



**OWENS CROSS ROADS CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR SESSION MINUTES  
Tuesday, August 26, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m.  
Owens Cross Roads Court Room | 9032 Highway 431 S.**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Larry Furlough, Mayor Pro Tempore  
Scott Baker  
Tim Wright

**COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Tony Craig, Mayor

**TOWN HALL STAFF PRESENT:**

Christie Eason, Municipal Clerk  
Jason Dobbins, Chief of Police  
Scott Worsham, Lieutenant  
CT Locke, Maintenance  
Teresa Carpenter, Assistant Clerk

**ZOOMED BC OF COVID-19:**

Terry Mann  
James Mann

**MAYOR PRO TEMPORE LARRY FURLOUGH: CALL TO ORDER @ 6:00 pm**

**TIM WRIGHT: Pledge of Allegiance**

Meeting Minutes July 27<sup>th</sup> Council meeting, August 10<sup>th</sup> Council Work Session, and Bank Balances –  
Christie Eason, Municipal Clerk

Motion to Approve: Tim Wright: 2<sup>nd</sup> - Scott Baker

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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Welcome all guests and open the floor to their concerns – Mayor Pro Tempore Larry Furlough

Arianna May – resident from Sedgewick Drive. Shared about high amount of speeding traffic, burning rubber, etc. Concerned about safety for not only her children, but all the children in the neighborhood. Requesting addition speed hump on Sedgewick, Darrow Creek, and Belle Haven. Brought petition signed (see attached).

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Recreation Center Modifications – status (C.T. Locke) \$12,422.44 – concrete poured; south bay installed 75%
2. Pole Barn Build – status (C.T. Locke) \$20,201.03



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3. Status of installation of new speed limit signs for Wilson Mann and Cave Spring (C.T. Locke) – all in place with strictly enforced signs with each one.

**AGENDA ITEMS**

1. Petition for De-Annexation Parcel  
 # 23-06-14-4-000-020.001  
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Motion NOT TO DEANNEX: Terry Mann; 2<sup>nd</sup>- James Mann

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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2. Resolution No. 21-15: 2021-2022 Rebuild Alabama Transportation Plan

Motion to Approve: Scott Baker; 2<sup>nd</sup>- Tim Wright

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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3. Ordinance No. 21-29: Annexation of Kasprzak Property

Motion to Consider: Scott Baker; 2<sup>nd</sup>- Tim Wright

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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Motion to Approve: Tim Wright; 2<sup>nd</sup>- Scott Baker

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**DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS/REQUESTS**

1. LOCAL GOVERNMENT- Christie Eason, Municipal Clerk
  - a. Request Halloween Celebration Budget – 10/30/21 5 – 7 pm
    - i. \$1325: a) \$325 - City b) \$500 - Fire Dept. c) \$500 - Police Dept.

Motion to Approve Not to Exceed \$1325: Tim Wright; 2<sup>nd</sup>- Scott Baker

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye

- b. City Flag Proposal:
  - i. Alabama Flag and Banner: 1 = \$280; 2 or more = \$260 each
  - ii. Gettysburg Flag Works: 1 = \$210; 4=\$840
  - iii. Custom Flag Company: 1 -2 = \$115 each; 3-5 = \$89 each

Motion to Purchase 2 Flags: James Mann; 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tim Wright  
Larry Suggests from Alabama Flag and Banner

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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- c. Submission of Proposed Employee Manual for Review – to review 9/21/21
- d. Submission of Current 2020-2021 Budget Status for Review – to review 9/21/21
- e. Submission of Proposed 2021-2022 Budget for Review – to review 9/21/21
- f. Submission of Proposed Council Meeting Schedule FY 2022

Motion to Approve: Tim Wright; 2<sup>nd</sup>- Scott Baker

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- 2. POLICE DEPARTMENT – Jason Dobbins, Chief of Police
  - a. Proposed Safe Exchange Zone Policy

Motion to Approve: James Mann; 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tim Wright

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- b. Monthly Report – not available bc program is down

- 3. FIRE DEPARTMENT - Shannon Drake, Fire Administrator
  - a. Monthly Report – Shannon absent. James reported on his behalf.
    - i. FD Logo almost ready.
    - ii. Still in negotiation to form official City FD.  
(See attached report from SD for FD)

**OPEN FLOOR TO INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYEES**

Christie Eason – nothing                      Scott Worsham – nothing      Teresa Carpetner – Playground quotes coming along; may end up requesting more money. Project is stacking up to be pretty expensive.

**OPEN FLOOR TO INDIVIDUAL COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Tim Wright – nothing                      Scott Baker – nothing                      Terry Mann – nothing  
James Mann – announcement celebration day for becoming a City. Saturday October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3-7 pm.  
Music, food, etc. Not to exceed \$4k.

Motion to Approve Not to Exceed \$4000: Terry Mann; 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tim Wright

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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Motion to Adjourn Meeting by Scott Baker; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tim Wright

Terry Mann Aye	Tim Wright Aye	Scott Baker Aye	Mayor Craig ABSENT	Larry Furlough Aye	James Mann Aye
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**ADJOURNED MEETING AT 6:27 pm.**

*Respectfully Submitted by Christie D. Eason, Municipal Clerk  
and Teresa Carpenter, Assistant Clerk*