

**MINUTES**  
**PRE COUNCIL MEETING**  
**OF THE PERRY CITY COUNCIL**  
March 29, 2016  
**5:00 P.M.**

1. Call to Order: Mayor James E. Faircloth, Jr., Presiding Officer called to order the pre council meeting held March 29, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.

2. Roll:

Elected Officials Present: Mayor James E. Faircloth, Jr.; Mayor Pro Tempore Randall Walker. Council Members Riley Hunt, William Jackson, Phyllis Bynum-Grace and Willie King.

Elected Official(s) Absent: Council Member Robert Jones

City Staff: City Manager Lee Gilmour, Attorney Mathew Hulbert and Recording Clerk, Annie Warren.

Departmental Staffing: Chief Steve Lynn – Perry Police Department, Chief Joel Gray – Fire and Emergency Services Department, Brenda King – Director of Administration, Decius Aaron – Director of Public Works, Kevin Dye – Director of Leisure Services, Robert Smith – Economic Development Director and Catherine Edgemon – Main Street Coordinator.

Guests: None

Media: Jake Jacobs and Cheri Adams – Houston Home Journal; Wayne Crenshaw – Macon Telegraph; Brittany Collins – WGXA TV

3. Items of Review/Discussion: Mayor James E. Faircloth, Jr.

3a. Discussion of March 1, 2016 regular meeting agenda.

10(6i) Bid No. 2016-23 Houston County Campus Project: Mr. Gilmour explained this bid is for the installation of a water and sewer main across Airport Road to the Sandler Project building.

4. Department Head Items:

Chief Gray, Chief Lynn and Ms. King had no reports.

Mr. Smith announced the Perry Housing Team is hosting a Neighborhood Clean-up Day in the Creekwood neighborhood on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Ms. Edgemon stated the Perry Lions Club is partnering with Boy Scouts Troop 96 and the Main Street Program to host a litter clean-up day in downtown Perry on Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> from 8 a.m. to noon.

Mr. Aaron reminded everyone of spring clean-up week, April 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>.

5. Council Member Items.

Council Members Bynum-Grace, Jackson and Hunt had no reports.

Council Member King inquired about bringing Costco to Perry.

Mayor Pro Tempore reported there is a used car lot on 41N but is in the county.

Mr. Gilmour and Attorney Hulbert had no reports.

Mayor Faircloth

- April 1<sup>st</sup>, 9:30am – Proclamation signing for Child Abuse
- April 7<sup>th</sup> – Council Member Bynum-Grace’s birthday
- April 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> – Dogwood Festival
- April 13<sup>th</sup> – Thomas Jefferson’s birthday
- April 14<sup>th</sup>, 11am – GMA’s Regional 6 District Meeting
- April 25<sup>th</sup> – Power of Prevention Night at The Swanson

6. Adjourn: There being no further business to come before Council in the pre council meeting held March 29, 2016 Council Member Bynum-Grace motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:22pm; Council Member Hunt seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.