

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PIEDMONT
AUGUST 2, 2011

The City Council of the City of Piedmont met in regular session at the time and on the date above. Present were Mayor Brian Young, Council Members John Lawrence, Mary Bramblett, Ed Hanson, Kenny Kelley, Eddie Baldwin, Billy Baker and Brent Morrison.

Mayor Young declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order.

Following the invocation given by Kenny Kelley and the pledge of allegiance to the flag the minutes were presented for consideration. Billy Baker made the motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mary Bramblett seconded the motion and the minutes were approved unanimously.

The bills totaling \$150,663.60 were then presented for consideration for payment. Kenny Kelley made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. Eddie Baldwin seconded the motion and the bills were approved with one abstention from Ed Hanson.

The Mayor asked for consideration of Resolution 2011-23 which is an agreement between East Alabama Planning Commission and the City of Piedmont to allow East Alabama to prepare a redistricting plan for the city. Ed Hanson made the motion to adopt Resolution 2011-23. Billy Baker seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

In other business Brent Morrison made the motion to allow Chief Tidwell to purchase one 2012 Dodge Charger from the state bid at a price of \$23,327.00 for the police department and to also take bids for the equipment for the patrol car. John Lawrence seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

In Visitor's comments Tonya Brown asked that the council fix her mother's road and put up a street sign for the address of 613 ½ Ray Ave.

In council reports John Lawrence had no report.

Mary Bramblett asked that the programs at the civic center be promoted more.

Ed Hanson commented on several trees that need to be removed and also about purchasing a machine to make the city street signs.

Kenny Kelley commented on how good the well was pumping and how clear the water was.

Eddie Baldwin said that he spoke with McKee and Associate about the renovation of the civic center.

Billy Baker had no report.

Brent Morrison had no report.

In the Mayor's comments the Mayor reminded everyone of the Kick Off Banquet on the 13th of August. He also congratulated the 9 and 10 and 11 and 12 year old all-stars for making it to state.

With no other business to come before the council Brent Morrison made the motion to adjourn. Ed Hanson seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:12 pm.