

Council Meeting
June 17, 2019

Members Present: Mayor Buddy Duke, members Terry McClain, Greg Paige, Michael Purvis, Vivian Sharpe and Jody Greene.

Others Present: John Flythe, Rhonda Rowe, Tim Tanner, Chad Castleberry and members of the public.

Invocation was given by Councilman McClain.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Paige.

Approval of Minutes: Councilman Purvis made a motion to approve the minutes of June 3, 2019 as written. Councilwoman Sharpe seconded with all in favor.

Street Closing: Mr. William T. Sharpe, Jr. has requested closing Poplar Street from 7th to 8th Streets for his annual 4th of July event. Councilman Purvis made a motion to approve the request with Councilman Greene providing the second. The decision was unanimous.

Police Car Bids: Bids were received for a 2019 dodge charger to replace the 2014 charger that was recently totaled in an accident and were as follows:

Cass Burch	\$22,687.00
Akins Ford Dodge Jeep Chrysler Government Sales	\$23,178.75 (state contract)

It was noted that the insurance settlement has been reached for both the vehicle and equipment. Councilman Paige made a motion to accept the low bid. Councilman Purvis seconded. All were in favor.

Tag Reader Quotes: Bids were received to replace the tag reader that was also damaged in the above referenced accident and were as follows:

Madden Associates	\$18,220.00
Synergistic Software Inc. (Vigilant Solutions)	\$19,965.00

The tag reader has generated \$134K since January 2015. Councilman Purvis made a motion to accept the low bid. Councilman Paige seconded. The decision was unanimous.

Board Appointments: City Manager John Flythe advised the council that he is giving the city attorney information on our boards. Currently, we have 3 seats that need appointments on the Adel Industrial Development Authority Board and we also have 2 other boards that have no term limits on their appointments. He would like the council to consider placing term limits on all our boards. He has requested the city attorney look at enabling legislation to see if any changes would have to go before the state. He would then like to have a work session to discuss.

Woodmen of the World Flag Donation: Councilman Terry McClain expressed his appreciation to the Woodmen of the World for their donation of 50 U.S. Flags to line the streets.

Budget Discussion: The council was advised that we are in the process of working on the FY 19-20 budget and any specific requests need to be given to City Clerk Rhonda Rowe.

Road Resurfacing Projects: City manager John Flythe stated that he had met with the engineer today to review the ranking of our current roads in order of need. The highest need is Patterson Street. He is recommending that we ask the state to assist in paving from Masee Post Rd to Sparks since this is such a highly traveled road with the school being located along this road. We would need to get with the City of Sparks to see if they would be in favor. Additional roads he is recommending for resurfacing include North Parrish from 4th Street to Mitchell and North Gordon from 4th to Mitchell. He noted most of our collector roads have been resurfaced on the west side including Elm Street so this would be catching up with the heavily traveled roads on the east side. He stated that if we resurfaced all of our roads it would cost close to \$10M; however, we have resurfaced about ½ of our roads and have them in good shape now. It would be closer to the \$4-5M range to resurface all remaining roads.

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.

Rhonda P. Rowe, City Clerk

Luther L. Duke III, Mayor
