

**City of New Ellenton**  
**Regular Meeting of City Council**  
**New Ellenton Community Center**  
**Minutes**  
**Tuesday, February 16, 2021 7:00 PM**

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**WELCOME:** Mayor Vernon Dunbar

**INVOCATION:** Terence Williams

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** All Stood

**ROLL CALL FOR THE RECORD:**

**Council present** – Vernon Dunbar, Terence Williams, Ron Reynolds, Faye, Durham, Carl Culpepper III, Jason Morgan

**Others present** –Roger Leduc, Maria Tamimi-Bush, Donnie Cooper, Joshua Duval, David Alexander, Trey Stephens, Monica Gramble, Mr. Gramble, Marion Parks, Chief Alesia Parks, Chief Mike Kellems

**COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

**\*David Alexander-** The free golf program has 8 children and there will be a sign-up from 1-2pm this coming and following Saturday. Ages to participate are 5-18yrs. Old

**\*Joshua Duval-**when the CPW starts accepting sewer and sanitation what will the rates be? The fee is \$14.00-sanitation and \$30-sewer

**APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES**

Jan. 19, 2021- Regular Meeting

*Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds*

*2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Jason Morgan*

*There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval*

Jan. 25, 2021- Special Meeting

*Motion to approve: Terence Williams*

*2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Carl Culpepper, III*

*There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval*

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Approval of MOU between City and CPW

*Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds*

*2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Terence Williams*

*There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval*

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Discuss Potential Donation of Land

*Motion to approve: Terence Williams*

*2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Carl Culpepper, III*

*There was a 5-1opposing vote in favor of approval*

**COMMENTS FROM MAYOR & COUNCIL:**

**\*Mayor Vernon-** Looking into getting a COVID vaccination site clinic in the city with SCDHEC. ACTS (Rickey Brown) would like to provide a food service in the city.

**\*Terence Williams-**Food drive will give dates when available & getting 2 more bids for community center.

**\*Ron Reynolds-**Grass is growing in the pavement of the basketball goals and seems to not be sealed well.

**\*Jason Morgan-**Fencing will be fixed near shed. The front and back of the building for Streets & Roads has been secured.

**\*Faye Durham-** Basketball goals will be installed by the end of March by Outdoor Play because of issues with Dick's; will appeal to county for use because tennis courts aren't being used.

Special Events meeting will be March 11<sup>th</sup>. There are hopes for car show with food trucks on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Karaoke has been booked and other ideas have been welcomed.

**\*Roger Leduc-**Councilwoman Durham had inquired about a movie night for the city and raffles to generate funding. Due to licensing fees and copyrights, most movies won't be available for showing. Raffles have to be done by a 501(c)3, nonprofit, that is a charitable/religious organization and in this case the city will not be able to hold a raffle.

**\*Chief Mike Kellems-** waiting for results of ISO inspection. After results there are plans to have ribbon cutting at the new station.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

*Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds*

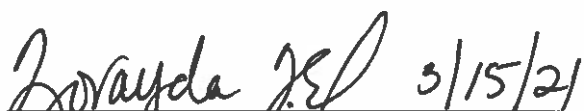
*2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Terence Williams*

*There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval*

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

**INFORMATION:**

**Supporting materials attached:**



City Clerk/Signature/Date



Mayor/Date