

Council Minutes  
May 4, 2023  
Regular Meeting

The Pinson City Council met in regular session at Pinson City Hall at 4410 Main Street, Pinson, on Thursday, May 4, 2023. Councilor Churchwell led the invocation. Councilor Walker led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Mayor Cochran appointed Councilor Walker to chair.

Councilor Walker appointed Jaqualyn Williams as Acting City Clerk

**Roll Call:** Jaqualyn Williams, Acting City Clerk, called roll of Pinson City Council with the following members present:

Councilor Irvin  
Councilor Walker  
Councilor Churchwell  
Councilor Kirkland  
Mayor Cochran

**Absent:**

Councilor Roberts

**Minutes:** Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to waive the reading of and approve the minutes from April 20, 2023. Mayor Cochran duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

**Committee Chair Reports:**

**Finance:** Councilor Irvin offered a motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$115,597.24. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

**Zoning:** Councilor Kirkland offered an Ordinance changing the zoning classification located at 6955 & 6962 Joy Circle, Pinson, AL 35126 from Jefferson County R-1 to City of Pinson District RM. Mayor Cochran duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for a roll call vote for unanimous consent with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect unanimous consent passes."** Councilor Walker called for a roll call vote on the main Ordinance with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect that passes as Ordinance 2023-11."**

**Enhancements:** Councilor Irvin gave the City Fest report.

**New Business:** Councilor Walker announced a free electronic drop off as well as a paper shred event at Jefferson County, Center Point Satellite Courthouse on May 13, 2023, from 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

Mayor Cochran offered a motion to approve Campbell's Paving quote for light bases in the amount of \$9,500.00. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

Councilor Irvin offered a motion to approve Campbell's Paving quote for dumpster pad at the Rock School Complex in the amount of \$4,250.00. Mayor Cochran duly seconded the motion.

Councilor Walker suspended the rules.

Eric Winfrey, spoke on the motion.

Councilor Walker reinstated the rules.

Councilor Walker called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

Councilor Churchwell offered a Resolution relating to 6201 Kaley Lane. Councilor Irvin duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for a roll call vote for unanimous consent with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect unanimous consent passes."** Councilor Walker called for a roll call vote on the main Resolution with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect that passes as Resolution 23-10."**

Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to approve the purchase of portable sound system in the amount of approximately \$4,500.00. Councilor Irvin duly seconded the motion. Councilor Walker called for a roll call vote on the motion with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes, Mayor Cochran- yes. **Councilor Walker, "let the record reflect that passes unanimously."**

Councilor Churchwell announced on May 20, 2023, the National Society of American Revolution will be at Red Hill Cemetery to clean the cemetery.

**Public Comment:** Councilor Walker opened the floor for public comment.

Dawn Tanner, 7800 Ware Drive, gave an update on the street cleaning event that took place on April 22, 2023. Dawn Tanner also mentioned another possible street cleaning date in the fall.

Jim Reigns, 5234 Midwood Road, mentioned the Midwood Road street sign is missing, and asked the city to fix it, or contact the correct people to fix it. Jim Reigns also had a complaint regarding the recycle pick-up.

Dorlin Terry, 5455 Miles Spring Road, had a complaint regarding missed pick-up days for garbage and recycle.

Mayor Cochran took back as chair.

Mayor Cochran asked for a motion to adjourn.

Councilor Walker offered a motion to adjourn. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion.

Mayor Cochran called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Mayor Cochran, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously, and we are adjourned."**

Adjourned at 7:29 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jaqualyn Williams, Acting City Clerk

**Bills: 5-4-23**

Alabama Power	Bradford Soccer Field	\$80.31
	Box Cam	\$2,166.71
	Storm Shelter	\$96.44
	Bicentennial Park	\$1,935.40
	Library	\$1,933.98
	PHCC	\$590.40
	Triangle Park	\$42.13
	Faucett House	\$227.43
	Community Center	\$172.28
	PYSC	\$1,457.47
	School Dr. Softball Fields	\$178.83
	City Hall/Sign	\$1,399.50
	Rock School	\$36.74
	Powell Avenue	\$118.73
Stark Exterminators	Rock School	\$93.00
	PHCC	\$50.00
	Bicentennial Park	\$21.00
	Faucett House	\$207.00
	PYSC	\$116.00
	City Hall	\$15.00
Vanguard Cleaning Systems of AL.	PHCC	\$799.00
	Rock School	\$1,612.00
	Community Center	\$600.00
	City Hall	\$1,170.00
	Bicentennial Park	\$200.00
Cintas	Public Works	\$3,590.02
	Bicentennial Park	\$536.62
	PHCC	\$1,061.17
	Community Center	\$402.11
	PYSC	\$638.59
Green Co	Bicentennial Park	\$2,588.93
	Bradford Soccer Field	\$1,093.68
	City Hall	\$99.34
	School Dr. Softball Fields	\$206.17
	Triangle Park	\$189.19
	PYSC	\$2,167.52
	Rock School	\$451.49
	Medians	\$2,310.00
Kellis Vegetation Mgmt.	Medians	\$2,310.00
Latta Plumbing	Community Center	\$310.00
Hemphill Services	Faucett House	\$175.00
Lock Corp	Bicentennial Park	\$1,105.00
	<b>Public Works</b>	<b>\$380.00</b>
	PHCC	\$132.43
Prestige Monitoring	Triangle Park	\$4,819.36
Brighton Up Electric	PYSC	\$38,521.00
Fonroche Lighting America	City Hall	\$356.19
Capitol Materials	PYSC	\$3,825.00
<b>Bones Lawn Care</b>	<b>Faucett House</b>	<b>\$850.00</b>
<b>Arbor Services Inc</b>		
Hand Arendall Harrison Sale		\$6,539.75
<b>Janice Cook</b>		<b>\$28.58</b>
AMROA		\$100.00
JCCA		\$100.00
VC3		\$913.67
Verizon		\$236.54
Best Insurance Group		\$1,400.00
Alabama Messenger		\$47.50
Spectrum		\$4,353.93
Tyler Technologies		\$960.00
Xerox		\$186.52
Hoopla	Library	\$838.34
Kanopy	Library	\$71.00
Midwest Tape	Library	\$11.99
Demco	Library	\$488.59
JCLC	Library	\$338.13
T-Mobile	Library	\$863.06
BSN Sports	PYSC	\$3,696.00
ARPA	PYSC	\$75.00
Uline	PYSC	\$423.11
	Public Works	\$1,323.85
	Rudd/Kermit Johnson	\$2,637.72
Argo Power Equipment	Public Works	\$2,305.84
Scott's Tire Outlet	Public Works	\$198.91
Alabama Power (7/2)		\$648.34
Wex (7/2)		\$3,372.71
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$115,597.24</b>

Account Balances @3/31/23:

Regions Gen. Fund	\$1,993,329.26
Regions MM Cap. Fund	\$144,708.45
Regions Merchant Acct	\$500.00
Hometown Library Fund	\$ 6,764.22
Hometown 4-5-6	\$422,613.05
Hometown 7-2	\$120,700.65
Hometown Misc. Road	\$19,807.03
Hometown 10 cent tax	\$87,417.26
Hometown Saving Acct	\$568,035.43