Council Minutes February 20, 2025 Regular Meeting

The Pinson City Council met in regular session at Pinson City Hall at 4410 Main Street, Pinson, on Thursday, February 6, 2025, Councilor Sanders led the invocation. Councilor Walker led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

<u>Roll Call:</u> Marie Turner City Clerk, called the roll of Pinson City Council with the following members present:

Councilor Walker Councilor Sanders Councilor Churchwell Councilor Kirkland Mayor Roberts **Absent:** Councilor Irvin

<u>Minutes:</u> Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to waive the reading of and approve the minutes from February 6, 2025. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously".

Finance: Councilor Walker offered a motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$64,359.41. Councilor Kirkland duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. **Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously".**

<u>Mayor Reports</u>: Mayor Roberts reappointed Latesha Cady to the Planning and Zoning Commission for a term of six (6) years. This term will expire in 2031.

Mayor Roberts congratulated the Pinson Valley High School Boys Basketball team, stating the team has made it to the Final Four to be played at the BJCC next week.

Old Business: Mayor Roberts opened a Public Hearing regarding 4302/4306 Main Street.

No one was present to speak for or against.

Mayor Roberts closed the Public Hearing.

Councilor Sanders offered a resolution ascertaining, fixing and determining the amount of assessment to be charged as a lien, regarding 4302/4306 Main Street, in the amount of \$7,029.32. Councilor Churchwell duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker- Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell-Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. **Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously" as Resolution 25-05.**

Councilor Walker offered a business license ordinance amendment regarding temporary license. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker- Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell- Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. **Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously" as Ordinance 2025-04.**

Mayor Roberts took a moment to explain the reason for the salary ordinance. Councilor Walker explained he felt that the increase should be closer to a 10% increase, adding there is a lot we do outside of these meetings. Councilor Sanders stated he is more in line with Councilor Walker's numbers.

Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to accept an ordinance regarding Council salaries for those duly elected in the August 2025 General Municipal Election, as proposed by Mayor Roberts. Councilor Churchwell duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker- No, Councilor Sanders-No, Councilor Churchwell-Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously" as Ordinance 2025-05.

Councilor Kirkland offered a motion to accept an ordinance regarding a salary for the Mayor, duly elected in the August 2025 General Municipal Election, as proposed by Mayor Roberts. This motion failed due to lack of a second.

Councilor Walker offered a motion to accept an ordinance regarding a salary for the Mayor, duly elected in the August 2025 General Municipal Election, as proposed by Councilor Walker. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker- Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell- No, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- No. Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously" as Ordinance 2025-06.

New Business:

Councilor Walker offered a resolution concerning approval by Alabama ABC Board, regarding Munoz Pinson trans of ownership. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker- Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell- Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. Mayor **Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously" as Resolution 25-03.**

Councilor Walker offered a motion to purchase the Youth Park equipment needed, not to exceed \$4,600.00. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayo Roberts call for unanimous consent to consider with the following results: Councilor Walker-Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell- Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. Unanimous consent passes. Mayor Roberts called for a roll call vote with the following results: Councilor Walker-Yes, Councilor Walker-Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Sanders-Yes, Councilor Churchwell- Yes, Councilor Kirkland-Yes, Mayor Roberts- Yes. Mayor Roberts- Yes. Mayor Roberts- Yes. Mayor Roberts, "Let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry unanimously".

Department Head Reports:

Allison Scanlan, Pinson Public Library Director, Gave the library report and updated everyone with upcoming events.

Public Comment:

Lindy Wynn, 6636 Tyler Loop Road, Had several questions regarding where the cities money comes from and how does the city grow.

Councilor Walker offered a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilor Sanders duly seconded the motion. Mayor Roberts called for all in favor say 'aye', all opposed say 'no'. Mayor Roberts, "let the record reflect the 'ayes' carry, and we are adjourned".

Adjourned at 8:24 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Marie Turner, City Clerk

Bills 02/20/2025			
Birmingham Water Works	Triangle Park	\$29.63	Account Balances @01/31/2025:
	PYSC	\$236.83	Regions Gen. Fund \$2,682,941.19
	City Hall	\$92.43	Regions MM Cap. Fund \$144,104.98
	Powell House	\$32.71	Regions Merchant Acct \$153,648.11
	Community Center	\$55.52	Regions Payroll \$149,903.89 Hometown Library Fund \$4,457.59
	Bicentennial Park	\$1,663.77	Hometown 4-5-6 \$480,483.73
	Temp Utilities	\$29.63	Hometown 7-2 \$50,056.71
	PHCC	\$211.45	Hometown Misc. Road \$117,000.89
	Rock School	\$1,421.84	Hometown 10 cent tax \$90,190.63
	Bradford Park	\$29.63	Hometown Saving Acct \$588,656.18
Trussville Gas & Water	City Hall	\$483.41	
	Rock School	\$1,232.78	
	Powell House	\$23.60	
	Bicentennial Park	\$352.07	
	Community Center	\$231.83	
VC3	2	\$626.00	
Amazon	Library	\$1,896.82	
T-Mobile	Library	\$1,489.14	
Penworthy	Library	\$2,901.73	
Jefferson County Library Cooperative	Library	\$136.50	
Ameritek	Library	\$313.48	
Demco	Library	\$73.79	
Dell Finacial Service	Library	\$968.82	
Wastemanagement	,	\$517.94	
EWING	Bradford Park	\$143.59	
Greater Birmingham Humane Society		\$1,146.14	
Latta Plumbing Service		\$202.60	
Alabama Recreation & Parks Association	Park & Rec	\$75.00	Already Paid
Mayer	City Hall	\$1,865.73	
Uline	Park & Rec	\$377.72	
Airgas	Public Works	\$51.53	
O'Reilly Auto Parts	Public Works	\$120.23	
Stark Exterminators	City Hall	\$681.00	
	Powell House	\$109.00	
	Community Center	\$229.00	
	Rock School	\$1,240.00	
	Bicentennial Park	\$289.00	
	Faucett	\$45.00	
Quality Trophy Company	Park & Rec	\$295.75	
Jefferson County Sheriff Office	February	\$29,673.62	
Xerox	2	\$6,266.22	
International Municipal Clerks	Marie Turner	\$220.00	
-	Heather Lind	\$160.00	
Borland Benefield	City Hall	\$5,950.00	
Express Oil Change	-	\$166.93	
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Total:

\$64,359.41