



Minutes of the City of Calera Council Meeting – April 15, 2019

The Council of the City of Calera met in the Council Chambers of the City Hall at 7901 Highway 31 on Monday, April 15, 2019 at 6:30 p.m., in a regular meeting. Mayor Pro Tem Bradshaw presiding.

Mayor Pro Tem and Council Members Present:

David Bradshaw, Mayor Pro Tem
Chris Bunn, Council Member
Philip Busby, Council Member
Ernest Montgomery, Council Member
Kay Snowden Turner, Council Member
Alan Watts, Council Member

Absent:

Jon G. Graham, Mayor

Guests:

Adrienne Turner, Myrna Wood

Mayor Pro Tem Bradshaw called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Word of Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance:

Paul Armstrong opened the meeting with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes:

Council Member Watts made a motion to approve and dispense with the reading of the following minutes:

Regular Meeting – April 1, 2019

Work Session – April 1, 2019

Council Member Bunn seconded said motion and upon vote, the results were as follows:

AYES: Bradshaw, Bunn, Busby, Montgomery, Turner, Watts

NAYS: None

Motion Passed

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business

NEW BUSINESS

PUBLIC HEARING

Proclamation – Mental Health Awareness Month – May, 2019

Council Member Busby made a motion to proclaim May 2019 as Mental Health Awareness Month. Council Member Turner seconded said motion which was carried unanimously.

Motion passed

Capital Purchase Approval – Police Department Server, \$16,000.00

Council Member Turner made a motion to approve the capital purchase as requested. Council Member Montgomery seconded said motion which was carried unanimously.

Motion passed

GUESTS:

Council Member Busby made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:35 p.m.

Approved this 7th day of May, 2019.

David Bradshaw, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

Connie B. Payton, City Clerk

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, mental health is essential to everyone's overall health and well-being; and

WHEREAS, all Americans experience times of difficulty and stress in their lives; and

WHEREAS, prevention is an effective way to reduce the burden of mental health conditions; and

WHEREAS, there is a strong research that diet, exercise, sleep and stress management can help all Americans protect their health and well-being; and

WHEREAS, mental health conditions are real and prevalent in our nation; and

WHEREAS, with effective treatment, those individuals with mental health conditions can recover and lead full, productive lives; and

WHEREAS, each business school, government agency, healthcare provider, organization and citizen shares the burden of mental health problems and has a responsibility to promote mental wellness and support prevention efforts.

NOW THEREFORE, I Jon G. Graham, Mayor of City of Calera, Calera, Alabama do hereby proclaim May 2019 as

Mental Health Awareness Month

In the City of Calera we also call upon the citizens, government agencies, public and private institutions, businesses and schools in Calera to recommit our community to increasing awareness and understanding of mental health, the steps our citizens can take to protect their mental health, and the need for appropriate and accessible services for all people with mental health conditions.

Council Member Busby made a motion to proclaim May 2019 as Mental Health Month. Council Member Turner seconded said motion which was carried unanimously.

Motion passed

On this, the 15th day of April, 2019.

David Bradshaw, Mayor Pro Tem