

MINUTES  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
June 27, 2023

The City of Millbrook held its Regular Council Meeting at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 27, 2023, in the City Council Meeting Room.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Council President Gay gave the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

CALL TO ORDER Council President Gay called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL Council President Gay requested the roll be called. Present were Council President Gay, Councilmembers Thomas, Harris, and Jones. Absent: Councilmember Bath. Also present were Department Heads Gina Williams, Brandon Harris, Ann Harper, Andrew Markley, Fire Chief Brown, Police Chief Johnson, Sherry Myrick, Danae Morgan, Contract Engineering Stuart Peters, City Attorney Kelly Lee, and City Clerk Lori Davis.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA Councilmember Jones moved to approve the Agenda. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Thomas and passed unanimously by those present.

READING OF MINUTES Regular Council Meeting June 13, 2023. Councilmember Jones moved to accept the minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Thomas and passed unanimously by those present.

ORDINANCE 23-04 Amending Chapter 2 Section 2-62 of the Code Of Ordinances. Date and Time of Regular Meetings; Meetings Open to the Public. Second Reading. Ordinance 23-04 was read in full. Action on this Ordinance was deferred until later in the meeting.

RESOLUTION 23-45 Authorizing Purchase of New Ambulance Chassis for Millbrook Fire Department. Resolution 23-45 was read in full. Action on this Resolution was deferred until later in the meeting.

RESOLUTION 23-46 Authorizing Budget Increase for the Building Department. Resolution 23-46 was read in full. Action on this Resolution was deferred until later in the meeting.

PUBLIC HEARING Community Development Block Grant Application Consideration for FY 2023. Council President Gay opened the Public Hearing and called for anyone to speak regarding the grant request. Leslie York and Mechel Raysor with the Central Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission (CARPDC) were present to represent the application consideration. They gave a brief presentation to explain what the grant will provide if the city is awarded it and answered any questions. There being no further comments Council President Gay closed the Public Hearing.

PUBLIC HEARING ABC License Request. Council President Gay opened the Public Hearing and called for anyone to speak regarding the license request. Alpesh Patel was present to represent the ABC license request. There being no comments Council President Gay closed the Public Hearing.

ABC LICENSE Bless Wine and Spirits. 011 – Lounge Retail Liquor Class II (Package). Councilmember Harris moved to approve the license request. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Jones and passed unanimously by those present.

PUBLIC ASSEMBLY PERMIT Outlaw “Gender Reveal”; July 8, 2023; 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.; Minney Massie Park. Councilmember Harris moved to approve the Public Assembly Permit request. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Thomas and passed unanimously by those present.

REPORT OF THE MAYOR Mayor Kelley introduced Chris Neuenschwander with Jackson Thornton. Mr. Neuenschwander gave a brief report of the outcome of the FY2022 audit reporting the city is in excellent financial condition and found no noncompliance.

REPORTS OF COUNCILMEMBERS Councilmember thanked Mayor Kelley and Gina Williams for keeping the city in excellent financial condition.

Council President Gay echoed Councilmember Harris’s comments, and thanked all Department Heads for helping to keep the city within the budget so the city can reinvest in our community.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS No reports were given.

OPEN TO FLOOR Jacquelyn Graves of 2813 Caroline Drive reported an incident that occurred outside of the Municipal Court building, and requested there be a police officer outside of the courtroom on court days. Council President Gay invited Ms. Graves to speak to Chief Johnson after the meeting adjourned.

VOTE ON ORDINANCE 23-04 Councilmember Thomas moved to adopt Ordinance 23-04. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Harris and a roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Councilmembers Thomas, Harris, Jones, and Gay. Nays: None. The motion passed unanimously by those present.

VOTE ON RESOLUTION 23-45 Councilmember Jones moved to adopt Resolution 23-45. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Thomas and a roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Councilmembers Thomas, Harris, Jones, and Gay. Nays: None. The motion passed unanimously by those present.

VOTE ON RESOLUTION 23-46 Councilmember Jones moved to adopt Resolution 23-46. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Harris and a roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Councilmembers Thomas, Harris, Jones, and Gay. Nays: None. The motion passed unanimously by those present.

ADJOURNMENT There being no further business, Councilmember Jones moved to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Harris and passed unanimously by those present. The meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Davis  
City Clerk

APPROVED:

Michael Gay  
Council President