

CEDAR BLUFF TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, MARCH 13, 2017 AT 5:30 PM

The Town Council of the Town of Cedar Bluff, County of Cherokee, State of Alabama, met in Regular Session in the Council Room at Town Hall, 3420 Martha Vera Lane, Cedar Bluff, Alabama on Monday, March 13, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. pursuant to notice duly posted as prescribed by law. Mayor Tammy Crane presided and called the meeting to order. Members in attendance were as follows:

Mayor Tammy Crane	District 1 Lorrie Green
District 2 Donald Sanders	District 3 Jerry Sprayberry
District 4 Norman Burton	District 5 Leatha Harp

The invocation was given by Councilmember Leatha Harp.
Mayor Crane led the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Approval of Council Minutes from the February 2017 meetings

The motion to approve the minutes from the February meetings was made by Councilmember Norman Burton and seconded by Councilmember Leatha Harp.

Motion Carried: (6-0)

Aye: Burton, Green, Harp, Sanders, Sprayberry, Crane

Nay: None

Abstain: None

2. Financial Reports for February 2017

The financial reports were distributed to the council for their review.

3. Police Department Report for February 2017

The report was read as follows:

CHARGE	TOTAL
Burglary	1
Theft	3
Domestic Violence	5
Criminal Mischief	1
Obstruction	2
Animal Control	5
ID Theft	1
Private Prop. Accident	
Criminal Trespassing	
Other	6

ARREST	TOTAL
UPODP	10
UPOCS	8
DUI	1
Trafficking Drugs	2
UPOM	8
Domestic Violence	2
Obstruction	2
Chemical Endan.	2
Felony Warrant	2
Misd. Warrant	4
Public Intoxication	1

TICKETS	TOTAL
Speeding	5
Reckless Driving	
No Seat Belt	
No Insurance	2
Susp/Rev DL	1
No Tag	1
DUI	2
Warnings	9
Other	2
ACCIDENTS	2

4. Old Business

a. Resolution 2017-02 Accepting ADECA Park Grant Funds

At this time Mayor Crane asked Town Clerk, Susie Surrectt to read the resolution. It was read as follows.

RESOLUTION 2017- 02

WHEREAS, the Town of Cedar Bluff proposes to construct recreational resources at Cedar Bluff Park to provide for the health and well-being of the general public; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Cedar Bluff accepts grant assistance from the Land and Water Conservation Fund to develop these recreational resources for which the proposed project costs total **\$48,300.00**.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Cedar Bluff accepts Land and Water Conservation Fund assistance in the amount of **\$24,150.00**, or **50%** of the total proposed project costs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town of Cedar Bluff will hold in reserve **\$24,150.00**, or **50%** of the proposed project costs for the purpose of matching the Land and Water Conservation Fund assistance.

(SIGNATURE) Tammy Crane, Mayor

(DATE)

ATTEST Susie Surrectt, Town Clerk

(DATE)

Councilmember Norman Burton made the motion to accept the resolution and Councilmember Jerry Sprayberry seconded the motion.

Motion Carried (6-0)

Aye: Burton, Green, Harp, Sanders, Sprayberry, Crane

Nay: None

Abstain: None

**b. Resolution 2017-03 Surplus 2006 International Garbage Truck
RESOLUTION 2017-03**

WHEREAS, the Town of Cedar Bluff, Alabama, has certain items of personal property which are no longer needed for public or municipal purposes; and

WHEREAS, Section 11-43-56 of the Code of Alabama of 1975 authorizes the municipal governing body to dispose of unneeded personal property;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF CEDAR BLUFF, ALABAMA AS FOLLOWS:

(SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ITEMS)

SECTION 1. That the Mayor and Town Clerk be, and they hereby are, authorized and directed to dispose of the personal property owned by the Town of Cedar Bluff, Alabama, described in Section 1.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 13th DAY OF MARCH, 2017.

MAYOR

S.E.A.L.
ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

Councilmember Norman Burton made the motion to accept the resolution and Councilmember Donald Sanders seconded the motion.

Motion Carried (6-0)

Aye: Burton, Green, Harp, Sanders, Sprayberry, Crane

Nay: None

Abstain: None

5. Other Business

At this time Mayor Crane asked for a decision regarding Liberty Day. Councilmember Norman Burton made the motion to not have Liberty Day this year due to lack of funds. Councilmember Donald Sanders seconded the motion.

Motion Carried (5-1)

Aye: Burton, Harp, Sanders, Sprayberry, Crane

Nay: Green

Abstain: None

Next Mayor Crane asked for discussion on Lake Place Lane/ Money's Bend Road. Councilmember Burton stated that the Town had the funds to reclaim and pave Lake Place Lane and reclaim Money's Bend Road with funds set aside several years ago. Councilmember Burton made the motion to reclaim and pave Lake Place Lane and reclaim Money's Bend Road and Councilmember Lorrie Green seconded the motion.

Motion Carried (6-0)

Aye: Burton, Green, Harp, Sanders, Sprayberry, Crane

Nay: None

Abstain: None

Councilmember Norman Burton stated he would like to have an estimate for the next meeting, from RDS, as to how much revenue would be generated by a ½ percent increase in sales tax. He said he felt like the funds should be earmarked for streets.

6. Adjourn

There being no further business, Councilmember Norman Burton made the motion to adjourn.

Motion Carried.

Approved: April 10, 2017

Tammy Crane, Mayor

ATTEST

Susie Surrett, Town Clerk