

CITY OF HANCEVILLE
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
11/25/2025

The City Council of Hanceville, Alabama, met in public session on November 25, 2025, for a work session beginning at 6:00 PM in the council chambers of city hall with the council meeting immediately following.

Mayor Paul Campbell called the meeting to order.

Councilor Robert Powell led the prayer and Mayor Campbell followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Campbell opened the floor for public comments.

Ms. Katie Whitley addressed the City Council with concerns about the cats and dogs in the community; suggested the Mayor could call Cullman County Animal Control and see if they could furnish some traps.

Mayor Campbell requested roll call.

Present:

Councilor Robert Powell

Councilor Jana Shelton

Mayor Pro tem Nolan Bradford

Councilor Cameron Rowe

Councilor Kim Brown

Mayor Paul Campbell

Councilor Bradford motioned to accept the *consent agenda*. Councilor Shelton gave second. Motion carried.

Councilor Rowe motioned to approve the *minutes* for the Regular Council Meeting held on November 13, 2025. Seconded by Councilor Bradford. Motion carried.

Councilor Powell moved to pay the *bills*. Councilor Shelton seconded. Motion carried.

Councilor Brown gave motion to pay the *Gold Star Public Safety Invoice* in the amount of \$7,000. Councilor Rowe motioned in second. Motion carried.

Councilor Brown motioned to pay the *Cullman County Invoice* for overtime in the amount of \$3,829.38. Councilor Bradford seconded. Motion carried.

Councilor Bradford stated that he would like to see if we could get them to add the calls to the report, calls made that were part of the invoice.

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Mayor Campbell requested Council approval to continue to pay three monthly recurring bills for the police department:

- Merchants Bank Police Department Vehicle Fleet Loan #21502 \$4,130.31
- Central Communications, Inc. Tower Rental \$95
- Cullman County Sheriff's Office Spillman \$252

The FY 2026 Budget includes \$1,000,000 for Police Department Expenditures and an additional \$500,000 cash on hand; expenditures are not itemized; prior precedent incorporates authorization for the Mayor to disburse up to \$2,000 per invoice on a nonbudgeted expense.

Councilor Bradford commented that he thinks the fleet loan has been paid.

Motion given by Councilor Bradford to pay the two smaller *recurring expenses* and research the other one to see if it is valid, doesn't believe it is, if it is then we pay that one. Seconded by Councilor Shelton. Motion carried.

Councilor Powell moved to reappoint Ms. Roxie Lee to Place No. 7 on the *Planning Commission*. Seconded by Councilor Brown. Councilor Bradford abstained. Motion carried.

Regarding Mobile Communications America Invoice, City Attorney, Dan Willingham, confirmed that he has sent a letter to Mobile Communications America to terminate the service agreement.

Councilor Brown moved to table *Mobile Communications America Invoice* until we receive a response from Mr. Willingham's letter. Councilor Bradford gave second. Motion carried.

Reports:

- Bank Accounts Balance Sheet
- Public Works Bi-Weekly Job Detail
- Rodger Green, Fire Chief, advised that the ladder truck had to be towed into the shop and that they had gotten one of the response trucks repaired.

Mayor Campbell stated he received a report from Park and Rec., and they had been doing a lot of decorating.

Discussion:

City Council is working on the FY 2024 Audit; the new firm has completed some of the audit but has asked for more information; Council is doing another audit review on the Homeland Security Grant at the request of the auditor.

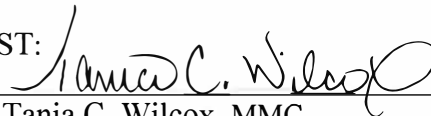
Announcements

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| ▪ Thanksgiving (City Hall Closed) | Nov. 27 th & 28 th |
| ▪ Christmas Parade | Dec. 6 th 12:00 PM |
| (Line-up C.W. Day Park) | |
| ▪ Work Session/Council Meeting | Dec. 11 th 6:00 PM |
| ▪ Work Session/Council Meeting | Dec. 23 rd 6:00 PM |

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Councilor Brown moved to *adjourn*. Seconded by Councilor Rowe. Motion carried.
Meeting adjourned at 6:42 PM.


Paul Campbell, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Tania C. Wilcox, MMC