WORK SESSION MINUTES CITY OF HARTFORD FEBRUARY 5, 2024

The City Council of the City of Hartford, Alabama, met at the Johnny Hughes Community Center for a work session at 7:00 pm on February 5, 2024. The following members were present: Mayor Wendel Nolen, Councilwoman Melissa Clements, Councilman Ted Thompson, Councilman Zane Fowler, Councilman Ron Adams, and Councilman Paul Fondren.

Others in attendance: Melissa Rosser, Vernon Alford, Jerry Sorrells, Mark Shehee, and Zac Cooke. See sign in sheet for others in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Nolen.

Discussion was led by Mayor Nolen. Mayor asked if the council would agree to take applications for the police chief position for two weeks. He stated that the city would accept applications through February 26, 2024, and the council could review the applications during the work session on February 29th. Mayor Nolen stated that the position would be posted in the newspaper, on social media and any other way possible.

Council member Ron Adams asked if something could be presented to the council regarding the emergency pay that was discussed in the previous meeting. Council member Zane Fowler stated that he wanted to be sure that the emergency pay would be used properly and only for emergency situations.

Jeanna Brannon stated that the employee handbook needed to be reviewed. She stated that the handbook needed to be updated and kept up to date with what the council votes on. Attorney Boothe stated that we are currently working on the situation, and it will be handled.

With there being no other business to come before this work session of February 5, 2024, a motion to adjourn was made by Paul Fondren, seconded by Zane Fowler. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned.

Presiding Officer

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