

**City of Chelsea
City Council Pre-Council
March 1, 2022
Pre-Council Minutes**

Members of the Chelsea City Council met in pre-council on March 1st, 2022, at 5:00P.M. with Mayor Tony Picklesimer calling the meeting to order. The meeting was held in the Conference Room and open to the public.

The following elected officials were found to be present:

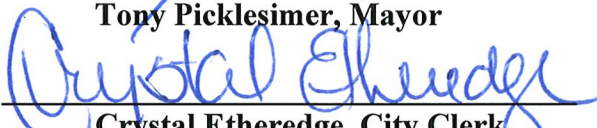
Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember Cody Sumners
Councilmember Chris Grace
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Others present: Crystal Etheredge and City Attorney Grant Howard

After discussion regarding items on the agenda, the pre-council meeting adjourned at 5:56P.M. The Council met in the council chambers for the regular scheduled council meeting at 6:00P.M.

Approval Date: 3-15-22

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk

March 1, 2022

Regular Session

The City Council of the City of Chelsea, Alabama, met in regular council session on March 1st, 2022, at 6:02P.M. at Chelsea City Hall. Mayor Tony Picklesimer called the meeting to order. Tim Cox, Liberty Baptist Church, opened the meeting with prayer. Councilmember Chris Grace led the council in the pledge of allegiance.

The following elected officials were found to be present:

Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember Cody Sumners
Councilmember Chris Grace
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Mayor Picklesimer declared a quorum present.

A motion to approve the amended agenda was made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Scott Weygand. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

A motion to approve the minutes as written from the Pre-Council and Regular Council Meeting on February 15th, 2022 was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Next, during the Mayor's report, a proclamation honoring Lionel James was read declaring March 1st as Lionel James Day. A motion to receive this proclamation was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes". A second proclamation was read to declare March 20th – March 26th, 2022 as "National Safe Place Week". A motion to receive this proclamation was made by Chris Grace and seconded by Scott Weygand. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-03-01-977 to appoint a voting delegate and two alternates to represent the City of Chelsea at the Alabama League of Municipalities Annual Convention Business Session was next on the agenda. A motion to appoint Mayor Tony Picklesimer as voting delegate and Scott Weygand and Chris Grace as the alternate delegates was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Tiffany Bittner. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-03-01-978 to award Nick Grant Funds to Chelsea Park Elementary School was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the Nick Grant Funds for CPES was made by Chris Grace and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-03-01-979 to amend the MOA for the Turf & Competition Track Project at Chelsea High School was next on the agenda. A motion to amend the MOA was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Scott Weygand. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Approval of City of Chelsea Bills to be paid was next on the agenda. A motion to pay the City's bills was made by Cody Sumners and seconded by Chris Grace. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Jane Ann Mueller, Chelsea Community Center, reported on the happenings at the facility and reminded the council of all of the programs available.

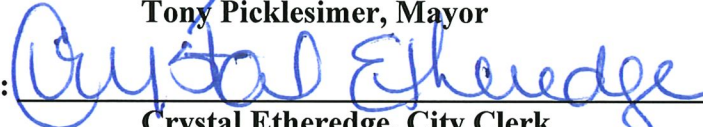
Joe Lee, Fire Chief, informed the council the city's ISO had improved to a 2 rating which will have a positive impact on citizen's insurance rates.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Time: 6:32P.M.

Approval Date: 3-15-22

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk