

**CITY OF GOOD HOPE
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
January 27, 2014**

OPEN: The Council meeting was called to order Mayor Corey Harbison at 6:30 P.M. at the Good Hope City Hall. Invocation was given by John Harris.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Corey Harbison, Council members: John Harris, Jerry Bartlett, Susan Eller, and Matthew Glover were present. Maxie Jones was absent.

VISITORS: Matt Denton with Truitt Insurance handed out a proposal for insurance coverage for the city to the mayor and each council member to review.

After Mr. Denton left Corey Harbison made a motion to accept to accept the proposal to change insurance companies. The motion was seconded by Susan Eller. Roll call: unanimous yea votes by the Council. **MOTION APPROVED**

MINUTES: John Harris made a motion to approve and adopt the January 13, 2014 Council meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Jerry Bartlett. Roll call: unanimous yea votes by the Council. **MOTION APPROVED**

REPORTS OF COUNCIL

PLACE ONE: JOHN HARRIS: Presented the council with the current bank balances as of January 27, 2014.

PLACE TWO: MAXIE JONES: Absent

PLACE THREE: SUSAN ELLER: Grady Parsons reported wastewater flow had gone back down to normal flow and stated problem with so many water leaks in one month is very unusual. Corey had camera to video lines which revealed where some of the problem areas were. Alexander pump station pump had quit working last week but had been repaired and working well.

PLACE FOUR: JERRY BARTLETT: Discussed the can drive in conjunction with the schools reading program to benefit Cullman Caring for Kids. The theme for this year is "I CAN READ" and collections will start March 3 and go through March 14.

PLACE FIVE: MATTHEW GLOVER: Reported that baseball and softball registration for January 25th, the first day, had 37 kids sign up and upgrades to concession stand were still on going and looking good.

RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES, ORDERS, AND OTHER BUSINESS

Mayor Harbison had a proposed drawing from the state for the traffic design for Wilco Hess Travel Center and traffic light at Hardee's. Proposal states that some entrances will close and an access road with a red light will go in and make the area traffic much safer.

Mayor Harbison also discussed renovation of the old boy scouts building and upgrading it for use as a community center.

ADJOURN: John Harris made a motion to adjourn the Council meeting. The motion was seconded by Susan Eller. The Council meeting was adjourned with the consent of the Mayor and the Council. **MOTION APPROVED**

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2014.

Mayor, Corey Harbison

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK