

The Saraland City Council met in regular session on November 8, 2021, at the Saraland Municipal Annex. The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by Council President McDonald. Roll call was as follows:

Present: Council President Joe McDonald  
Councilmember Wayne Biggs  
Councilmember Newton Cromer  
Councilmember Veronica Hudson  
Councilmember Natalie Moye

Attorney, Andy Rutens was present.

Councilmember Moye opened the meeting with prayer.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion was made by Councilmember Biggs, seconded by Councilmember Cromer, to approve the minutes of the meeting of October 28, 2021. Motion carried.

#### REPORT OF MAYOR

Motion was made by Councilmember Cromer, seconded by Councilmember Moye, to authorize payment in the amount of \$6,350.00 for invoice from Galloway, Wettermark & Rutens, LLP. Motion carried.

#### APPROVAL OF INVOICES

Motion was made by Councilmember Cromer, seconded by Councilmember Moye, to approve the following invoices.

##### **General Fund**

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| 1. R. Jeffrey Perloff, PC – October 2021 Statement | \$1,895.50 |
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Motion carried.

#### ORDERS, RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES & OTHER BUSINESS

Motion was made by Councilmember Cromer, seconded by Councilmember Moye, to authorize expenses and adopt a resolution for a cash advance for Amanda Robbins to attend Internal Affairs Investigation training, November 18-19, 2021, in Pelham, Alabama. Motion carried.

#### **RESOLUTION 2220**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Saraland, that

**WHEREAS**, a cash advance for Amanda Robbins to attend Internal Affairs Investigation Training, November 18-19, 2021 in Pelham, AL; and

**WHEREAS**, a statement of said expenditures will be presented to the City Clerk immediately upon return, at which time all monies will be balanced.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 2021.

Motion was made by Councilmember Moye, seconded by Councilmember Biggs, to authorize Spartan Drive guardrail work by C & H Construction at a cost of approximately \$5,500.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Councilmember Cromer, seconded by Councilmember Biggs, to authorize the Council President to sign the Alabama Power holiday lighting agreement. Motion carried.

Council President McDonald advised there is a matter to be discussed in executive session concerning an issue of Real Estate and Economic Development.

City Attorney, Andy Rutens, advised this is appropriate use of executive session as authorized by state law.

Motion was made by Councilmember Biggs, seconded by Councilmember Cromer, to adjourn into executive session with Mayor Rubenstein, Andy Rutens, Bob Young and David Langham to discuss an issue of Real Estate and Economic Development.

The following votes were recorded:

Yes: Council President Joe McDonald  
Councilmember Wayne Biggs  
Councilmember Newton Cromer  
Councilmember Veronica Hudson  
Councilmember Natalie Moye

Motion carried.

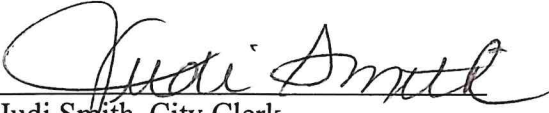
Council President McDonald advised he anticipates the executive session to last approximately 30 minutes.

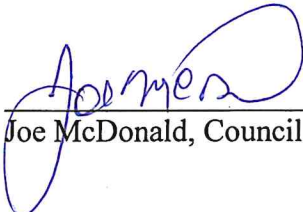
The Council adjourned into executive session with the Mayor, City Attorney, Bob Young and David Langham at 6:21 p.m.

Motion was made by Councilmember Cromer, seconded by Councilmember Biggs, to reconvene at 7:10 with all members present. Motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the Council, motion was made by Councilmember Cromer to adjourn at 7:16 p.m.

ACCEPTED and APPROVED the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 2021.

  
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Judi Smith, City Clerk

  
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Joe McDonald, Council President