



**CITY OF CLINTON
REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR
AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
TUESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2025 - 6:00 PM
MUNICIPAL COURTROOM - 305 MONROE STREET**

1. Welcome and Call to Order - Mayor Phil Fisher
2. Invocation - Alderwoman Godfrey
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag - Alderman Martin
4. Roll Call - City Clerk Jimmy Baldree
5. Recognitions
6. Approval of Consent Agenda Items A - N
 - A. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen held on January 7, 2025.
 - B. Claims Docket - Manual Claims December 31, 2024 through January 15, 2025, Totaling \$4,592,530.11, and Computer Claims 1 - 353, Totaling \$1,999,610.50.
 - C. Refund permit fee in the amount of \$100 to Will Lott - Reliable Dirt Work (001-000-213)
 - D. \$178 to Stegall Notary Service for Notary Public Commission for Deputy Clerk Sharessa Hill (001-040-681)
 - E. Approval for Dispatchers' Joseph Strong and Michele Chappel to attend the 40 hour IAED basic certification program for \$1,192.00 on January 13-17, 2025. (001-105-682)
 - F. Approval for Detectives Fox and McCraw to attend Narcotics Investigator Certification course training at MLEOTA from January 27-30, February 24-27, March 24-27, April 21-24, and May 12-15, 2025 for \$1800.00 each totaling \$3,600.00. (001-105-682)
 - G. Approval for Sergeant Roy to attend First Line Supervision training at MLEOTA from February 24-26, 2025 for \$295.00. (001-105-682)
 - H. Approval for Lieutenant Starkey to attend Red Dot Pistol Instructor Class at MLEOTA on March 11-12, 2025 for \$630.00. (001-105-682)
 - I. Approval for Sergeant George Moore to attend First Line Supervision training at MLEOTA from February 24-26, 2025 for \$295.00. (001-105-682)
 - J. \$525.00 to The Middle Mississippi Building Officials Association for the 2025 Membership Dues (001-180-681)
 - K. \$139,246.25 to R&C Services for Pay Application No. 2 related to the Quail Hollow Culvert Replacement project (001-215-587)
 - L. Approval to accept a donation from Performance Therapy in the amount of \$800 to the Clinton Therapeutic Recreation Department as a food sponsorship for the Annual Sweetheart Formal (001-350-635)
 - M. \$79,544.99 to Ready 2 Roof for roof replacement at the A.E. Wood Activity and Therapeutic Center (001-350-720)
 - N. \$9,049.00 to Johnson Controls for Planned Service Renewal Agreement effective 1/1/2025 through 12/31/2025 for the Quisenberry Library (400-650-636)
7. Department Head Reports - Chandra Fontenot, Director of Therapeutic Recreation
8. Board of Alderman Discussion and Reports
9. Mayor's Discussion and Reports



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- A. Discussion/Action: Adoption of a Resolution to Increase the Garbage Rates for Residential to \$ 27.30 per month and Commercial Customers to \$ 31.15 per month. - Jimmy Baldree, City Clerk
 - B. Discussion/Action: Approval of Resolution granting Free Port Warehouse Ad Valorem Tax Exemption to McNeely Plastics. - Jimmy Baldree, City Clerk
 - C. Discussion/Action: Approval of Resolution granting Free Port Warehouse Ad Valorem Tax Exemption to Gulf State Cannery. - Jimmy Baldree, City Clerk
 - D. Discussion/Action: Approval to accept Grant Award 24LE147B from Homeland Security totaling \$77,760.00 for the Clinton Police Department's Bomb Team. - Ford Hayman, Chief of Police
 - E. Discussion/Action - Approve acceptance of bids received for the Emergency Road and Bridge Replacement on Pinehaven Drive being known as project No. ERBR-25-049(03); award to the lowest and best bidder, Joe McGee Construction Co. in the amount of \$3,927,362.70; allowance of appropriate construction contingency; and for the Mayor to execute all documents, including the contracts, required for the project improvements - Bill Owen, P.E., Consulting City Engineer
 - F. Discussion/Action - Approve acceptance of bids received for the Arrow Drive Pedestrian Path Lighting Improvements being known as project STP-7357-00(002)LPA/109587-701000; award to the lowest and best bidder, McInnis Systems, Inc. in the amount of \$482,375.00; allowance of appropriate construction contingency; and for the Mayor to execute all documents, including the contracts, required for the project improvements - Bill Owen, P.E., Consulting City Engineer
 - G. Discussion/Action - Approval to advertise for Request for Proposals for Landscaping Services on the I-20 Springridge Road Interchange - Phillip Lilley, Director of Public Works
 - H. Discussion/Action: Approval to accept the lowest and best bid for sewer line replacement to Steadfast Services LLC for \$35,000.00. - Phillip Lilley, Director of Public Works
10. Employment Items
- A. Approval to hire contingent on the results of the MEA drug test one (1) Maintenance Worker for the Public Works Department - Phillip Lilley, Director of Public Works
11. Other Business
12. Motion to Adjourn

GOVERNING BODY

Philip R Fisher – Mayor
Ricki Garrett – Alderwoman-at-Large
Karen Godfrey – Alderwoman Ward 1
Jim Martin – Alderman Ward 2
Robert Chapman – Alderman Ward 3

Chip Wilbanks – Alderman Ward 4
Beverly Oliver – Alderwoman Ward 5
James Lott III – Alderman Ward 6
William Purdie – City Attorney
Jimmy Baldree – City Clerk