

Council Minutes  
November 2, 2023  
Regular Meeting

The Pinson City Council met in regular session at Pinson City Hall at 4410 Main Street, Pinson, on Thursday, November 2, 2023. Councilor Roberts led the invocation. Councilor Kirkland led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

**Roll Call:** Marie Turner, City Clerk, called roll of Pinson City Council with the following members present:

Councilor Irvin  
Councilor Walker  
Mayor Pro Tem Roberts  
Councilor Churchwell  
Councilor Kirkland

**Absent:**  
Mayor Cochran

**Minutes:** Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to waive the reading of and approve the minutes from October 19, 2023. Councilor Walker duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

**Rules Suspended.**

**CenterPoint Fire District-** Battalion Chief Horn gave the Fire District Report.

**Rules Reinstated**

**Committee Chair Reports:**

**Finance:** Councilor Irvin offered a motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$67,604.93. Councilor Walker duly seconded the motion. Highlights on the bills include the payment for the dues to Internet in the amount of \$4,500.00. The Contract Deputy 35,000.00 and Landscaping updated 4,000.00. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously."**

**Enhancements:** Mayor Pro Tem Roberts talked about Boo Bash that took place on Oct.27,2023 at The Rock School it was well attended put on by the Library and Park and Rec.

Councilor Irvin mentioned that the Veteran's Day Luncheon will take place on November 10, 2023, starting at 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.at the Rock School and Three On A String will provide the entertainment. Councilor Irvin stated, Veterans should call City Hall to make a reservation.

Councilor Irvin announced the Christmas parade will take place on December 4, 2023, beginning at 6:00 p.m. Councilor Irvin announced the parade theme this year will be Candy Cane Christmas with special guest of Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus. Councilor Irvin mentioned the registration for float entry on the City of Pinson website.

Councilor Kirkland mentioned Trade Day that will take place on November 4, 2023, on Main Street.

Planning and Zoning Public Hearing- Mayor Pro Tem Roberts opened a public hearing for rezoning of 6729 Ridgewood Drive. There was no one present to speak for or against. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts closed the hearing.

Ordinance of zoning 6729 Ridgewood Drive- Councilor Walker offered a motion of Ordinance of zoning 6729 Ridgewood Drive from Jefferson County Residential to The City of Pinson Residential. Councilor Irvin duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for a roll call vote for unanimous consent to consider with the following results: Councilor Irvin- yes, Councilor Walker – yes; Mayor Pro Tem Roberts- yes, Councilor Churchwell- yes, Councilor Kirkland- yes

**Old Business:**

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts also mentioned there was an opening to join the Library Board and to reach out to Pinson City Library.

Councilor Walker offered a motion to amend the purchase price of the 2012 Ford Expedition used truck from the 911 Center in the amount of \$8,850.00. Councilor Irvin duly seconded the motion Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “Let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

**New Business:** Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to change the meeting date for City Council to November 13, 2023 due to NLC in Atlanta. Mayor Cochran duly seconded the motion Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “Let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry unanimously.”**

Mayor Pro Tem Roberts also mentioned Pinson Valley Football Team will be in the State Playoff on November 11, 2023 in Florence, AL against Muscle Shoals.

**Public Comment:** Mayor Pro Tem Roberts opened the floor for public comment. Seeing none, Mayor Pro Tem Roberts asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilor Walker offered a motion to adjourn. Councilor Churchwell duly seconded the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Roberts called for all in favor say ‘aye’, all opposed say ‘no’. **Mayor Pro Tem Roberts, “let the record reflect the ‘ayes’ carry and we are adjourned.”**

Adjourned at 7:21 p.m.  
Respectfully submitted,  
Marie Turner City Clerk

**Bills 11/02/2023**

Alabama Power	Box Cam	\$2,166.71
	City Hall	\$1,577.84
	City Hall Sign	\$274.50
	PYSC	\$3,243.57
	Innsbrooke	\$109.52
	Triangle Park	\$82.76
	Community Center	\$256.28
	Bicentennial Park	\$2,154.49
	Rock School	\$2,100.83
	Softball Field	\$135.54
	PHCC	\$826.17
	Powell Ave House	\$76.28
	Faucett House	\$211.44
	<b>Storm Shelter</b>	\$80.16
	ABBF	\$71.60
Cintas	City Hall	\$2,953.76
Stark Exterminators	Faucett House	\$75.00
	Bicentennial Park	\$21.00
	PYSC	\$55.00
	City Hall	\$15.00
	PHCC	\$50.00
		\$11.25
Centerpoint Fire District		\$4,457.46
Spectrum	Public Works	\$70.39
Cowin Equipment	Bicentennial Park	\$385.00
Latta Plumbing Service		\$152.00
Verizon Connect	City Hall	\$787.88
Uline		\$35,749.99
Jefferson County Sheriff's Office	Public Works	\$20.00
Scott's Tire Outlet	PHCC	\$2,786.00
Prestige Alarm & Speciality		\$30.00
J.T. Smallwood		\$152.00
Express Oil Change		
Verizon		\$237.69
Stone & Sons		\$809.93
<b>GreenCo.</b>		\$4,166.09
<b>American Promo</b>	City Hall	\$666.60
<b>Xerox</b>		\$67.52
Alabama Power (7/2)		\$517.68
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$67,604.93</b>

Account Balances @9/29/23:

Regions Gen. Fund	\$1,885,943.38
Regions MM Cap. Fund	\$144,553.67
Regions Merchant Acct	\$337.08
Hometown Library Fund	\$ 7,259.32
Hometown 4-5-6	\$431,736.27
Hometown 7-2	\$99,692.90
Hometown Misc. Road	\$102,994.30
Hometown 10 cent tax	\$88,182.85
Hometown Saving Acct	\$573,723.71