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BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THERE WAS BEGUN AND HELD A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI ON JULY 7, 2020 AT 6:00 P.M. IN THE BOARDROOM OF SAID CITY.

THOSE PRESENT	MAYOR HAL MARX
ATTORNEY	ROCKY EATON
ALDERMEN	BRAD AMACKER CRAIG BULLOCK DAVID CLAYTON TONY DUCKER MIKE LOTT CLINT MOORE STEVE STRINGER
OTHERS	KAREN HESSION DREW BRICKSON ADA MADISON VALERIE WILSON AND MANY OTHERS

MAYOR MARX DECLARED A QUORUM PRESENT AND DECLARED THE CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION.

THE INVOCATION WAS OFFERED BY TONY DUCKER

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED.

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE AGENDA WITH THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENT

GENERAL BUSINESS

Request to reopen the Petal Senior/Veteran Center.

ORDERS & ORDINANCES

Request to adopt order reinstating Joyce Tisdale in the Senior Center.

Request to adopt order transferring Russell Harper from the Recreation Dept to the Senior Center.

Request to adopt order reinstating Michael Mott in the Recreation Dept.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING AGENDA AS AMENDED.
ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE MINUTES FROM THE PUBLIC HEARING AND THE REGULAR MEETING OF JUNE 16, 2020 AND THE SPECIAL MEETING OF JUNE 18, 2020.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING AND THE REGULAR MEETING OF JUNE 16, 2020 AND THE SPECIAL MEETING OF JUNE 18, 2020 AS WRITTEN.
ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS REGARDING PROPERTY CLEAN UP HEARING.

EXHIBIT 'A'

100 WALLER ST
115 N GEORGE ST
302 BARRON ST
103 RICHTON DR

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN MOORE MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTIONS. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO CONSTRUCT A STREET LIGHT AT 10 CLAY DR

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE DIXIE ELECTRIC TO CONSTRUCT A STREET LIGHT AT 10 CLAY DR FOR A COST OF \$672.84 + MONTHLY USAGE. ALDERMAN DUCKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ADJUST SEWER, SEWER TREATMENT AND LATE FEES BILLED TO 33 HARRIS DR.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO ADJUST SEWER, SEWER TREATMENT AND LATE FEES BILLED TO 33 HARRIS DR IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,668.55 DUE TO ERRONEOUS BILLING. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER TO HERRING GROUP, LCC FOR SERVICES TO CONNECT 33 HARRIS DR TO CITY SEWER.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER NOTED THAT 33 HARRIS DR SHOULD HAVE BEEN CONNECTED UNDER THE CBDG GRANT AND WAS NEVER CONNECTED AND MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE A PURCHASE ORDER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,850.00 TO HERRING GROUP, LLC TO CONNECT 33 HARRIS DR TO THE CITY SEWER. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE

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ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO RENEW AD WITH PETAL BAND BOOSTERS

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO RENEW THE AD WITH PETAL BAND BOOSTERS AT A COST OF \$125.00. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO PURCHASE AN AD IN THE PETAL GUIDE 2020.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN MOORE MADE A MOTION TO RENW THE FULL-PAGE AD FOR THE PETAL GUIDE 2020. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SPONSOR THE PETAL SHOW CHOIR SOUNDSATIONS

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN BULLOCK MADE A MOTION TO SPONSOR THE PETAL SHOW CHOIR SOUNDSATIONS AT A COST OF \$100.00. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO DONATE FORMER STATE FLAGS TO JESSE L SANFORD FOR HISTORICAL PRESERVATION.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN DUCKER MADE A MOTION TO TABLE THE REQUEST. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE RESIGNATION OF LENZY LEE IN THE FIRE DEPT.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE RESIGATION OF LENZY LEE IN THE FIRE DEPT EFFECTIVE JULY 12, 2020. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ADJUST WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 411 N MAIN ST

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN CLAYTON NOTED EVIDENCE OF A REPAIRED LEAK AND MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO ADJUST WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 411 N MAIN ST IN THE AMOUNT OF \$330.00. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SET A HEARING DATE FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 123 & 205 HOLLY DR

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO SET A HEARING DATE OF JULY 28, 2020 AT 6:00 P.M. FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 123 & 205 HOLLY DR. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO SET A HEARING DATE FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 323 OLD RICHTON RD

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO SET A HEARING DATE OF JULY 28, 2020 AT 6:00 P.M. FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 323 OLD RICHTON RD. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO GRANT RELIEF FROM SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS FOR PROPERTY AT MEADOWOOD SUBDIVISION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN MOORE MADE A MOTION TO GRANT RELIEF FROM SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS REQUIRING A 24' WIDE ROAD WITH CURB AND GUTTER AND A 5' SHOULDER. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO GRANT RELIEF FROM CURB AND GUTTER REQUIREMENTS AT MEADOWOOD SUBDIVISION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO GRANT RELIEF FROM CURB AND GUTTER REQUIREMENTS AT MEADOWOOD SUBDIVISION. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ACCEPT SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT #1 AND ADVERTISE FOR AND MAKE FINAL PAYMENT TO DUNN ROADBUILDERS FOR S MAIN ST AND SMITHVILLE RD PROJECT

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT #1 AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO ADVERTISE FOR AND MAKE FINAL PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$46,127.94 TO DUNN ROADBUILDERS FOR S MAIN ST AND SMITHVILLE RD PROJECT. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ADJUST WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 16 IDELL CIRCLE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER NOTED EVIDENCE OF A REPAIRED LEAK AND MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO ADJUST WATER SERVICES BILLED TO 16 IDELL CIRCLE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$90.00. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE RESIGNATION OF SCOTT HINNANT IN THE FIRE DEPT

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION OF SCOTT HINNANT IN THE FIRE DEPT EFFECTIVE JUNE 18, 2020. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE DOCKET OF CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2020

EXHIBIT “B”

DOCKET

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN AMACKER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO PAY THE DOCKET OF CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2020. ALDERMAN STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO REOPEN THE SENIOR CENTER

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO REOPEN THE PETAL SENIOR/VETERAN CENTER ONCE IT HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY CLEANED. ALDERMAN BULLOCK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR AMY HEATH TO ATTEND MACE CONFERENCE IN MADISON, MS

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE AMY HEATH TO ATTEND MACE CONFERENCE IN MADISON, MS ON OCTOBER 8-9, 2020 AT A COST OF \$213.00. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR ALDEN JOHNSON TO ATTEND ROPE RESCUE CLASS AT THE STATE FIRE ACADEMY

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO AUTHORIZE ALDEN JOHNSON TO ATTEND ROPE RESCUE CLASS AT THE STATE FIRE ACADEMY ON JULY 20-23, 2020 AT A COST OF \$48.00. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDER PROMOTING BARTLEY FAULKNER IN THE FIRE DEPT

ORDER

WHEREAS THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF PETAL DEEM IT NECESSARY TO
PROMOTE BARTLEY FAULKNER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT BARTLEY FAULKNER
BE PROMOTED TO ENGINEER AT A RATE OF \$13.18 PER
HOUR EFFECTIVE JULY 15, 2020

SO ORDERED THIS THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2020

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN MOORE MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST TO ADOPT THE FOLLOWING ORDER REINSTATING JOYCE TISDALE.

ORDER

WHEREAS THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF PETAL DEEM IT NECESSARY TO
REINSTATE THE EMPLOYMENT OF JOYCE TISDALE

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT JOYCE TISDALE BE
REINSTATED AS SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR
EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 2020.

SO ORDERED THIS THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2020

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDER TRANSFERRING RUSSELL HARPER FROM RECREATION TO THE SENIOR CENTER

ORDER

WHEREAS THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF PETAL DEEM IT NECESSARY TO
TRANSFER RUSSELL HARPER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT RUSSELL HARPER
BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE RECREATION DEPT
TO THE SENIOR CENTER EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 2020

SO ORDERED THIS THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2020

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN BULLOCK MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN
MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDER REINSTATING MICHAEL MOTT

ORDER

WHEREAS THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF PETAL DEEM IT NECESSARY TO
REINSTATE THE EMPLOYMENT OF MICHAEL MOTT

IT IS HEREBY ORDERD THAT MICHAEL MOTT
BE REINSTATED AS GROUNDS LABOR IN THE
RECREATION DEPT EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 2020

SO ORDERED THIS THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2020

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN BULLOCK MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN
STRINGER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX CALLED FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

THEREUPON, RICKY SHOWS ADDRESSED THE BOARD REGARDING CULVERTS FOR HIS SMITH ST PROPERTY.

THEREUPON, SHARON CATLEDGE ADDRESSED THE BOARD. SHE BELIEVES PUBLIC COMMENT SHOULD
REMAIN ON THE AGENDA. WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHERE SHE CAN FIND THE BY LAWS AND MINUTES.
WHY WERE SOME ITEMS ON THE AGENDA MOVED TO EXECUTIVE SESSION? THINKS THOSE REASONS
SHOULD BE DISCUSSED.

THEREUPON, LORRAINE BATES ADDRESSED THE BOARD. MS. BATES EXPLAINED THAT SHE HAS TO USE
HER WALKER TO GET AROUND AND SHE CAN'T WALK ON THE SIDEWALKS BECAUSE THERE ARE BAD
PLACES THAT CAUSE HER WALKER TO TRIP HER. SHE HAS STARTED WALKING IN THE TURN LANE ON MAIN
ST, BUT HAS BEEN TOLD SHE CAN'T WALK THERE ANYMORE. ALDERMAN STRINGER OFFERED TO GIVE HER
A RIDE AND PROVIDED HER WITH HIS CARD. ALSO NOTIFIED TO USE THE SENIOR BUS ONCE IT STARTS
AGAIN.

THEREUPON, ADA MADISON ADDRESSED THE BOARD WITH APPRECIATION THAT THEY ARE GOING TO PAY
TO HOOK 33 HARRIS DR TO THE SEWER SYSTEM SINCE SHE WAS OVERLOOKED WHEN THE CDBG WAS
ACTIVE.

THEREUPON, CAROLYN JORDAN ADDRESSED THE BOARD WITH ISSUES GETTING DEBRIS PICKED UP. HER
DITCH ALSO NEEDS TO BE CLEANED AGAIN

THEREUPON, DANIEL WARREN ADDRESSED THE BOARD WITH ISSUES ON BAKER ST. STATED THAT THE WATER DEPT FIXED A LEAK A WHILE BACK AND DUG ACROSS HIS PROPERTY AND HE NEEDS SOME TOP SOIL BROUGHT OUT TO FILL THE HOLE. HE FEELS LIKE THE CITY SHOULD CITE SOMEONE OTHER THAN BURKETT ROSS FOR CODE VIOLATIONS. FEELS LIKE THE CITY SHOULD DO A BETTER JOB AT CUTTING THE DITCHES ON CARTERVILLE RD.

THEREUPON, CRAIG LANGNES ADDRESSED THE BOARD THANKING THEM FOR THE WORK ON SMITHVILLE RD, HOWEVER, NOW THERE IS A SPEEDING PROBLEM FROM CORINTH RD TO DAVIS RD. ALSO, A LOT OF LITTER BEING THROWN OUT.

THEREUPON, MATT LAWRENCE ADDRESSED THE BOARD ASKING THAT THEY BE MINDFUL OF GIVING OUT CITIZENS ADDRESSES. HOW DID MR. SANFORD GET CHOSEN TO BE THE ONE TO RECEIVE THE STATE FLAGS?

THEREUPON, TESSA COLLETT STATED THAT SHE DONATED SOME OF THE FLAGS TO THE CITY AND SHE WOULD LIKE THOSE RETURNED TO HER.

THEREUPON, OSCAR WALLEY STATED THAT JESSE SANFORD IS IN THE SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS AND HE MAKE SURE IT IS PROPERLY RETIRED.

THEREUPON, DREW BRICKSON ADDRESSED THE BOARD. DREW STATED THAT THE CITY NORMALLY HAS TWO SECTIONS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT AND HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE BOTH REMAIN ON THE AGENDA. HE BELIEVES THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY GIVES CITIZENS A CHANCE TO VOICE THEIR OPINION ON AGENDA MATTERS AND HOPEFULLY INFLUENCE THE BOARD'S DECISION. DREW IS ALSO CONCERNED ABOUT THE FACT THAT WE ARE OUTSOURCING SEWER WORK INSTEAD OF HAVING CITY PERSONNEL DO THE WORK. HE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE BOARD FOR REOPENING THE SENIOR/VETERAN CENTER. HE THINKS THE FIRE CHIEF SHOULD HAVE SPOKEN ABOUT THE TWO FIREFIGHTERS THAT RESIGNED. WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW THE AGREEMENT WITH PSA WORKS. WHY ARE CITY WORKERS MAINTAINING A COUNTY FIELD? HE WOULD LIKE FOR CITIZENS TO UTILIZE THEIR ALDERMEN AND APPRECIATES THE ALDERMEN'S SUPPORT OF NEW BUSINESSES.

THEREUPON, ANDRE HEATH ADDRESSED THE BOARD. HE HAS SERVED IN LEADERSHIP WITH THE CITY AND THE SCHOOL. PETAL HAS BEEN GOOD TO HIM AND HIS FAMILY. PETAL'S REPUTATION HAS BEEN TARNISHED. HE IS HURT BY THE WAY PEOPLE TREAT OTHER IN THE BOARD ROOM. THINKS WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO DISAGREE RESPECTFULLY. SOME PEOPLE COME TO THE MEETING WITH LEGITIMATE CITY ISSUES. PETAL TAKES PRIDE IN RELIGION AND THEIR SCHOOL AND THINKS WE NEED TO SHOW THE WORLD WHY WE ARE THE "FRIENDLY CITY".

THEREUPON, FREDRICK CHESTNUTT ADDRESSED THE BOARD ASKING ABOUT BODY CAMS AGAIN. HE BELIEVES THE BODY CAMS CAN TELL A STORY. IF MS. BATES HAD BEEN MISTREATED THE BODY CAM WOULD SHOW THAT. OUTSIDE PEOPLE ARE THE PEOPLE YOU WANT TO COME TO PETAL TO SPEND THEIR MONEY. HE STANDS FOR EQUALITY FOR ALL PEOPLE; NOT JUST BLACKS. SHOW THAT YOU ARE TRYING TO CHANGE.

THEREUPON, LORRAINE BATES STATES THAT SHE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE LADIES IN THE OFFICE. THEY ALWAYS SPEAK TO HER AND TREAT HER WITH RESPECT WHEN SHE IS OUTSIDE PROTESTING.

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED A REQUEST FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO CLEAR THE ROOM TO DETERMINE THE NEED FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN MOORE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "AYE"

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING "NAY"

NONE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN BULLOCK MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE EXECUTIVE SESSION. ALDERMAN AMACKER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

NO OFFICIAL ACTION WAS TAKEN IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING PERMITS FOR PARADES AND RACES.

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN CLAYTON MADE A MOTION TO DENY ADOPTING AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING PERMITS FOR PARADES AND RACES. ALDERMAN BULLOCK SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

WHEREAS, MAYOR MARX PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING ORDER HIRING ROCKY WALTERS IN THE FIRE DEPT

ORDER

WHEREAS THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE CITY OF PETAL DEEM IT NECESSARY TO
HIRE A FULL TIME FIREFIGHTER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT ROCKY WALTERS
BE HIRED FULL TIME AS A FIRST-CLASS FIREFIGHTER
AT A RATE OF \$12.64 PER HOUR EFFECTIVE JULY 9, 2020

SO ORDERED THIS THE 7TH DAY OF JULY 2020

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN DUCKER MADE A MOTION TO ADOPT THE FOREGOING ORDER. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

THEREUPON, ALDERMAN STRINGER MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE REGULAR MEETING OF JULY 7, 2020. ALDERMAN CLAYTON SECONDED THE MOTION.

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “AYE”

ALDERMAN BRAD AMACKER
ALDERMAN CRAIG BULLOCK
ALDERMAN DAVID CLAYTON
ALDERMAN TONY DUCKER
ALDERMAN MIKE LOTT
ALDERMAN CLINT MOORE
ALDERMAN STEVE STRINGER

THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING “NAY”

NONE

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PETAL, MISSISSIPPI WAS ADJOURNED.


MAYOR MARX



CITY OF PETAL
MINUTE BOOK 38

EXHIBIT “A”

RESOLUTION

Resolution finding and determining that the property located at 115 N George St. in Petal, Mississippi and owned by George & Fern Hays, is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community

WHEREAS, due and proper notice has been given to the owners of the property located at 115 N George St., Parcel# 3-022N-35-194,00 in Petal, Mississippi of a hearing conducted before the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal to determine that said property needs to be cleaned and brought up to code,

WHEREAS, said hearing having been duly and properly held and evidence having been presented, all in conformance with Section 21-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED;

SECTION 1,

That the property located at 115 N George St., Parcel # 3-022N-35-194,00, in Petal, Mississippi is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community, and

SECTION 2,

That if the owner of said property has not brought the property up to code within ten (10) days, the City of Petal shall, by the use of Municipal Employees or by Contract, proceed to clean the property by exercising its rights under the “Cleaning of Private Property” section of the Mississippi code 21-19-11,

SECTION 3,

That all cost incurred by the Municipality, if any, plus penalty, if any, shall become as assessment against said property, all authorized and permitted pursuant to Section 29-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended,

SO RESOLVED, on this the 7th day of July, 2020 A.D.

Hal Marx, Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Melissa Martin, City Clerk

RESOLUTION

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Resolution finding and determining that the property located at 103 Richton Dr. in Petal, Mississippi and owned by Terrell & Gloria Jean Stringer, is in such a state of disrepair as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community

WHEREAS, due and proper notice has been given to the owners of the property located at 103 Richton Dr., Parcel# 3-021E-30-113,00 in Petal, Mississippi of a hearing conducted before the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal to determine that said property needs to be cleaned and brought up to code,

WHEREAS, said hearing having been duly and properly held and evidence having been presented, all in conformance with Section 21-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED;

SECTION 1,

That the property located at 103 Richton Dr., Parcel # 3-021E-30-113,00, in Petal, Mississippi is in such a state of disrepair as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community, and

SECTION 2,

That if the owner of said property has not brought the property up to code within sixty (60) days, the City of Petal shall, by the use of Municipal Employees or by Contract, proceed to clean the property by exercising its rights under the “Cleaning of Private Property” section of the Mississippi code 21-19-11,

SECTION 3,

That all cost incurred by the Municipality, if any, plus penalty, if any, shall become as assessment against said property, all authorized and permitted pursuant to Section 29-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended,

SO RESOLVED, on this the 7th day of July, 2020 A.D.

Hal Marx, Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Melissa Martin, City Clerk

RESOLUTION

Resolution finding and determining that the property located at 110 Waller St. in Petal, Mississippi and owned by David Schech, is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community

WHEREAS, due and proper notice has been given to the owners of the property located at 110 Waller St., Parcel# 3-030B-01-213,00 in Petal, Mississippi of a hearing conducted before the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal to determine that said property needs to be cleaned and brought up to code,

WHEREAS, said hearing having been duly and properly held and evidence having been presented, all in conformance with Section 21-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED;

SECTION 1,

That the property located at 110 Waller St., Parcel # 3-030B-01-213,00, in Petal, Mississippi is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community, and

SECTION 2,

That if the owner of said property has not brought the property up to code within ten (10) days, the City of Petal shall, by the use of Municipal Employees or by Contract, proceed to clean the property by exercising its rights under the “Cleaning of Private Property” section of the Mississippi code 21-19-11,

SECTION 3,

That all cost incurred by the Municipality, if any, plus penalty, if any, shall become as assessment against said property, all authorized and permitted pursuant to Section 29-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended,

SO RESOLVED, on this the 7th day of July, 2020 A.D.

Hal Marx, Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Melissa Martin, City Clerk

RESOLUTION

Resolution finding and determining that the property located at 302 Barron St. in Petal, Mississippi and owned by Glenn Davis, is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community

WHEREAS, due and proper notice has been given to the owners of the property located at 302 Barron St., Parcel# 3-022K-35-056,00 in Petal, Mississippi of a hearing conducted before the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Petal to determine that said property needs to be cleaned and brought up to code,

WHEREAS, said hearing having been duly and properly held and evidence having been presented, all in conformance with Section 21-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED;

SECTION 1,

That the property located at 302 Barron St., Parcel # 3-022K-35-056,00, in Petal, Mississippi is in such a state of uncleanness as to be a menace to the public health and safety of the community, and

SECTION 2,

That if the owner of said property has not brought the property up to code within ten (10) days, the City of Petal shall, by the use of Municipal Employees or by Contract, proceed to clean the property by exercising its rights under the “Cleaning of Private Property” section of the Mississippi code 21-19-11,

SECTION 3,

That all cost incurred by the Municipality, if any, plus penalty, if any, shall become as assessment against said property, all authorized and permitted pursuant to Section 29-19-11 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended,

SO RESOLVED, on this the 7th day of July, 2020 A.D.

Hal Marx, Mayo

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Melissa Martin, City Clerk

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