



**CITY OF CREOLA
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**Donald Nelson
Mayor**

Lee Anne Greene

Curtis Heathcoe

James Ivy

Tonya Moss

Mark Howell

Councilmembers

**Kim W. Green
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
August 13, 2015 @ 6:00pm**

Mayor called the meeting to order.

Chief Taylor gave invocation.

Pledge of Allegiance

Upon the call of roll, the following were found to be present:

Mayor Nelson

Councilwoman Greene

Councilman Heathcoe

Councilman Ivy

Councilwoman Moss

Councilman Howell

City clerk and City attorney was present.

Councilman Heathcoe made a motion to accept the minutes from the meeting 7/23/15.

Councilman Howell seconded, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

CITIZENS ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL

No business

RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES OTHER BUSINESS

Councilwoman Moss made a motion to introduce property that belongs to James and Ann Holland on Creax Rd. Councilwoman Greene Introduced property for Linda Mays Jones and Lisa Mays Street on Creax Rd requesting to be annexed into the city.

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

PLANNING COMMITTEE

Rev. Chambers invited citizens to attend the meeting on Tuesday. They will be working on ordinances and changes to the subdivision book, SARPC will be assisting. Rev. Chambers also states that a new church will be moving in the existing building at Creola mart.

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

No business

PARKS AND RECREATION

Councilman Howell thanked the fire department for burning the pile of debris at park. Councilman Howell made a motion to purchase latches for gates around the ball field. Councilman Ivy second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

UTILITIES AND SENIOR CITIZEN

FINANCE

Councilwoman Greene made a motion to accept the financial report. Councilman Heathcoe seconded, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Councilwoman Greene made a motion to pay the bills that were presented. Councilman Howell seconded, all favored, motion carried.

Councilman Howell states that a Pitts & Sons truck broke a culvert. The company is in the process of taking care of the damages.

Councilwoman Greene made a motion to use the per diem forms. Councilman Howell second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried

CREOLA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP

Mrs. Davis states that the CCDG and Gulf Coast Opry will sponsor school supply drive that ends on Aug. 29. The supplies will be split between Robert E. Lee and North Mobile Elementary and Middle.

Mrs. Davis states that on June 13 the CCDG had breakfast for the seniors and Veterans and would like recognize Keirstan Bennett, 3rd grader, with a certificate for being an awesome little helper with the breakfast.

POLICE AND FIRE

Chief needs council approval to apply for grant for a vehicle at the Police Department. Council Howell made a motion for the Chief to apply for the grant for the police department. Councilman Ivy second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Councilwoman Greene states that Mr. Quinten Rains passed the national forestry registry technician and was also the 2014 fireman of year. Mayor states to invite Quintin Rains to the municipal dinner.

STREETS

Councilman Heathcoe made a motion to accept Mr. Snow resignation letter in good standing. Councilman Howell second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Councilman Heathcoe states that the new street signs are in.

Mayor states that Hardy Dr. is on the list to be resurfaced no later than August 31.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

Mayor states that they are getting estimates on some bridge repairs and will bring them to council once they get them.

Councilwoman Moss made a motion to change council meeting from September 24 meeting to September 17 at 6:30 at the sail center.

Councilman Howell seconded, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Mayor asked Kim and Chief to state their concerns about the Mobile County personnel board. Mayor and council states they would like to check into what can be done to help better the process.

Mrs. Casie Bennet asked the council and Mayor to think about banning dogs from city parks. Councilman Howell states that the city does have a leash law, if dog are in park with no leash, call police department. Mayor states for council to think about it and bring back to council.

Don Moss, building inspector, ask the council for permission to call county about cutting the limbs back down Radcliff Rd. Mayor states to call the county.

Councilwoman Greene states that Rep. Bradley Byrne will be in Chickasaw on August 19 at 2:30pm. Councilwoman Greene and Councilwoman Moss will be attending classes in Montgomery August 22, 2015

Rev. Bill Chambers states to keep in mind about the public hearing coming up.

Adjournment

Councilwoman Moss made a motion to adjourn.

Councilman Howell seconded, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.