

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
OZARK, ALABAMA  
TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2015**

The City Council of the City of Ozark, Alabama, met in Regular Session in the Council Chamber of the Municipal Complex at 6:00 P.M. on Tuesday, May 26, 2015. Upon roll call the following members were present:

Present:        Billy Blackwell, Mayor  
                  Frank Garrett, Councilmember, Place No. 1  
                  Mike Barefield, Councilmember, Place No. 2  
                  Winston T. Jackson, Councilmember, Place No. 3  
                  Andy Gilland, Councilmember, Place No. 4  
                  Anthony Hill, Councilmember, Place No. 5

Absent:         None

Melissa Robinson, who acted as clerk of the meeting, Marlos Walker, Steve Sketo, Steve Price, Steve Sherrill, Bret Head, Larry Minton, Deborah Bruggink, Denise Strickland, Tim Hicks, Frankey Peterman, Stephanie Blankenship, Denise Ellis and Joe Adams.

President Gilland gave the prayer followed by Mayor Blackwell leading everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Council having read the minutes from the Regular Council Meeting held on May 5, 2015, President Gilland asked the wishes of the Council. Councilmember Garrett moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on May 5, 2015, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Jackson. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

President Gilland advised the Council it was time to set the Agenda if there were any changes to be made. Councilmember Jackson made a motion to set the Agenda, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Hill. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

A recommendation was made by the Inspection Department for demolition of a building and clean-up of property located at 3900 Campground Road. Councilmember Hill made a motion to accept the recommendation for demolition and clean-up of said property, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Barefield. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

A First Reading of Application 140-Special Events Retail, Buchanan's, 282 North Union Avenue, Ozark. Leanna Kay Snellgrove, 266 Murray Road, Ozark, AL 36360 and James Snellgrove, III, 286 Murray Mill Road, Ozark, AL 36360 was presented to the City Council. Captain Tim Hicks stated that the applicant was currently licensed and the location had been previously licensed. Captain Hicks stated after a complete investigation that he recommends that the application be approved and that the first and second reading could be done at this time. Councilmember Barefield made a motion to approve the application, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Garrett. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

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President Gilland informed the Council that a vacancy on the Hospital Board needed to be filled. Councilmember Garrett made a motion to appoint Peggy Brannon to the Hospital Board, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Jackson. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

President Gilland informed the Council that a copy of the Monthly Court Report was located in their folders for review.

President Gilland informed the Council that a copy of the Monthly Financial Report was located in their folders for review.

President Gilland informed the Council that Mayor Blackwell requested they go into Executive Session to discuss Economic Development. Councilmember Jackson made a motion to go into Executive Session, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Garrett. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

Councilmember Jackson made a motion to come out of Executive Session, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Garrett. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

With there being no further business to come before this Regular Council Meeting of May 26, 2015, Councilmember Garrett made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which motion was seconded by Councilmember Jackson. The Council voted unanimously in favor thereof.

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Presiding Officer

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City Clerk

