



MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Conference Room | 1953 Municipal Way

Alabaster, AL

February 06, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 5:00 PM with Committee Chairman Greg Farrell presiding.

ROLL CALL

Members: Greg Farrell, Stacy Rakestraw, Kerri Pate

PRESENT

Greg Farrell

Stacy Rakestraw

Kerri Pate

ALSO PRESENT

Lisa Glasgow

Chief Love

Chief Rigney

Robert (Mac) McMullen

Brian Binzer

MINUTES APPROVAL

07-22-2024 Minutes - Public Safety Committee

Motion made by Rakestraw, Seconded by Pate.

Motion carried. Minutes approved.

AGENDA ITEMS

Agenda approval.

Motion made by Rakestraw, Seconded by Pate.

Motion carried. Agenda approved.

Lacey's Grove Traffic Calming - Speed Humps

Discuss the use of traffic calming within the Lacey's Grove subdivision.

The committee and City Staff members discussed the request for traffic calming within the Lacey's Grove subdivision. It was discussed that we need a letter from the homeowner giving permission to to have the HOA vote. The request is for a March 1st start date. This will require a 57% affirmative vote from the homeowners.

Locations include:

1. Horizon Street near the corner of Round Rd / Horizon
2. In front of 244 Lacey Ave
3. In front of 248 Lacey Ave

AFD Transport Service Update

Review information related to the new Alabaster Fire Department transport service.

Chief Love reported:

- New transport service has been very successful
- Recommends future transport vehicles be purchased directly in order to expedite warranty work
- AFD can do infusions on shift now
- Recommends moving to 4% fee instead of current flat rate charging for filing

Alabaster Police Department Update

The committee will have a general discussion about APD.

- 5 people are retiring. HR assisting with filling of these positions.
- Currently APD has 90 employees
- Fountain has a leak and this is causing issues with outside lighting

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Chief Curtis Rigney stated that he would like to discuss a criminal investigation. With that, a Motion was made by Pate, Seconded by Rakestraw to enter Executive Session based on Alabama Code Section 36 25 7 A5. Voting Yea: Farrell, Rakestraw, Pate Motion carried at 5:28 PM.

(5) To discuss information that would disclose the identity of an undercover law enforcement agent or informer or to discuss the criminal investigation of a person who is not a public official in which allegations or charges of specific criminal misconduct have been made or to discuss whether or not to file a criminal complaint. Provided, however, that prior to such discussions a law enforcement officer with authority to make an arrest or a district or assistant district attorney or the Attorney General or assistant attorney general shall advise the governmental body in writing or by oral declaration entered into the minutes that the discussions would imperil effective law enforcement if disclosed outside of an executive session.

ADJOURN MEETING

Motion made by Rakestraw, Seconded by Pate to Exit Executive Session and adjourn the meeting. Voting Yea: Farrell, Rakestraw, Pate Meeting adjourned at 5:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

J. Mark Frey