CITY OF TALLADEGA CITY COUNCIL CALLED MEETING

September 28, 2010

The City Council of the City of Talladega met in a called meeting on Tuesday, September 28, 2010 at 5:00 p.m., in the Police Department Conference Room at City Hall. The meeting was called to order and the following were present: Council President Horace Patterson, Councilman Donnie Miller, Councilman Jimmy Davis, Councilwoman Liz Grissett and City Manager Brian Muenger

Ordinance #1676 – An ordinance amending the official annual budget for the City of Talladega, Alabama (adopted Sept. 28, 2009, Ordinance #1665) for the fiscal year beginning 1 October 2009 and ending 30 September 2010. (first presented at meeting of September 27, 2010)

Motion by Councilman Miller with a second from Councilman Davis for immediate consideration of Ordinance #1676. Roll Call. AYES: All

Motion by Councilman Miller with a second from Councilman Davis for reading of the heading only of Ordinance #1676. Roll Call. AYES: All.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF TALLADEGA, ALABAMA, (ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 28, 2009, ORDINANCE 1665) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING 1 OCTOBER 2009 AND ENDING 30 SEPTEMBER 2010;

Motion by Councilman Miller with a second from Councilwoman Grissett for the adoption of Ordinance #1676. Roll Call. AYES: All.

Ordinance # **1677** – An ordinance adopting the official annual budget for the Water & Sewer Department of the City of Talladega, Alabama, for the fiscal year beginning 1 October 2010 and ending 30 September 2011. (first presented at meeting of September 27, 2010)

Motion by Councilman Miller with a second from Councilman Davis for immediate consideration of Ordinance #1677. Roll Call. AYES: All

Motion by Councilman Davis with a second from Councilman Miller for reading of the heading only of Ordinance #1677. Roll Call. AYES: All.

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE OFFICIAL ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF TALLADEGA, ALABAMA, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING 1 OCTOBER 2010 AND ENDING 30 SEPTEMBER 2011;

Motion by Councilwoman Grissett with a second from Councilman Davis for the adoption of Ordinance #1677. Roll Call. AYES: All.

Council President Patterson requested that the City Manager review probationary and part-time positions that were affected by the reduction in force so far as public safety issues. Council President Patterson further stated that when the reduction in force is lifted that probationary full-time employees that have been laid off will have first option for rehire. Council President Patterson requested that a proposal reviewing the .01 sales tax increase be presented at the next regular meeting. Councilman Davis indicated that he would support a sales tax increase, Councilwoman Grissett hoped that it would not have to get to that point and Councilman Miller requested that other proposals be brought forward for cost reductions. City Manager Muenger stated that other proposals have not generated significant savings. Councilman Miller asked what the surrounding communities had as sales tax. Manager Muenger stated that others were at 10% while Talladega was at 9%.

Councilman Miller made a motion for adjournment.

AUTHENTICATION

I, Elizabeth Cheeks, City Clerk of the City of Talladega, Alabama, do hereby attest that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of the City Council of Talladega, Alabama, which met in a called session on Tuesday, September 28, 2010, at 5:00 p.m. at City Hall in the City of Talladega, Alabama.