

Regular Meeting No. 2022-10-18 RG
Of the Town Council of the Town of Gurley, Alabama
Gurley Town Hall
October 18, 2022 7:00 p.m.

Regular Meeting:

The Town Council of Gurley, Alabama, met on October 18, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the Gurley Town Hall for a regular meeting.

Mayor Simpson called the regular meeting to order. Upon roll call, present were Richard Meyers, Robert Winn, Gary Boyett, Joseph Belles and Stan Simpson. Absent – Andy Whitten.

Reading of Minutes:

A motion was made by Meyers, seconded by Winn, to dispense with the reading and approve as prepared, the Minutes of the Regular Meeting held on October 4, 2022. On voice vote, motion carried.

Public Comments:

No Public Comments.

Reports of Officers:

- a. **Town Administrator:** Received a new Business License Application but waiting on the alcohol application to be filled out. Worked on cemetery and have maps from Croy Engineering.
- b. **Police Department:** End of year report is finished. See attached report for summary of the year. Patrol cars are coming along.
- c. **Fire Department:** Fire Prevention Week is next week at the school.

Hearings of Petitions. Applications. Complaints. Appeals. Communications, etc.:

1. **Stan Simpson-Mayor:** We received the paving bill and our part is \$57, 083.72. Commissioner Hill split the cost of paving on the streets in Gurley. Met with DOT and Croy Engineering last week.

Resolutions. Ordinances. Orders and other business:

- a) **Approval for Expenditures:** A motion was made by Boyett, seconded by Winn to approve the payment of the expenditures. Some discussion on Pace invoices and how often they test. Motion carried on voice vote.
- b) **Approve Award to Gulf Coast Underground, LLC for the CDBG Project No. SM-CM-PF-21-019:** A motion was made by Meyers, seconded by Belles to accept the bid from Gulf Coast Underground, LLC (the lowest bid) for the CDBG Project No. SM-CM-PF-21-019 for \$295,687.50. Upon roll call: Yea's – Meyers, Winn, Boyett, Belles & Simpson, Nay's- None. Having unanimous consent, motion carried.
- c) **Police Department Trunk or Treat Candy \$325.00:** A motion was made by Boyett, seconded by Winn to approve the purchase of Halloween Candy for the Truck or Treat in the Park in the amount of \$325.00 for use by the Police Department and the Fire Department. Motion carried on voice vote.
- d) **Police Computers and Printers:** A motion was made Boyett, seconded by Winn to approve the quote of \$15,796.85 from Pro-Computer Services for 4 laptops for the main patrol cars and 5 new thermal printers. Motion carried on voice vote.
- e) **Business License for Gogaveer, Inc.** This item has been tabled until the next Council Meeting.
- f) **Expense Report when Joseph Belles attended the Alabama League of Municipalities Standing Committee \$280.93:** A motion was made by Meyers, seconded by Boyett to approve the expense report for \$280.93 for Councilman Belles to attend the Alabama League of Municipalities Standing Committee. Motion carried on voice vote.

Consent Agenda:

- g) **Resolution No. 2022-021 RS Nuisance Abatement 6361 Hwy 72 (\$390.00):** A motion was made by Belles, seconded by Meyers for unanimous consent of Resolution No. 2022-021 RS by Title: Upon roll call: Yea's-Meyers, Winn, Boyett, Belles and Simpson. Nay's- None. Having unanimous consent, motion carried.
A motion was made by Belles, seconded by Meyers to dispense with the reading and move for immediate consideration of Resolution No. 2021-021 by Title. Having unanimous consent, motion carried.

A motion was made by Meyers, seconded by Winn to adjourn. Motion carried on voice vote.

Ginger M. Patterson, Town Clerk

Stan Simpson, Mayor



Gurley Police Department

"IN GOD WE TRUST"



October 18, 2022

Gurley Police Numbers from October 1, 2021 – September 30, 2022 (End of Fiscal Year Report)

Mayor and Council,

This page is a brief summary of the information contained in the fiscal year-end report for 2022. If anyone has any questions, please feel free to sit down with me and I will explain anything you may have questions about. Since October 1, 2021 until September 30, 2022, the Gurley Police Department conducted the following:

1,842 Dispatched Events
857 Calls for Service within the Town Limits
258 Traffic Citations
90 Warning Citations
50 Traffic Accident Reports

- **39** property damage only
- **10** Injuries
- **30** Occurred at intersections

94 Case Reports:

(Some Cases Have Multiple Charges)

6 Found Property	2 Overdose	2 B&E to Auto
3 Attempt Flee / Elude	1 Missing Person	9 Harassment
5 Ordinance Violation	2 Poss. Of Marijuana	3 Probation Violation
2 Unattended Death	5 Poss. Of Cont. Sub.	10 Domestic Violence
1 Criminal Mischief	2 Suicide Attempt	1 Unauthorized Use
1 Arson	1 Runaway	2 Forgery
5 Criminal Mischief	1 Menacing	2 Poss. Of Cont. Sub.
2 Disorderly Conduct	1 Assault	2 Criminal Trespass
6 Theft of Identity	1 Resist Arrest	1 Reckless Endangerment
22 Theft of Property	6 Burglary	3 D. U. I.
1 Passing Counterfeit		

Arrests resulted from cases.

(Not all arrests went to jail, some are only summoned to court.)

I would like to thank each of you for your support in your police department. Your officers work very hard to keep this "Best Little Town on Earth" safe so our citizens can sleep peacefully each night and drive safely on the roadways of this town. If anyone needs any further information, please let me know.

Thank You,
Chief J.C. Martin

Chief of Police James C. (J.C.) Martin

Physical Address: 235 Walker Street
Mailing Address P.O. Box 128 Gurley, AL 35748
Chief email: jmartin@townofgurleyal.com

Office (256)776-3313 ext. 13
Chief Martin Work Cell (256)427-9019
Sgt. E. Jones Work Cell (256)427-9128

, Town Clerk

Stan Simpson, Mayor