**Town of Jonesboro**

**Board of Alderman Meeting Minutes**

**Regular Meeting, May 12, 2020**

**Public Hearing** was called to order by Mayor Leslie Thompson at 5:45 P.M. via teleconference.

**Roll Call:**  Flowers-Present, Stringer-Present, Siadek-Present, Ginn-Present, and Johnson-Present.

**Invocation** was conducted by Siadek.

**Pledge of Allegiance** was led by Ginn.

**Ordinance #2020-001 FEMA-**  Mayor Thompson briefly read over the ordinance. The Mayor asked if anyone had any questions or concerns regarding this ordinance. There were no comments or questions by the public.

**Agenda**

**Public Comments-** There were no comments made.

**Approval of April Minutes:** Motion by Flowers to approve April’s minutes. Seconded by Siadek. Motion Carried.

**Approval of April Bills:** Motion to approve April’s bills made by Ginn. Seconded by Flowers. Motion Carried.

**Financials:**  There was a brief discussion regarding the financials.

**Adoption of Ordinance #2020-001 FEMA:** Siadek made a motion to adopt Ordinance #2020-001. Seconded by Flowers. Motion Carried.

**Introduction of Ordinance #2020-002 Budget 2020-2021:** Flowers made a motion to introduce Ordinance #2020-002. A motion to set public hearing for June 9th at 5:30 P.M. to review and discuss Ordinance #2020-002 was made by Flowers. Seconded by Stringer. Motion Carried.

**Bid for Surplus Items:** Motion by Stringer to declare the items surplus and to authorize the sale of surplus items. Seconded by Siadek. Motion Carried.

**Bid for Fuel:**  Motion by Flowers to authorize to advertise for bids for fuel. Seconded by Siadek. Motion Carried.

 **Resolution #2020-022 Denmon Engineering:** Motion to authorize the Mayor to enter into the contract with Denmon Engineering made by Flowers. Seconded by Ginn. Motion Carried.

**Task Order between the Town of Jonesboro and Denmon Engineering:**  Motion to authorize the Mayor to enter in the Task Order Contract with Denmon Engineering made by Flowers. Seconded by Siadek. Motion Carried.

**Advertisement of the Jonesboro Airport Obstruction Removal Project:**  Motion to authorize Denmon Engineering to handle the advertisement process made by Flowers. Seconded by Ginn. Motion Carried.

**Department Head Reports-Police:**  Chief Harris gave an update on the Police Department.

**Approval of Department Head Report-Police:** Motion to approve the Department Head Report from the Police Department made by Siadek. Seconded by Ginn. Motion Carried.

**Police-Termination:** Motion to terminate Geraldo Fournier made by Flowers. Seconded by Siadek. Motion Carried.

**Police-Hire:** Chief Harris asked to revisit the new hiring due to the candidates evaluation results not being in yet and budget concerns.

**Council Comments:** Council member; Flowers, Siadek, Ginn, and Johnson each expressed comments.

**Mayor Comments:** The Mayor expressed comments.

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Siadek. Seconded by Flowers. Motion Carried.

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**Amanda Womack, Town Clerk Leslie Thompson, Mayor**

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