

**CITY OF TEMPLE MINUTES
TEMPLE CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, JULY 2, 2012 @ 6:30 PM
TEMPLE CITY HALL**

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Ford called the regular scheduled Council Meeting to order at 6:30pm with the following members present constituting a quorum: Council Member William Simmons, Council Member Hiley Miller; Council Member Terron Bivins and Councilmember Richard Bracknell

Council Member Jay Mann was not present

INVOCATION: The invocation was given by Mayor Rick Ford

CITIZENS COMMENTS:

Mayor Ford opened the floor for citizen's comments:

There were none

COMMITTEE MEETING REPORTS:

Public Safety: No Report

Community Development: No Report

Recreation: No Report

Personnel: No Report

Senior Center: No Report

Financial: No Report

Public Works: Agenda Item

CONSENT AGENDA:

Council Member Richard Bracknell motioned to approve the consent agenda; seconded by Council Member William Simmons. Motion carried 4-0

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) **Consideration of Watershed Protection Plan:** Council Member Hiley Miller motioned to approve the Annual Watershed Protection Plan, since we missed renewal, seconded by Council Member Richard Bracknell. Motion carried 4-0

- 2.) **Consideration of Resolution to Appoint a Prosecutor for the Municipal Court of Temple:** City Attorney Cynthia Daley read the Resolution that was originally approved on January 3, 2005, however; was not approved by Resolution and by law this has to be approved by resolution. Council Member Terron Bivins motioned to approve the resolution; seconded by Council Member Hiley Miller. Motion carries 4-0
- 3.) **Nomination for New DDA Member:** Council Member Richard Bracknell motioned to nominate Mark Wood, owner of Temple Automotive as the new DDA Member; seconded Council Member Terron Bivins. Motion carried 4-0
- 4.) **Consideration of New Signs for the Senior Center and Recreation Department:** Council Member Richard Bracknell motioned to approve the purchase of the signs in the amount of \$5,525.00; seconded by Council Member William Simmons. Motion carried 4-0
- 5.) **Consideration of Ordinance to AMEND the Code of Ordinances to regulate sales of Malt Beverage and Wine on Sundays and the sale of Distilled Spirits or Alcoholic Beverages by the drink on Sundays; And for all other purpose; to provide severability; to provide for repeal of conflicting Ordinances and provisions; to provide for adoption and effective date; to provide for codification; and to provide for other lawful purposes:**
City Attorney Cynthia Daley did the 1st Read; the 2nd read will be at the August 6, 2012 Council Meeting
- 6.) **Discussion of Demolition of old Police Department and pouring of Parking Lot:** Council Member Richard Bracknell motioned to send the paving of the parking lot back to committee for further discussion; seconded by Council Member Hiley Miller. Motion carried 4-0
Council Member Terron Bivins motioned to start demolition on the old police department building this has been in discussion for over a year; seconded by Council Member William Simmons. Motion was tied 2-2 with Council Member Hiley Miller and Council Member Richard Bracknell against. Due to a tie Mayor Ford voted in favor of starting demolition with this breaking the tie and the motion then carried 3-2. Demolition of the building at 171 E Johnson Street will cost between \$6,000 and \$10,000.
- 7.) **Consideration to amend Temple Senior Center Facility Rules:** Council Member Richard Bracknell motioned to remove the rule "The Senior Center may not be rented for political rallies. Reception for political candidates is at the discretion of the Director of the Senior Center" from the Rules for Facility Use-Temple Senior Center and send the rest of the rules back to committee for further review; seconded by Council Member Hiley Miller. Motion carried 4-0
- 8.) **Consideration to waive the Senior Center rental fees:** Council Member Hiley Miller motioned to waive the rental fees for the non-profit organization Rapha Clinic of West Georgia (which is a free medical clinic for the uninsured) for a pancake breakfast fundraiser; seconded by Council Member Richard Bracknell. Motion carried 4-0

MAYOR AND COUNCIL CLOSING COMMENTS:

Bivins: None

Miller: None

Simmons: None

Miller: None

Mayor Ford: None

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Council Member William Simmons motioned to adjourn to go into executive session @ 6:53 pm; seconded by Council Member Hiley Miller. Motion approved 4-

Council Member William Simmons motioned to come out of executive session back into regular sessions @ 8:10 pm; seconded by Council Member Terron Bivins.

ADJOURNMENT: With no further business to discuss; Councilmember Richard Bracknell motioned to adjourn at 8:10 pm; seconded by Councilmember William Simmons. The motion carries 4-0

Rick Ford - Mayor

Attest:

Angie Costner – City Clerk