Town of South Vinemont Work Session Minutes June 14, 2022 5:30 PM Town Hall

Mayor Radginal Dodson called meeting to order, welcomed all present.

Visitors: Tom Cosper, Shirley Arnett, Richard Neese, Zach Copeland, Richard Lambert

Members Present:

Chris Thompson-Present
Nina Justice-Present
Charlotte Cosper-Present
Bonnie Goodwin-Present
Sonya Copeland-Present
Mayor Radginal Dodson-Present

Members Present: Kayecea Sasser-Town Clerk, Mike Graves Public Works Director

Review of minutes and financials-Mayor asked council if any questions regarding the minutes or financials, Ms. Copeland asked about a few donations that has been made to the Sports Complex, Clerk made her aware that we have a shaved ice company that sets up during park and rec and tournaments and they donate back to the Sports Complex 25% of what they make.

Review new business-

Mayor Dodson made council aware of the request for donation from the Cullman County Sheriff's Department for \$500.00 for the Rodeo. No questions or discussion.

Mayor Dodson made council aware of the request for donation of \$1000.00 to Vinemont School for Character Education shirts for all students from kindergarten to 12th grade. No questions or discussion.

Mayor Dodson made council aware of the request from Vinemont Baptist Church to use the Community Center on July 3, 2022, for 4th of July Fireworks Show. Mayor Dodson also asked if the council would like to participate in this event with them, they will doing free hotdogs, chips, and drinks. \$500-\$1000. Discussion followed.

Mayor Dodson made council aware of the surface material to go under the playground for Walking Trail, cost would be around \$3900.00 for rubber mulch and border, this would be the continuation of using the ARPA Funds. Discussion followed.

Mayor Dodson made council aware of Sports Complex Park improvements using the ARPA Funds (\$16387.00) Breakdown is attached in minutes. Discussion followed.

Mayor Dodson made council aware of Community Center improvements/upgrades using the ARPA Funds (\$16105.00) Breakdown attached in minutes. Bonnie Goodwin asked about the sign in front of the Community Center we may need to look at replacing and would like to see it more advertised. Sonya Copeland also made council aware of the Town Sign by bridge may also need to look at replacing it to. Discussion followed.

Chris Thompson made council aware that he would like to do some additional beautification at the Walking Trail. Discussion followed.

Sonya Copeland made council aware that Vinemont Park and Rec Softball team will be attending the World Series in July and would like the council to consider donating some money for direct support, so the team and their families are able to attend. Discussion followed.

Richard Neese addressed the council asking if some of the ARPA money could assist in getting a law enforcement officer and assist in starting a court system. Discussion followed.

Old Business

Motion to adjourn:

Charlotte Cosper made a motion to adjourn at 5:59, 2nd by Bonnie Goodwin. All I's and None Nays

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Radginal Dodson, Mayor