

**CITY COUNCIL OF TALLADEGA
PRE-COUNCIL
March 7, 2016- 5:00 pm**

Tina Turner, owner of T.B. Turner Interior Design, concerning the conditions of the Courthouse Square buildings. *Not present.*

**CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
March 7, 2016-5:30 pm**

The City Council of the City of Talladega met in a regular meeting on Monday, March 7, 2016 at 5:30 p.m., at the Talladega City Hall Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order and the following were present: Council President Horace Patterson, Councilman Ricky Simpson, Councilman Gerald Cooper, Sr., Councilman David Street, Mayor Jerry Cooper, Sr., and City Manager Patrick Bryant.

Invocation by Dr. Horace Patterson.

Motion by Councilman Simpson with a second from Councilman Cooper to approve invoices and expenditures. AYES: All.

Total Invoices & Expenditures for 2/1/2016 to 3/04/2016 **\$777,924.91**

General Operating Account	388,397.02
Senior Nutrition	217,999.96
Law Enforcement	339.80
Corrections	69,903.59
RBEG Fund	27,805.54
Capital Improvement Fund	73,479.00

Motion by Councilman Street with a second from Councilman Simpson for approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 22, 2016. AYES: All.

Ordinance No. 1812 providing for traffic control at the intersection of Alabama Highway 77 South and Mountainview Road.

Motion from Councilman Simpson with a second from Councilman Street for Immediate Consideration of Ordinance #1812. Roll Call. AYES: All.

Motion from Councilman Simpson with a second from Councilman Street for reading of the heading only. Roll Call. AYES: All.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTROL OF TRAFFIC ENTERING THE INTERSECTION OF MOUNTAINVIEW ROAD AND ALABAMA HIGHWAY NUMBER 77; TO PROVIDE FOR AND REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN VEHICULAR TRAFFIC BE PROHIBITED FROM MAKING A RIGHT TURN ONTO ALABAMA HIGHWAY NUMBER 77, SOUTH, FROM MOUNTAINVIEW ROAD; AND TO PROVIDE PUNISHMENT FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

Motion from Councilman Street with a second from Councilman Simpson for the adoption of Ordinance #1812. Roll Call. AYES: All.

Resolution #3804 approving nuisance abatement for junk cars at 371 Pinehurst Drive (Parcel ID 1308342001033000)

Resolution #3805 approving purchase amounts for two easements for the Brignoli Street Culvert Project.

Resolution #3806 approving the settlement of a property boundary line dispute due to an encroachment of the Talladega F.O.P. Lodging firing range driveway onto an adjoining property.

Motion from Councilman Street with a second from Councilman Simpson for the approval of Resolution #3804 to Resolution #3806. Roll Call. AYES: All.

Motion by Councilman Simpson with a second from Councilman Cooper to approve the invoices and expenditures for the Water Department. AYES: All.

Water Department Expenditures for 2/24/16 to 3/3/16	\$ 364,679.02
Operations & Maintenance	94,106.22
Revenue	270,572.80

Resolution #3807 approving an agreement with InSite Engineering for leak detection studies to be performed on water lines at a cost not to exceed \$33,625.00.

Motion from Councilman Cooper with a second from Councilman Simpson for the approval of Resolution #3807. Roll Call. AYES: All.

City Manager Bryant brought before the Council the findings of City Attorney O'Brien concerning the terms of office for the Historic Preservation Commission. There are 2 seats serving under expired terms. Those will be advertised in the local paper.

City Manager Bryant also mentioned that the Dancing with Dega Stars will be March 17 and Chief Busby has been appointed to the Association of State Legislative Board. There is also an open invitation to the dedication of the marker of the soldiers at Oak Hill Cemetery hosted by the Alabama Daughters of 1812.

Councilman Cooper asked if one go to the assigned board liaison before approaching the City Manager. City Manager Bryant stated that it is preferred that the community goes to the liaison first, but can also go directly to the City Manager's Office.

Councilman Street commented that TOP Trails awarded bids for the RV Park.

Motion from Councilman Patterson with a second from Councilman Simpson to excuse the absence of Councilman Elston. AYES: All.

Motion by Councilman Simpson to adjourn the meeting.

Minutes Recorded by: Joanna Medlen

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 regular session on Monday, March 7, 2016, at 5:30 p.m. at the Talladega City Hall Council Chambers in the City of Talladega, Alabama.