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**Donald Nelson** Mayor

Lee Anne Greene Curtis Heathcoe James Ivy

Councilmembers

Kenneth Moss

Mark Howell

Kim W. Pettway City Clerk

Linda Hoiles Court Clerk

Jerry Taylor Chief of Police

# AGENDA FOR THE CITY OF CREOLA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT CREOLA CITY HALL ON May 09, 2013 @ 6:00PM

Mayor called the meeting to order.

Mayor asked that the Moss family be kept in prayer and had special prayer in his honor. Upon the call of roll, the following were found to be present:

Mayor Nelson Councilwoman Greene Councilman Heathcoe Councilman Ivy Councilman Howell

City Clerk was present

Mayor and Councilwoman Green presented Gavin White and Layla Knight with A and B honor roll students with a certificate from the city.

Minutes from the council meeting held on April 25, 2013 were presented. Councilman Ivy made a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting held. Councilman Howell seconded, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

#### CITIZENS ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL

No business

# RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES OTHER BUSINESS

No business

#### PLANNING COMMITTEE

Mayor states that he will meet with investors from Georgia for Exit 19 on May 20, 2013. Mayor will let council know the time at a later date.

\*The next planning meeting will be 5/21/13

#### ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

No business

## PARKS AND RECREATION

Councilman Howell states he met with North a fence company at the park, should have a quote for fence at the park by next council meeting.

## UTILITIES AND SENIOR CITIZEN

Mayor asked Councilman Heathcoe to check out the broken glass at the senior building. Councilman Heathcoe states that the report has been hung in the building.

Mrs. Venus Davis gave an update on the community development group. Mrs. Davis states that the following businesses have given donations to the group. Dana Suttles, Herring Plumbing, Overstreet trucking, Delta Plumbing, Coastal A/C heat, Axis machine welding.

## **FINANCE**

Next meeting

## POLICE AND FIRE

Councilman Ivy states that the police department request approval to upgrade the department pistols and the cost is \$375.00.

Councilman Ivy made a motion to buy parts to upgrade pistols

Councilwoman Greene second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Fire Chief Jeff Reeves states that the annual air quality check for the fire departments air compressor is due for the amount of \$1143.00

Councilman Ivy made motion to pay \$1143.00 to have the air checked.

Councilman Howell second the motion, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Chief Jerry Taylor states that the next community watch meeting will be 5/16/13 at 6pm. Chief Jerry Taylor states that Officer Shawn Wood, along with Mobile County Street Enforcement Narcotics team, received the Chief's award for their performance in 2012

## **STREETS**

Councilman Heathcoe states that the Street department has been busy getting pot holes filled and grass cut.

Mayor asked Councilman Heathcoe to talk to business about putting concrete in to fill holes.

#### ADDITIONAL NOTES

Councilwoman Green states that the community development group will have a yard sale at the park June 1 and will be selling hot dogs and drinks.

Mayor states he called Walton Construction and they will be here Monday.

The building Inspector Don Moss states he will get some estimates for drainage on Ellison Ave and also checking some drainage in Bradley Acres.

Mayor states he talked to Dr. Rubinstein and Dr. Vickers about meeting with the Saraland schools. We have no date as of now but will send out flyers in mail as soon as a date is set. A citizen asked if the council was for or against the annexation. Mayor states he can't speak for the other council member but His thoughts are he has been in Creola for almost 60 years and he wants to do what the citizens want to do. Mayor, council and citizens discuss the school issue again.

Mayor announces vacancy on council due to Councilman Moss going home.

## Adjournment

Councilman Ivy made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Heathcoe second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.