

**CITY OF LEEDS, ALABAMA
REGULAR SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING
JANUARY 8, 2013**

The City Council of the City of Leeds, Alabama met for a Regular Scheduled Council Meeting, January 8, 2013 at 6:00 PM at the Leeds Civic Center, 1000 Park Drive, Leeds, Alabama 35094.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Miller called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM with Councilmembers Kenneth Washington, Eric Turner, Johnny Dutton, Craig Wadsworth and Devoris Roscha Ragland present.
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** The invocation was given by Councilmember Washington.
- 3. REVIEW AND APPROVE COUNCIL MINUTES:** December 17, 2012 minutes: Motion to approve with change to Item F to read January 22, 2013 by Councilmember Dutton with a second by Councilmember Turner. The motion passed with all present voting yes.
- 4. OLD BUSINESS:**

There was no Old Business to come before the Council.
- 5. DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:**
 - a) Administration, Mayor Miller:** No Report.
 - b) Fire Department, Chief Pierce:** No Report.
 - c) Police Department, Chief Jackson:** No Report.
 - d) Library, Director Williams:** Report supplied in packet.
 - e) Inspection Department, Superintendent Watson:** No Report.
 - d) Parks and Recreation Department, Supervisor Keating:** No Report.
 - e) Streets and Sanitation Department, Supervisor Keating:** No Report
 - f) Municipal Court, Magistrate Roberts:** No Report.
- 6. COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS:**
 - a) Finance Chairperson, Eric Turner:** No Report.
 - b) Public Safety Committee, Devoris Roscha Ragland:** No Report.
- 7. NEW BUSINESS:**

Motion to go into Executive Session to discuss a pending legal matter by Councilmember Washington with a second by Councilmember Turner. Motion passed with all present voting yes. The City Attorney made a declaration to the Council that the purpose is proper and necessary as per the Alabama Open Meetings Act as the executive session relates to a pending legal matter. Council departed from the meeting room at approximately 6:06 PM.

Council reconvened at 6:55 PM with the Mayor calling the meeting to order. Motion to return to regular session by Councilmember Washington with a second by Councilmember Wadsworth. Motion passed with all present voting yes.

- a) Legal matters before the Council:** Motion to authorize the Mayor and City Attorneys to negotiate a settlement of all current cases related to Keith Hall Properties vs City of Leeds based on terms as discussed in Executive Session.

subject to the submittal of a settlement agreement, at a subsequent meeting, and the approval of said agreement by the City Council by Councilmember Washington with second by Councilmember Wadsworth. The motion passed by roll call vote with all present voting yes.

b) Martin Luther King Jr. Unity Breakfast: Motion that the city take an advertisement for the event as they have typically done by Councilmember Washington, with a second by Councilmember Turner. With no discussion, the motion passed with all present voting yes.

c) Resolution 2013-01-01 Authorizing Pay for City Judge, Prosecutor and Public Defender: Motion to table Resolution by Councilmember Washington with a second by Councilmember Ragland. The motion passed with all present voting yes.

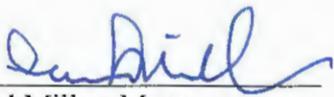
COUNCIL COMMENTS: There were no council comments.

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Susan Farrington, 1816 Lane Drive. Ms Farrington stated that she walks her dogs two to three times a day and informed the council that there is a chronic speeding problem in this section of the road. Ms. Farrington has discussed this matter with the Police Department and nothing appears to be done about this matter. Ms. Farrington has offered her driveway for the Police to park their car to monitor the speeding issue.

Ms. Farrington also asked council why the city hall is being relocated to the First Avenue site and the rumor of additional cost of \$100,000 to accomplish this move. The Mayor's response was that the relocation is to help with increased traffic in the downtown district and to be able to put a basement under the structure at a reasonable price.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by Councilmember Dutton with a second by Councilmember Wadsworth to adjourn at approximately 7:08 PM.



David Miller, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kevin Fouts, Acting City Clerk

City of Leeds, Alabama

Departmental Activity Report

Current Period: 01/01/2013 to 01/22/2013, Prior Period: 12/01/2012 to 12/31/2012

00:00 to 24:00

Includes entries without a specific station/shift/unit

All Stations

All Shifts

All Units

Fire Alarm Responses, EMS Alarm Responses, Training Classes, Activities (Non-Incident), Equipment
Maint/Testing, Departmental Events

Category	Current Period		Prior Period	
	Count	Staff Hrs	Count	Staff Hrs
EMS Alarm Situations				
No Location Provided	90	86.46	148	172.39
	<u>90</u>	<u>86.46</u>	<u>148</u>	<u>172.39</u>
Fire Alarm Situations				
Combustible/flammable spills & leaks	0	0.00	2	6.24
Cover assignment, standby at fire station,	1	2.10	0	0.00
Dispatched and cancelled en route	1	0.06	4	2.47
Electrical wiring/equipment problem	0	0.00	1	0.80
Emergency medical service (EMS) Incident	89	0.00	148	0.00
False alarm and false call, Other	1	1.26	4	4.57
Good intent call, Other	1	0.86	1	0.54
Mobile property (vehicle) fire	0	0.00	1	1.50
Natural vegetation fire	1	1.32	1	2.28
Outside rubbish fire	0	0.00	3	3.64
Person in distress	1	0.30	1	0.46
Public service assistance	27	15.47	26	83.37
Rescue, emergency medical call (EMS),	2	0.74	0	0.00
Service call, Other	0	0.00	1	3.68
Smoke, odor problem	1	1.29	0	0.00
Steam, Other gas mistaken for smoke	0	0.00	1	3.50
Structure Fire	2	4.48	0	0.00
Unauthorized burning	0	0.00	1	1.48
Unintentional system/detector operation	1	0.54	2	4.64
Wrong location, no emergency found	1	0.48	0	0.00
	<u>129</u>	<u>28.90</u>	<u>197</u>	<u>119.17</u>
Non-Incident Activities				
Blood Pressure Check (Station)	4	0.29	25	3.06
Blood Pressure Check Senior Citizen Center	4	2.00	2	1.00
	<u>8</u>	<u>2.29</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>4.06</u>
Testing/Maintenance of Equipment				
EMS Medication Check	0	0.00	2	0.00

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Testing/Maintenance of Equipment				
EMS Weekly	0	0.00	3	0.00
Replace Air Filter	1	0.00	0	0.00
SCBA Check	0	0.00	8	0.00
Weekly Check	0	0.00	10	0.00
	<u>1</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Training				
Apparatus Daily / Weekly Check Procedures	25	66.00	0	0.00
Apparatus Placement	24	168.00	0	0.00
Calmar Street Area	14	12.50	0	0.00
Communicating Effectively	0	0.00	11	33.00
Downtown Area	14	12.50	0	0.00
Driver Training	7	21.00	0	0.00
Dunnivant Road Area	14	12.50	0	0.00
Fire Protection Systems	0	0.00	4	4.00
Live Fire Training - Burn Trailer	0	0.00	24	174.00
Mapbook B-6	0	0.00	2	4.00
Mapbook B-8	0	0.00	2	4.00
Mapbook C-1	0	0.00	6	12.00
Mapbook C-2	0	0.00	6	12.00
Night	0	0.00	7	17.50
Pipeline Emergency Response Guidelines	0	0.00	9	27.00
Pumping Operations E2	4	16.00	0	0.00
Rescue Techniques / Tactics	0	0.00	15	90.00
Spruiell Street Area	12	9.00	0	0.00
Territory Training - FDCs	0	0.00	4	20.00
Training and Team Building	0	0.00	7	21.00
	<u>114</u>	<u>317.50</u>	<u>97</u>	<u>418.50</u>

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Public Attendance Summary

Date Between {12/01/2012} And {12/31/2012} and Default
 Activity Code In "BP " "BPSC " "CPR
 " "CSS " "PE " "TOI " a

BPSC Blood Pressure Check Senior Citizen Center

Date	Time	Description	Location	Hrs Stn	Public Attendance	
					#Adults	#Children
12/05/2012		Blood Pressure Check Senior Citizen Cent		0.00 001	5	0
12/12/2012		Blood Pressure Check Senior Citizen Cent		0.00 001	6	0
12/19/2012	09:30:0	Blood Pressure Check Senior Citizen Cent		0.50 002	6	0
Sub-Total for Activity Code BPSC					17	0

CPR CPR Class

Date	Time	Description	Location	Hrs Stn	Public Attendance	
					#Adults	#Children
12/26/2012	14:00:0	CPR Class		4.00 001	1	0
Sub-Total for Activity Code CPR					1	0

TOI Turnout Gear Inspection

Date	Time	Description	Location	Hrs Stn	Public Attendance	
					#Adults	#Children
12/20/2012	19:00:0	Turnout Gear Inspection		1.00 001	1	0
Sub-Total for Activity Code TOI					1	0

	Adults	Children
Total Public Attendance	55	0



BYRON JACKSON
CHIEF OF POLICE

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DAVID MILLER
MAYOR

January 22, 2013

Mayor and Council:

The following is a summary of the Police Department activities for the month of December 2012 and the 2012-year to date totals.

Police Department Activity Summary

Category	*Calls Answered	Accidents Investigated	All Reports	Traffic Stops	Traffic Citations	Warning Citations	Non-Traffic Citations	Misd. Arrests	Felony Arrests	Warrants Served
Dec. 2012	1017	49	211	315	149	82	1	17	7	67
2012 YTD	13130	457	2378	4754	2236	1807	28	261	111	855
Dec. 2011	1235	42	171	351	119	124	0	19	1	81
2011 YTD	13917	456	2210	N/A	1416	N/A	N/A	202	94	757
Category	*Officer Assists	*Public Assists	Court Hours	Training Hours	Shifts Worked	Miles Driven				
Dec. 2012	365	259	35	0	264	20589				
2012 YTD	4191	2709	528.5	853	2920	228811				
Dec. 2011	304	247	51	40	264	21274				
2011 YTD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2448	195868				

*Calls answered, Officer Assists and Public Assists equal all calls.

Jail Expenses

Prisoner Transportation

No. of Inmate Days	247	Dec. 2012	Miles – 1995.0	Dec. 2012	Hours – 49
Dec. Expenses	\$7,657.50	2012 YTD	Miles – 21,423.5	2012 YTD	Hours – 590
2012 Total YTD	\$68,428.50				
2011 Total	\$60,570.00	2011 Total	Miles – 16,249	2011 Total	Hours - N/A

False Alarms

False Alarms	Burglary Business	Burglary Residence	Robbery Business	Robbery Residence	Totals	Chargeable
Dec. 2012	27	14	0	0	41	41
2012 YTD Total	254	180	22	0	456	447
2011 YTD Total	165	68	9	1	243	237

**LEEDS MUNICIPAL COURT
MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT -DECEMBER 2012**

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LEEDS MUNICIPAL COURT
MISDEMEANOR WARRANTS OUTSTANDING REPORT
December 2012

Outstanding Warrants remaining for year 2008	38
Outstanding Warrants remaining for year 2009	146
Outstanding Warrants remaining for year 2010	166
Outstanding Warrants remaining for year 2011	193
Outstanding Warrants remaining for year 2012	340
Total Warrants for 01/01/2008 until 12/31/2012	883