

**City of Chelsea
City Council Pre-Council
May 3, 2022
Pre-Council Minutes**

Members of the Chelsea City Council met in pre-council on May 3rd, 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:

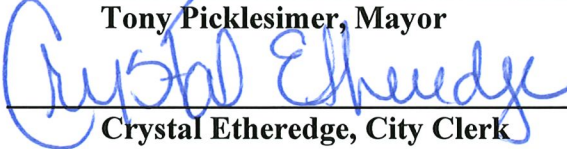
Mayor Tony Picklesimer
Councilmember Scott Weygand
Councilmember Cody Summers
Councilmember Chris Grace
Councilmember Tiffany Bittner
Councilmember Casey Morris

Others present: Crystal Etheredge and City Attorney Mark Boardman

After discussion regarding items on the agenda, the pre-council meeting adjourned at 5:39P.M. The Council met in the council chambers for the regular scheduled council meeting at 6:00P.M.

Approval Date: 5-17-22

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk

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Regular Session

The City Council of the City of Chelsea, Alabama, met in regular council session on May 3rd, 2022, at 6:00P.M. at Chelsea City Hall. Mayor Tony Picklesimer called the meeting to order. Jake Fellmeth (Chelsea Baptist Church) opened the meeting with prayer. Councilmember Cody Sumners 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. During the Mayor's report, Bill Dunn (District Judge candidate) and Donna Beaulieu (Circuit Judge candidate) addressed the council briefly. Mayor Picklesimer read a proclamation declaring May 2022 as "Mental Health Awareness Month".

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Chris Grace. 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 April 19th, 2022 was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Tiffany Bittner. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-05-03-994 to support Chelsea High School was next on the agenda. A motion to support Chelsea High School and give the Shelby County Board of Education \$25,000.00 to be used for the new football coach at CHS was made by Casey Morris and seconded by Tiffany Bittner. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-05-03-995 to award Nick Grant Fund to FOES was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the award of Nick Grant Funds to FOES was made by Chris Grace and seconded by Cody Sumners. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Resolution 2022-05-03-996 to authorize the purchase of a golf cart was next on the agenda. A motion to authorize the purchase of a golf cart was made by Scott Weygand and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Proposed Ordinance 2022-05-03-955 to call for a Special Municipal Election was next on the agenda. A motion to call for a Special Municipal Election was made by Tiffany Bittner and seconded by Scott Weygand. A roll call vote was taken. Scott Weygand, Chris Grace, Tony Picklesimer and Tiffany Bittner were "Ayes" and Cody Sumners and Casey Morris voted "Nay".

Approval of City of Chelsea Bills to be paid was next on the agenda. A motion to approve the city's bill was made by Chris Grace and seconded by Casey Morris. A voice vote was taken and it was a unanimous, "Yes".

Emily Sims, Chelsea Public Library, reminded the council of programs coming up at the Library.

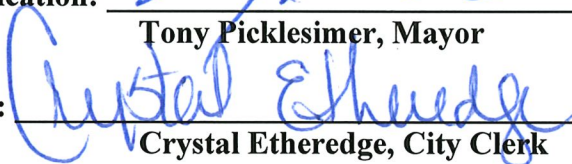
Joe Lee, Fire Chief, announced the City of Chelsea would be under a burn ban from May 1st – October 31st. The Fire Department no longer issues burn permits. They are issued by ADEM.

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

Time: 6:49P.M.

Approval Date: 5-17-22

Certification: 
Tony Picklesimer, Mayor

Attest: 
Crystal Etheredge, City Clerk