

Bessemer, Alabama

August 1, 2018

The Council of the City of Bessemer, Alabama met in special session in the Council's Chamber of the City Hall in said City on Wednesday, August 1, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. Central Time. The purpose of the special called meeting was to discuss, deliberate and consider matters relating to the appointment of municipal poll workers for the Bessemer Municipal Election to be held August 28, 2018 and such other matters as may be reasonably related thereto or arise there from. The meeting was called to order by Council President Cleophus King who was Chairman of the meeting. Administrative Assistant Ann Benson was the Acting City Clerk of the meeting. Upon roll call, the following were found to be present: Councilors Cleophus King, Ron Marshall, Donna Thigpen, David Vance, Cynthia Donald, Jesse Matthews and Cleophus King. Absent: Councilor Chester Porter. Administrative Assistant Ann Benson stated that a quorum was present and the meeting was opened for the transaction of business.

The following public notice was posted for this meeting:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
BESSEMER, ALABAMA**

The City Council of the City of Bessemer, Alabama, hereby gives notice that it will hold a Special Call Meeting of the Council on August 1, 2018, as follows:

TIME: 1:00 p.m.
DATE: Wednesday, August 1, 2018
PLACE: Multi Purpose Room
First Floor
Bessemer City Hall
1700 Third Avenue North
Bessemer, Alabama 35020

AGENDA:

The City Council of the City of Bessemer, Alabama will meet in said meeting to discuss, deliberate and consider matters relating to the appointment of municipal poll workers for the Bessemer Municipal Election to be held August 28, 2018 and such other matters as may be reasonably related thereto or arise there from. An agenda for this meeting has not been prepared as of the posting of this notice; however, if and when an agenda is prepared it will be posted next adjacent to this notice.

Councilor King stated that the purpose of this is to rescind Resolution No. 908-18 and appoint election officers for the 2018 Municipal Elections.

Councilor Marshall made a motion to rescind Resolution No. 908-18 and appoint election officers for the 2018 Municipal Election to be held in the city of Bessemer, Alabama on August 28, 2018. Councilors Matthews seconded the motion and upon roll call the following votes were recorded: Ayes: Councilors Marshall, Donald, Thigpen, Vance, Matthews and King. Nays: None. The motion carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 909-18

A RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 908-18 AND APPOINTING ELECTION OFFICERS FOR THE 2018 MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF BESSEMER, ALABAMA ON AUGUST 28, 2018

WHEREAS, the municipal election for the City of Bessemer, Alabama (the "City") will occur on Tuesday, August 28, 2018, and if required, a run-off election will occur on Tuesday, October 9, 2018; and

WHEREAS, at a regularly scheduled meeting on July 17, 2018, the City Council for the City passed Resolution No. 908-18 appointing individuals as election officers for the 2018 municipal election; and

WHEREAS, some of the individuals appointed as election officers on Resolution No. 908-18 were not qualified to be election officers for the municipal election.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Bessemer, Alabama, at a special called meeting on August 1, 2018, duly assembled with a quorum being present as follows:

1. That Resolution No. 908-18 passed by the City Council of the City of Bessemer on July 17, 2018 is hereby rescinded.
2. That the municipal election for the City of Bessemer, Alabama will occur on Tuesday, August 28, 2018, and if required, a run-off election will occur on Tuesday, October 9, 2018.
3. That the following named individuals are hereby appointed to serve as election officers at the polling location set forth hereinabove and that each chief inspector so named shall be paid Two Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$200.00) and all other

election officers so named shall be paid One Hundred Fifty and 00/100 Dollars (\$150.00) for working as an election officer on election day:

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 1 BOX 1

DISTRICT 01 - BOX 01

FIRE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
1101 2nd Avenue North

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

William Andrew Baylor
1129 Posey Avenue
(205) 983-2805

INSPECTOR:

Richard James Byrd
904 1st Avenue North
(773) 610-0955

CHIEF CLERK:

Jessica J. Blutcher
626 3rd Avenue N
(205) 540-6647

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Trez Montrell Hunter
420 Wesley Street
(205) 643-0588

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Yvonne D. Cooper
1005 Barclay Drive
(205) 821-1592

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Frederick G. Dudley
1320 Dewanna Lane
(205) 424-9533 / (205) 821-3011 cell

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Cynthia D. Fitch
644 8th Avenue North
(205) 529-7479

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 2 BOX 1

DISTRICT 02 - BOX 01
DUNBAR ABRAMS COMMUNITY CENTER
2715 6th Avenue North

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Terry E. Dawson
2321 13th Court N.
(205) 436-0676

INSPECTOR:

Alice Royal
2418 12th Avenue North
(205) 425-8828

CHIEF CLERK:

Sherman James
2321 13th Court North
(205) 381-2004

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Beverly Kay Benefield
2315 13th Court North
(205) 218-2518

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Evelyn D. Gray
1412 26th Street North
(205) 428-5482 / (205) 356-0120

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Brenda A. Dudley
2800 12th Avenue North
(205) 425-8831

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Barbara G. Spencer
1725 24th Street North
(205) 565-6008

ALTERNATE:

LeShawna M. Myles
2319 16th Avenue North
(205) 902-7910

ALTERNATE:

Tammi Diane Whitted
2316 13th Court North
(205) 603-0932

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 3 BOX 1

DISTRICT 03 - BOX 01
COMMUNITY CENTER

SOUTH BESSEMER HOUSING PROJECT
2501 Clarendon Avenue

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Catherine M. Johnson
3227 Berkley Avenue
(205) 903-6623

INSPECTOR:

Mary Ann Dunnigan
3201 Long Avenue D.
(205) 425-5335

CHIEF CLERK:

Bettie B. Williams
3030 Berkley Avenue
(205) 426-3747

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Addie L. Cheatham
703 31st Street South
(205) 767-1473

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Darius Jewayne Davidson
1615 6th Avenue North
(205) 901-4545

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Aretha Elaine Percy
2235 Long 14th Street
(205) 267-2101

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Eric D. Hill
119 31st Street South
(205) 424-6573

ALTERNATE:

Bettye G. Hawkins
3224 Berkley Avenue
(205) 424-8660

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 4 BOX 1

DISTRICT 04 - BOX 01
MORGAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
2701 Morgan Road

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Christine M. Champion
2340 Quail Drive
(205) 296-1899

INSPECTOR:

John Wood Isbell
2294 Quail Drive
(205) 424-9993

CHIEF CLERK:

Cindy Chesser Stanley
2328 Quail Drive
(205) 706-1060

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Nancy Lynnesims Thornton
3773 Hilltop Road SE
(205) 428-1706

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Lisa Oakley Isbell
2290 Quail Drive
(205) 424-9993

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Barbara Curren Roy
3865 Parkwood Road
(205) 425-1007

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Jessica McLendon Holden
6049 Pleasant Hill Road
(205) 746-6236

ALTERNATE:

Marcia F. Isbell
2300 Quail Drive
(205) 999-5487

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 4 BOX 2

DISTRICT 04 - BOX 02
PARKWOOD CHURCH OF GOD
1975 Highway 150

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Charles M. Aldrich
4846 Aldrich Road
(205) 428-0648

INSPECTOR:

Jane N. Aldrich
4846 Aldrich Road
(205) 428-0648

CHIEF CLERK:

Lois G. Howard
1092 Hillcrest Drive
(205) 428-2742

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Paula R. Jones
1036 Overhill Road SE
(205) 425-3036

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Margaret Ann Simmons

4843 Aldrich Road
(205) 277-9691

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Ella Ruth Aldrich
2511 Walker Road
(205) 424-4989

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Louise Strong
1026 Hillcrest Drive
(205)425-5988

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 5 BOX 1

DISTRICT 05 -BOX 01
WEST HILLS PRIMARY SCHOOL
710 Glenn Road

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Elaine Holifield
116 2nd Avenue North
(205) 401-5553

INSPECTOR:

Debra C. Merritt
128 Deadrick Street
(205) 424-8935 / (205) 960-8596

CHIEF CLERK:

Monica Denise Mason
1021 1st Avenue North
(205) 434-7646

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Ronald Earl Mays
425 Hillside Road
(205) 428-8779

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Dorothy P. Busic
540 Memorial Drive
(205) 281-8334 / (205) 281-8142

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Sharon Deniese Hunt
1324 Longbrook Drive
(205) 428-5754

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Bianca Dranae Holifield
805 Villa Glen Apts.
(205) 720-9382

ALTERNATE:

Valerie E. Booker
3130 6th Avenue North
(205) 356-1069

ALTERNATE:

Lafratta Deloris Studivant
2301 Fairfax Avenue
(205) 267-9409

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 6 BOX 1

DISTRICT 06 - BOX 01
Fire Station # 4
495 Flint Hill Road

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Anita L. Bowers
708 Westchester Drive
(205) 425-1038 / (205) 567-1503

INSPECTOR:

Joyce L. Foster
532 Westchester Drive
(205) 428-0718 / (205) 541-7225

CHIEF CLERK:

E.W. Phillips
638 Flint Hill Road
(205) 428-2891 / (205) 541-5259

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Ella P. Hardy
713 Westchester Drive
(205) 426-9920 / (205) 746-9498

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Yvonne Storey
528 Flint Parc Circle
(205) 908-1102 / (205) 481-2590

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Yvonne Flanigan McKinnon
405 Hillside Road
(205) 837-5293

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Janice Y. Parkcer
413 Thompson Street
(205) 424-4879 / (205) 461-2210 cell

ALTERNATE:

Jimmy Earl Thomas
602 Flint Hill Road
(205) 903-8320

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 6 BOX 2

DISTRICT 06 - BOX 02
FIRE STATION NO. 5
1714 Long 12th Street North

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Mary Joyce Carter
1819 Short 13th Street N.
(205) 431-9319

INSPECTOR:

Bettie Jean Harris
2231 Long 14th Street
(205) 223-1684

CHIEF CLERK:

Barbara J. Scott
1801 15th Street N.
(205) 428-3445

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Carolyn Ann Bryant
1827 15th Street N.
(205) 426-4466

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Sherry Pates Braxton
1631 13th Street North
(205) 504-2003

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Tarsha Carter Poe
4602 Little Drive
(205) 436-6064
John Lewis Canada

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

1811 16th Way N
(205) 239-5492

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 7 BOX 1

DISTRICT 07 – BOX 01
THOMPSON MANOR COMMUNITY CENTER
1500 Exeter Avenue

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Elvira T. Kidd
1600 Dartmouth Avenue
(205) 230-7351

INSPECTOR:

Barbara J. Cotton
1500 Exeter Avenue Apt 206
(205) 233-7467

CHIEF CLERK:

Annie Wright Bell
2406 5th Avenue N
(205) 425-0272

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Curtis Jerome Duncan
1617 Exeter Avenue
(205) 475-1538

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Brigitte M. Bolts
2322 13th Court N
(205) 666-3344

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Sandra L. Crenshaw
2012 Arlington Avenue
(205) 427-1556

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Gregory Joe Gosa
429 27th Street S.
(205) 744-5988

POLL WORKERS FOR DISTRICT 7 BOX 2

DISTRICT 07 - BOX 02
JONESBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
125 Owen Avenue

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Michael Cooper
315 Gladys Street
(205)425-6601

INSPECTOR:

Brenda Jean Howard
320 Jefferson Avenue
(205) 424-6064

CHIEF CLERK:

Wendolyn Eunice Morgan
901 Dartmouth Court
(205) 447-9369

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Jalen Romello Holloway
316 Jefferson Avenue
(205) 426-2279

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

James T. Adams
401 9th Street S.
(205) 484-1155

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Brandi Necolee DeRamus
218 Owen Avenue
(205) 447-9369

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Catherine Bishop
315 Fairfax Avenue
(205) 381-5990

POLL WORKERS FOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS

BESSEMER CITY HALL
1700 3rd Avenue North

CHIEF INSPECTOR:

Johnnie P. Lassiter
321 Lexington Blvd
(205) 305-5309

INSPECTOR:

Earline D. Colvin
1037 Gloria Drive
(205) 704-2987

CHIEF CLERK:

Lisa M. Furr
2702 Granville Avenue
(205) 428-6697

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Jay Howton
1501 Berkley Avenue
(205) 425-1345

MACHINE #1 ASSIST. CLERK:

Ruth L. Mixon
17 Carter Avenue
(205) 428-5917

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Virginia A. Ward
100 Flint Hill Lane Apt # 101
(205) 420-1033

MACHINE #2 ASSIST. CLERK:

Delores Byrd Smith
100 Alabama Avenue
(205) 413-3542

4. That this resolution shall become effective upon its due adoption.

ADOPTED this the 1st day of August, 2018.

Councilor Jesse Matthews presented a resolution to the council authorizing the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$28,000.00 from capital improvement funds for public access improvements to McNeil Park.

RESOLUTION NO.: 910-18

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$28,000.00 FROM CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUNDS ALLOCATED TO COUNCIL DISTRICT SIX FOR PEDESTRIAN ACCESS IMPROVEMENTS TO PARK AND ALONG 20TH AVENUE IN THE CITY OF BESSEMER, ALABAMA
MCNEIL

Sponsored by: Councilor Jesse Matthews

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 1228-15 the City Council of the City of Bessemer, Alabama allocated funds for the Capital Improvement Fund to be used for making capital improvements in the City of Bessemer, Alabama;

WHEREAS, said resolution provided that the term Capital Improvement shall mean the restoration and improvement of municipal government buildings, roads, streets and other facilities for the promotion of health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Bessemer, and other projects as provided in § 219.04 of the Constitution of Alabama 1901, alternatively sited as Amendment No. 666, and in the Municipal Government Improvement Act, § 11-66-1, et seq., Code of Alabama 1975;

WHEREAS, the City Council member for District 6 has proposed to the following improvements to be paid for from said capital improvement funds:

- (a) Improvement of pedestrian access to McNeil Park with construction of a pedestrian bridge and walkway off 19th Avenue to the walking track;
- (b) Construction of a walkway from 20th Avenue to the walking track including required drainage pipes and minor ditch work along 20th Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of Bessemer, Alabama hereby finds and determines that the above and foregoing projects constitute capital improvements for which funds from the Capital Improvement Fund may be expended.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BESSEMER, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the City of Bessemer is hereby authorized to expend an amount not to exceed the sum of \$28,000.00, from the Capital Improvement Funds allocated to Council District 6 for: (a) improvement of pedestrian access to McNeil Park with construction of a pedestrian bridge and walkway off 19th Avenue to the walking track; and (b) construction of a walkway from 20th Avenue to the walking track including required drainage pipes and minor ditch work along 20th Avenue.
2. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption as required by law.

ADOPTED this the 1st day of August, 2018.

Councilor Marshall made a motion to adopt the resolution. Councilor Vance

seconded the motion and upon roll call the following votes were recorded: Ayes:

Councilors Marshall, Donald, Thigpen, Vance, Matthews and King. Nays: None. The motion carried.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

**Wanda D. Taylor
City Clerk
City of Bessemer**

Presiding Officer