

**Town of Alto
Regular Meeting
April 11, 2017
Minutes**

Those in attendance:

**Audrey Turner, Mayor
Carolyn Cabe, Mayor Pro-tem
Mike Ivie, Council Post 3
Eddie Palmer, Council Post 4
PJ Huggins, Council Post 5
Josh Ivey, Police Chief
Robin Krockum, Consultant Demorest Police Chief
Joe Davidson, Building Official
Lisa Turner, Finance Officer
Penny Rogers, Town Clerk**

The Alto Town Council held a regular meeting on April 11, 2017. Preceding the meeting was a work session in which the current projects were discussed. Cedar Creek property was mentioned and the possibility of deepening a current well instead of digging a new one. The meeting was then called to order by Mayor Audrey Turner. The invocation was delivered by Joe Davidson.

The agenda was presented to the Council for approval. Councilwoman PJ Huggins made a motion to approve the agenda. Councilman Mike Ivie seconded the motion. Approved by all.

The minutes of the March 14, 2017 meeting were presented for approval. Councilman Eddie Palmer made a motion to accept. Pro-tem Carolyn Cabe seconded the motion. Approved by all.

New Business:

Jenna Hazelat of Servline made a presentation to the officials. She introduces an insurance program that will cover water leak protection and water line replacement protection. Coverage would be added to water bill and the Town wouldn't have to adjust for leaks anymore. The customer would pay for their repair up front and then the insurance would reimburse them. Mayor Turner suggested that they get feed back from citizens before they make a decision.

GIS was next. Councilwoman PJ Huggins made a motion to table this issue for further information. Councilman Eddie Palmer seconded the motion. Approved by all.

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Pro-tem Carolyn Cabe read the Proclamation of Clerks Week to be honored the week of May 7-13 and then made a motion to adopt. Councilman Mike Ivie seconded the motion. Approved by all.

Councilman Eddie Palmer made a motion to appoint Josh Ivey as Chief of Police. Pro-tem Carolyn Cabe seconded the motion. Approved by all.

Old Business:

Recommendations from Officers, Departments, and Attorneys:

Mayor Turner informed the Officials that flyers and advertising for the Spring Fling is in place. The Clean up Day is coming up Saturday, 4-22-17.

Councilwoman PJ Huggins praised employees Gary Kimbral and Skylier Coalley for their prompt response to the tree falling across White Pine last week.

After a discussion of the walking trail, Councilman Eddie Palmer made a motion to accept the quote proposal from Thomason Paving for \$14500.00. Councilwoman PJ Huggins seconded the motion. Approved by all.

Officials were informed that the Gainesville Hwy property owner would not negotiate or lower his price.

Public Comments: None

Pro-tem Carolyn Cabe made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Mike Ivie seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:39 pm. Approved by all.

Respectfully submitted by:

**Penny Rogers
Town Clerk**

