

MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL MEETING

VALLEY GRANDE, ALABAMA

Regular Meeting

July 1, 2019

Call to order by Matt Dobbs, Mayor at 6:00 PM

Meeting held at Valley Grande City Hall

Minutes submitted by: Janet Frasier, City Clerk

Presiding: Matt Dobbs, Mayor

Invocation: Matt Dobbs

In Attendance:

Matt Dobbs, Mayor	Present
Tim White	Present
Ronald Sawyer	Present
Lamar Morgan	Present
Tammy Troha	Present
Jimmy Johnson	Present

Quorum was made with all council members present.

The minutes from the June 3, 2019 regular meeting were presented by Janet Frasier. Motion was made by Lamar Morgan to accept the minutes as presented. Jimmy Johnson made the second. Motion carried with unanimous consent of the council by a show of hands vote.

<u>SHOW OF HANDS VOTE</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
Matt Dobbs	X	
Tim White	X	
Ronald Sawyer	X	
Lamar Morgan	X	
Tammy Troha	X	
Jimmy Johnson	X	

The minutes from the June 17, 2019 regular meeting were presented by Janet Frasier. Motion was made by Tammy Troha to accept the minutes as presented. Jimmy Johnson made the second. Motion carried with unanimous consent of the council by a show of hands vote.

<u>SHOW OF HANDS VOTE</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
Matt Dobbs	X	
Tim White	X	
Ronald Sawyer	X	
Lamar Morgan	X	
Tammy Troha	X	
Jimmy Johnson	X	

Reports of Officers:

Boyd Pugh /Public Safety Director: Boyd Pugh reported 9 fire calls so far during the month of June. Boyd also stated that the Fire Truck has been repaired and passed the pump test. Mr. Pugh was advised that the council needs to consider purchasing a new truck.

Sam Smitherman/Building Inspector: Sam Smitherman reported 5 houses currently in progress.

Tim White /Zoning, Annexation and Sewer System: Tim White reported that the shed at the ballfield has now been moved to the walking trail.

Ronald Sawyer / Beautification and Education: Ronnie Sawyer reported that the handicap walkway at the ballfield has been completed and that Bubba Holley is getting the men’s and women’s softball teams lined up. Deadline is July 8, 2019.

Lamar Morgan / Public Safety: Lamar Morgan reported that the tractor is still in the shop and would not be repaired until after July 4, 2019

Tammy Troha / Parks and Recreation: Tammy Troha reported that the City is preparing for the July 4th fireworks this week. Jimmy Johnson asked about repairs to the walking trail restrooms. Mrs. Troha stated that she would check into the repairs this week.

Jimmy Johnson / Business and Community Development: Jimmy Johnson reported that he spoke to David Oliver about the status of the new construction at Dave’s Market. He stated that Mr. Oliver is waiting on permit to move the dirt at the new location.

Old Business: None

New Business:

Mayor Matt Dobbs presented Resolution 2019-101 establishing the monthly salary for the incoming 2020 Mayor and City Council Members. The resolution would establish the Mayor receiving \$800.00 per month and the Council Members receiving \$200.00 per meeting, not to exceed \$400.00 per month. Tammy Troha made a motion to adopt the resolution as presented. Jimmy Johnson made the second. Motion carried with unanimous consent of the council by a show of hands vote.

<u>SHOW OF HANDS VOTE</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
Matt Dobbs	X	
Tim White		X
Ronald Sawyer	X	
Lamar Morgan	X	
Tammy Troha	X	
Jimmy Johnson	X	

Mayor Dobbs declared Resolution 2019-101 adopted as attached to these minutes.

RESOLUTION 2019-101

**ESTABLISHING THE MONTHLY SALARY OF THE
MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALLEY GRANDE, ALABAMA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the salary of the mayor of the City of Valley Grande, Alabama, shall be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of \$800 (eight hundred) per month.

Section 2. That each councilmember shall be compensated at the sum of \$200 (two hundred) per meeting attended not to exceed \$400 (four hundred) per month.

Section 3. This resolution shall become effective on the first Monday in November 2020 and shall continue in force and effect until repealed by action of the council.

Section 4. The provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable; if any portion of this resolution shall be held unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such ruling shall not affect the remaining portions of this resolution.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS THE 1ST DAY OF JULY 2019.

Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Public Comment: None

Mayor's Report: None

There being no further business to come before the council, a motion to adjourn was made by Jimmy Johnson. Tammy Troha made the second. The motion was carried by unanimous consent of the council. The meeting was adjourned at 6:17 PM.

Approved: _____
Matt Dobbs, Mayor

Attested: _____
Janet Frasier, City Clerk