

# REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

May 17, 2021

5:30 P.M.

The Haleyville City Council met in Regular Session in the Courtroom at the Haleyville City Hall at 5:30 P.M. on May 17, 2021. Councilman Jonathan Bennett provided the invocation.

Mayor Ken Sunseri called the meeting to order and stated the following members were present: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilman Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Absent -was Councilmember Blue Russell. Acting City Clerk Christy Harbin was present.

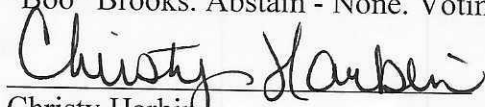
Councilmember Jonathan Bennett made a motion for approval of the Regular Council Meeting minutes of May 3, 2021 and his motion was seconded by Councilmember Drew Thrasher. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None.

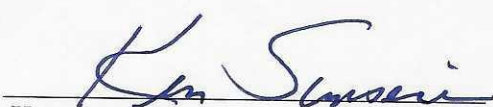
Councilmember Drew Thrasher made a motion for immediate consideration of April 2021 General Obligation bills and PO's in the amount of \$549,852.31 and councilmember Jonathan Bennett seconded the motion. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None. Councilmember Drew Thrasher made a motion for approval of April 2021 General Obligation bills and PO's in the amount of \$549,852.31 and councilmember Jonathan Bennett seconded the motion. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None.

Councilmember Jonathan Bennett made a motion for immediate consideration of Resolution #2021-10 authorizing the City of Haleyville, Alabama to make an application in the amount of \$183,475.75 for airport improvement funding assistance from the Alabama Department of Transportation for the purpose of undertaking a project to make improvements at the Haleyville Airport- Posey Field. As part of the \$183,475.75, project cost of \$30,104.00 will be spent on grant engineering design inspection and will be awarded to The Cassady Company, Inc. upon approval from the Alabama Department of Transportation and Councilmember Brian Berry seconded the motion. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None. Councilmember Jonathan Bennett made a motion for approval of Resolution #2021-10 authorizing the City of Haleyville, Alabama to make an application in the amount of \$183,475.75 for airport improvement funding assistance from the Alabama Department of Transportation for the purpose of undertaking a project to make improvements at the Haleyville Airport- Posey Field. As part of the \$183,475.75, project cost of \$30,104.00 will be spent on grant engineering design inspection and will be awarded to The Cassady Company, Inc. upon approval from the Alabama Department of Transportation and Councilmember Brian Berry seconded the motion. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Brian Berry, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None.

Mayor Sunseri stated he hired Austin Lewis as a full time Law Enforcement Officer at \$13.50 per hour, after 90 days and a favorable evaluation a pay increase to \$15.00 per hour and after 1 year and a favorable evaluation a pay increase to \$15.50 per hour.

There being no further business to come before the council, a motion to adjourn was made by Councilmember Drew Thrasher and his motion was seconded by Councilman Blue Russell. Mayor Sunseri asked all members of the council in favor to indicate by saying yea and all members voting were: Mayor Ken Sunseri, Councilmember Jonathan Bennett, Councilmember Blue Russell, Councilmember Drew Thrasher, and Councilmember Julie "Boo" Brooks. Abstain - None. Voting nay - None.

  
Christy Harbin  
Acting City Clerk

  
Ken Sunseri  
Mayor