MARK BARLOW MAYOR

JESSICA JONES ASSISANT CITY CLERK

TROY WILLCUTT
ACTING POLICE CHEF

KENNETH WAITES FIRE CHIEF



**COUNCIL MEMBERS:** 

RANDY LITTLE, PLACE 1

MIKE BUTLER, PLACE 2

JASON SKELTON, PLACE 3

ALLISON REESE, PLACE 4

EMANUEL L "BUBBA" PHILLIPS, PLACE 5

## MINUTES OF July 25, 2023

## The Workshop Session of the Satsuma City Council

The City Council of the City of Satsuma, Alabama, convened in workshop session at City Hall in said city at 6:00 p.m. the 25th day of July 2023.

The following members were present:

Mayor Mark Barlow
Council Members Allison Reese
Mike Butler
Randy Little
Bubba Phillips

Also present were Jessica Jones, Assistant City Clerk, Troy Willcutt, Acting Police Chief, Kenneth Waites, Fire Chief, George Fralic, Building Inspector.

Mayor and Council Reviewed and discussed the following:

- Mayor and Council discussed the merger with Creola.
  - Dr. Guinn discussed the class sizes and seem confidant that Satsuma City Schools could handle the added students from Creola.
- Discussed the 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Drainage Project. Mayor Barlow stated the engineering for this project was done years ago.
- Mayor Barlow presented the Expenditure Report for the remaining Fiscal Year.
- Discussed the Christmas Parade.

- Troy Willcutt and Kenneth Waites proposed the Christmas Parade be in the afternoon/night with the lighting of the Christmas Tree to follow.
- Mayor Barlow stated the Veteran's Day Ceremony is around the corner.
- Mayor Barlow discussed the hiring and promoting of city employees.
  - Police Captain
  - Garbage Truck Driver
  - Fire Service Driver
  - City Hall replace Edith Butler
  - City Clerk
  - Assistant City Clerk
- Mayor Barlow discussed the payment on the garbage truck and needing a new truck
- Mayor Barlow stated that Jay Minus is retiring.
- Mayor Barlow stated the tennis courts will be fixed and we are just waiting for the time fame on when they can get started.
- Mayor Barlow stated the Dog Park project will start on August 28,2023
- Mayor Barlow stated the painting of the Community Center will start on August 15, 2023 and paint colors need to be picked.
- Mayor Barlow discussed needing an ordinance for Steele Creek. People swimming and skating, skateboarding, etc. down the walking paths.

/s/ Mark Barlow	/s/ Randy Little
Mark Barlow, Mayor	Councilmember Randy Little
/s/ Mike Butler	Absent
Councilmember Mike Butler	Councilmember Jason Skelton
/s/ Allison Reese	/s/ E. L. Phillips
Councilmember Allison Reese	Councilmember E.L. "Bubba" Phillips
ATTEST: /s/ Jessica Jones	
Jessica Jones, Assistant City Clerk	