

STATE OF ALABAMA)  
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FRANKLIN COUNTY )

**CITY OF RED BAY**

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING**  
**RED BAY CITY COUNCIL**  
**May 18, 2009**

The City Council of Red Bay met in a regular scheduled meeting May 18, 2009, 7:00 p.m. The meeting was held in the Red Bay City Hall Council Room, 203 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. S.E., Red Bay, AL

Present and presiding was Mayor Bobby Forsythe. Council Members present were Mike Kennedy, Mike Stockton, David Tiffin, Charlene Fancher, and Brad M. Bolton.

Also present were City Attorney Senator Roger Bedford, Police Chief Pat Creel, Fire Chief Bud Strickland, and Deborah Hudson representing Dream Riders "Biking for Children".

Patrol Officer Terry Zills was present and acting in the position of Sergeant at Arms.

Linda B. Holcomb, City Clerk, was present and recording.

Mike Kennedy led the Invocation.

Brad M. Bolton led the Allegiance to the Flag.

Deborah Hudson addressed the Council on behalf of the Dream Riders "Biking for Children" Organization. The organization helps children and their families from the states of Alabama, Mississippi, and Arkansas in time of need. Ms. Hudson requested a November 2009 roadblock. Brad M. Bolton made the motion to grant the request, seconded by Charlene Fancher, unanimously passed.

Upon the recommendation of Mayor Bobby Forsythe, Charlene Fancher made a motion to hire Linda Ewing as a part-time temporary, "at will" employee to fill the position of concession stand worker/assistant manager at the Red Bay Fun Park, with an hourly pay rate of seven dollars (\$7.00) per hour. David Tiffin seconded the motion, unanimously passed.

Upon the request of Mayor Bobby Forsythe, Mike Stockton made a motion to enter into "Executive Session" for the purpose of discussing the "good name and character" of persons applying for the open employment position with the street department. David Tiffin seconded the motion. The roll call vote was as follows: Mike Kennedy "yeas", Mike Stockton "yeas", David Tiffin "yeas", Charlene Fancher "yeas", and Brad M. Bolton "yeas". Mayor Bobby Forsythe announced that the Council expected to return at 7:25 p.m.

The Council returned at 7:35 p.m. Mayor Bobby Forsythe announced that during "Executive Session" no business was conducted and no decisions were made. Mike Kennedy made a motion to return to "Regular Session", seconded by David Tiffin, unanimously passed.

David Tiffin made a motion to hire David Robbins as a fulltime, "at will" street department employee with a ninety day evaluation period. At the end of the ninety day period the Street Department Committee and the Street and Sanitation Supervisor will make recommendations to the Council. The starting pay rate will be eleven dollars (\$11.00) per hour. Brad M. Bolton seconded the motion, unanimously passed.

Mayor Bobby Forsythe called for a motion to amend the agenda to add New Business Item #4 Sewage Board Resolution Dated 5-18-09. Mike Stockton made the motion, seconded by Mike Kennedy. The roll call vote was as follows: Mike Kennedy "yeas", Mike Stockton "yeas", David Tiffin "yeas", Charlene Fancher "yeas", and Brad M. Bolton "yeas".

Mike Stockton made a motion to table a request made by Jordan Seahorn for the City to sponsor him in A POST C training at no charge to the City. Mike Kennedy seconded the motion, unanimously passed. Seahorn is presently employed with the City as a part-time police dispatcher.

David Tiffin made a motion for Mayor Bobby Forsythe to pursue the possibilities of allowing the police department to include reserve officers and a chaplain. Mike Stockton seconded the motion, unanimously passed.

Upon the request of Ellis Wooten, representing the travel ball teams, Mike Stockton made a motion for the already approved May roadblock proceeds to benefit the Travel Softball Team instead of the Travel Basketball Team. Mike Kennedy seconded the motion, unanimously passed.

Charlene Fancher made a motion to accept the City of Red Bay Sewage Board Resolution dated May 18, 2009, designating Mayor Bobby Forsythe, as the official representative to sign the loan application to be made by the Alabama Water Pollution control Authority and to act as the authorized representative of the City of Red Bay Sewage Board in connection with the application. Brad M. Bolton seconded the motion, unanimously passed.

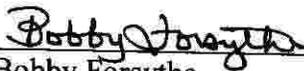
Brad M. Bolton made a motion to approve the bills, seconded by Mike Kennedy, unanimously passed.

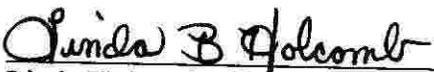
Charlene Fancher made a motion to approve the minutes for the workshop and council meetings held May 4, 2009. Mike Kennedy seconded the motion. Voting **for** were Mike Kennedy, David Tiffin, and Charlene Fancher. Mike Stockton and Brad M. Bolton **abstained** due to being absent on that date.

Mayor Forsythe announced that the next regular scheduled meeting of the Red Bay City Council will be Monday, June 1, 2009, Red Bay City Hall Council Room, 203 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. S. E., Red Bay, AL

David Tiffin made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Charlene Fancher, unanimously passed.

Time of Adjournment: 8:13 p.m.

  
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Bobby Forsythe  
Mayor

  
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Linda Holcomb, CMC  
City Clerk