for Kids

Mayor William Isley presented checks for \$250.00 each to Mayor Betty Bradley and Council Member Ann Brown for the Argo Food Bank and for Argo Christmas for Kids.

Mayor’s Report

Kris and Jennifer Bishop thanked the mayor and city council for their purchase of Christmas gifts for a family with children at Springville Elementary School.

Chief Bill Lyle presented a check for \$225.00 for a contribution to the elementary school from the police officers Grow-A-Beard November fund raiser.

Mayor William Isley discussed the Christmas Parade, streetscape project, and feasibility study for alterations to the roadway at Park Avenue and Spring Street.

Jamie Twente, Carrie Denton, and Sherry Bryan gave the council information on projects at the Library and Senior Center.

Richard Harvey said that the state wide burn ban was lifted but Springville is still under a fire alert, and discussed the turkey and ham sale for Thanksgiving, the CERT program, and the community service program.

Chief Bill Lyle presented the Officer of the Year award to Sergeant Wayne Walton.

With no further business to come before the council, Wayne Tucker made a motion to adjourn. Hugh Marlin seconded the motion. All voted aye.

Attest:

City Clerk

Mayor