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**STATE OF ALABAMA  
COUNTY OF COVINGTON**

**ANDALUSIA CITY HALL  
ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA  
AUGUST 6, 2013**

**REGULAR WORK SESSION MEETING**

**PRESENT:**

Earl V. Johnson, Mayor  
Will Sconiers, Councilmember  
Kenneth C. Mount, Councilmember  
Hazel Griffin, Councilmember  
Ralph Wells, Councilmember  
Terry Powell, Councilmember  
Mark Christensen, City Attorney

**ABSENT:**

None

The City Council of the City of Andalusia, Alabama, met in room 340 at city hall for a work session at 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of planning and finalizing the agenda.

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING**

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**ABSENT:**

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Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order and welcomed all. Councilmember Sconiers led the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

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**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Mayor Johnson presented the minutes from the regular meeting, July 16, 2013. Councilmember Sconiers moved to approve the minutes. Councilmember Wells seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**COUNCIL APPROVES APPROPRIATION OF \$16,300 FOR ALATEX MURAL:**

Mayor Johnson announced that Pat Palmore presented the Mural Committee's plans to complete the AlaTex Mural during the work session. Councilmember Wells moved to appropriate \$16,300 from contingency to underwrite the project. Councilmember Mount seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**COUNCIL APPROVES APPROPRIATION OF \$23, 0000 TO ANDALUIA CITY SCHOOLS FOR CLASSROOM SUPPLIES:**

Mayor Johnson announced that the council received an informative report from Ted Watson, Superintendent of Andalusia City Schools, during the work session, detailing current statistics, plans and financial matters of Andalusia City Schools. Mayor Johnson added that the city had received a request to assist in the purchase of classroom supplies for the coming school year. Councilmember Mount moved to appropriate \$23,000 from contingency for classroom supplies for Andalusia City Schools' teachers. Councilmember Powell seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**COUNCIL APPROVES RESOLUTION NO. 2013 – 19, ABATEMENT OF PROPERTIES:**

Mayor Johnson presented Resolution No. 2013 – 19, Abatement of Properties.

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ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2013 - 19**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Andalusia, Alabama that we, after having examined the report of the City Building Inspector, do hereby find that the property in question specifically described below and denominated as parcel numbers by the Revenue Commission of Covington County is hazardous to the health, safety, welfare, and morals of the citizens of Andalusia and thereby constitute a public nuisance pursuant

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to the Alabama Act No. 94-540 as adopted by the City Council of the City of Andalusia:

- 1) 310 Second Avenue- Parcel # 13041740030130000

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Council hereby authorizes the Building Inspector to proceed with the abatement of these nuisances as authorized under State of Alabama Act. No. 94-540 as adopted by the City of Andalusia.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

**THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

**BY:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Earl V. Johnson, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

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**John M. Thompson, City Clerk**

Councilmember Powell moved to approve the resolution. Councilmember Wells seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**COUNCIL APPROVES HOUSE MOVING REQUEST:**

Mayor Johnson presented an application to move a house and reminded the council that in order to consider the request that certain criteria must be met to comply with Ordinance No. 2009 -03, House Moving, and opened a public hearing on the matter. Mayor Johnson invited anyone interested or with concerns about the house moving application to speak. Hearing none, the mayor called the public hearing closed. Councilmember Powell moved to approve the application. Councilmember Mount seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

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**COUNCIL APPROVES RESOLUTION NO. 2013 – 20; SURPLUS PROPERTIES:**

Mayor Johnson presented Resolution No. 2013 – 20; Surplus Properties.

**CITY OF ANDALUSIA  
ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING CITY VEHICLES SURPLUS**

**RESOLUTION 2013 - 20**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Andalusia, Alabama has inventoried its vehicles and equipment and found the following vehicles and equipment to be unneeded for public municipal purposes:

- 1) 1990 Chevrolet 1500 – VIN: 1GCDC14K0LZ164164 – mileage: 195,000 – Unit #: A – 20.
- 2) 1997 Ford Expedition – VIN: 1FMFU18L5VLC23042 – mileage: 140,000 – Unit #: A – 976.
- 3) 1999 Ford Crown Victoria – VIN: 2FAFP7YW9XX209722  
mileage: 173,258 –  
Unit #: A – 995.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Andalusia, Alabama, that said the vehicle and equipment listed above is no longer needed for public municipal purposes, and that the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of said surplus property.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

**THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Earl V. Johnson, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

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**John M. Thompson, City Clerk – Treasurer**

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Councilmember Powell moved to approve the resolution. Councilmember Wells seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**COUNCIL APPROVES RECREATION BOARD APPOINTMENTS:**

Mayor Johnson announced that there were two openings on the Recreation Board. Councilmember Powell nominated Billy Joe Stallworth and Randy Wahl to be reappointed to the Recreation Board. Councilmember Sconiers seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

With no further business, Mayor Johnson, called the meeting adjourned.

**THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

**BY:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Earl V. Johnson, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

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**John Thompson City Clerk - Treasurer**