

CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF PIEDMONT  
SEPTEMBER 17, 2024

5:47 PM

The City Council of the City of Piedmont met in regular session at the time and on the date above. Present were Mayor Baker, Council Members John Lawrence, Richard Williams, Jubal Feazell, Caleb Pope, Greg South, David Ivey, and Terry Kiser.

Following the invocation by David Ivey and the pledge of allegiance given by Mayor Baker, the minutes were presented for consideration. Terry Kiser made the motion that the minutes be approved as presented. Greg South seconded the motion and the minutes were approved.

The bills totaling \$383,401.47 were then presented for consideration for payment. Richard Williams made the motion that the bills be approved as presented. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the bills were approved for payment. Terry Kiser abstained.

Tim Frost was next on the agenda. He asked the Council to replace a worker that had quit. Greg South made the motion to allow Tim Frost to replace the worker that quit. David Ivey seconded the motion and the motion carried. Terry Kiser abstained. Terry Kiser made the motion to allow the Personnel Director to replace employees that have quit and taken another job. It will not be needed to come before the Council just to replace a worker. Jubal Feazell seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution 2024-15 was the next item on the agenda. John Lawrence made the motion to approve Resolution 2024-15. Terry Kiser seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Resolution 2024-16 was not voted on.

After the Police and Fire Reports there were no Visitor comments.

In Council reports, John Lawrence wanted to thank Chief Johnson and the department heads for the award. He also wanted to thank his wife for attending the meeting.

Richard Williams appreciated the recognition for the award. He wanted to echo John Lawrence.

Jubal Feazell appreciated the kind gesture for the award. He wanted to thank everyone for the job they do.

Caleb Pope appreciated the appreciation that was given. He said we are not the richest city by any means, but we seem to make it work.

Greg South wanted to thank his family and the City of Piedmont. He was thankful for the recognition that he received.

David Ivey wanted to echo what everyone said. He appreciated the honor and thankful his wife could attend.

Terry Kiser wanted to echo all and thanked Chief Johnson.

Clerk Hinton told the Council that the Civic Center repairs on the flooring and painting were looking very good and should be completed shortly. He informed the Council that Electrical Department was installing the last batch of the new meters. He told the Council that Corey Horton needed to order a load of power poles for around \$10,500.00. Greg South made the motion to purchase the utility poles. Caleb Pope seconded the motion and the motion carried. In closing, he told the Council that the Gov Deal items sold for a little over \$200,000.00.

In the Mayor's comments he wanted to thank Chief Johnson for his plaque. He said he would hang it in his office. He said he gets to see most department heads on a daily basis and appreciates the work they do. He says that we have the best employees. He informed the Council that worked is still on-going for the café at Fagan's Park. He told everyone that the City is faced with a lot negative people but we are showing that good things are happening. Piedmont Football will be back in action Friday night. The JV and Junior High teams are both undefeated. Inclosing, he told that a Rally for Trump will be downtown Saturday from 10am – 12pm.

With no other business to come before the Council, Terry Kiser made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. Jubal Fezell seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 6:14 pm.