

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2012, AT 4:00 P. M.  
CITY HALL, PASCAGOULA, MISSISSIPPI**

The City Council of the City of Pascagoula, Mississippi, met at City Hall in a special meeting on Tuesday, November 13, 2012, at 4:00 P.M., as per the following notice:

**CONSENT TO SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY  
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASCAGOULA, MS**

We, the undersigned members of the City Council of the City of Pascagoula, hereby consent to a special meeting of the Council at 4:00 P.M. on November 13, 2012, in the City Hall of the city for the purpose of considering a pay and classification study done by the Human Resources Department and issues involving the widening of Hospital Road and such other matters that may be lawfully considered by the Council.

/s/ Robert H. Maxwell  
Robert H. Maxwell, Mayor

/s/ Joe Abston  
Joe Abston, Councilman

/s/ Frank Corder  
Frank Corder, Councilman

/s/ Jim Milstead  
Jim Milstead, Councilman

/s/ Robert Stallworth, Sr.  
Robert Stallworth, Sr., Councilman

/s/ Harold Tillman, Jr.  
Harold Tillman, Jr., Councilman

/s/ George L. Wolverson, Sr.  
George L. Wolverson, Sr., Councilman

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Mayor Maxwell called the meeting to order with the following officials present:

Mayor Robert H. Maxwell  
Councilman Joe Abston  
Councilman Frank Corder  
Councilman Jim Milstead  
Councilman Robert Stallworth, Sr.  
Councilman Harold Tillman, Jr.  
Councilman George Wolverton, Sr.

City Manager Joe Huffman  
City Attorney Eddie Williams  
Asst. City Clerk Brenda Reed  
City Clerk/Comptroller Robert J. Parker

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Mayor Maxwell recognized Jen Dearman, Community and Economic Development Director, at this time to discuss the Hospital Road Improvements Project. Ms. Dearman advised that Brown, Mitchell & Alexander, Inc. (BMA), consulting engineers, have prepared three concepts on this project for consideration. Ben Smith, P.E. with BMA, gave a Power Point presentation and discussed each concept with the Council. BMA and City staff recommended using Concept # 2. A question and answer session followed.

After discussion, Councilman Abston made a motion to endorse Concept # 2 on the Hospital Road Improvements Project as recommended. The motion was seconded by Councilman Stallworth.

Councilman Abston then amended his motion to approve Brown, Mitchell & Alexander, Inc. looking at Concept # 2 on the Hospital Road Improvements Project. The motion was seconded by Councilman Stallworth and received the following vote: Mayor Maxwell "AYE". Councilmen Abston "AYE", Corder "ABSTAINED", Milstead "ABSTAINED", Stallworth "AYE", Tillman "ABSTAINED", and Wolverton "NAY". The motion failed.

In accordance with their agreement, Brown, Mitchell & Alexander, Inc. will proceed with traffic counts in the Hospital Road area, reviewing right-of-way matters, and budget items. This additional information should be ready for the Council to review after the first of the year.

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Glenda Beal, Human Resources Director, discussed the Pay and Classification Study with the Council and provided them with an updated handout since the last meeting. Ms. Beal advised they looked at the value of the jobs and not the employees in the current positions. She reported that most positions are competitive with the sources they used to make the final analysis. The Art Gallery Manager position has been removed from the study since additional work needs to be done on the job description.

She also removed the two new job positions which were approved at the meeting on November 6, 2012, for Engineering Technician and Outdoor Recreation Specialist.

After a question and answer session about several of the positions and the study in general, Councilman Tillman made a motion to approve the Pay and Classification Study as presented tonight. The motion failed for lack of a second.

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Councilman Wolverton then made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilman Milstead and received the following vote: Mayor Maxwell "AYE". Councilmen Abston "AYE", Corder "AYE", Milstead "AYE", Stallworth "AYE", Tillman "AYE", and Wolverton "AYE".

The meeting ended at 5:05 p.m.

**APPROVED:**

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Robert H. Maxwell, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Brenda Reed, Asst. City Clerk