

PLANNING MEETING
ASHLAND CITY COUNCIL
MAY 18, 2016

The Ashland City Council met for a Planning Meeting at 5:30 P.M. on May 18, 2016 in the Ashland City Hall auditorium with Mayor Larry J. Fetner presiding. Council Members present were Billy Joe Smith, Bobbie J. Steed, Rebecca G. Boddie, and Brad Wolfe. Also present were City Clerk Administrator Chelsey Wynn, Court Clerk/Assistant City Clerk Robin Catrett, Maintenance Supervisor Jeremy Nash, Police Chief Joseph Stanford, Sergeant Tony Hubbard, Tiffany Young of Clay County Chamber of Commerce, Stan Gaither of Ashland Housing Development Corporation, Grady Turner, Tammy Andrews, and Ray Stansell of the Clay Times-Journal.

Council Member Gail Thompson and Fire Chief Brett Thompson were absent.

Mayor Fetner called the meeting to order and thanked the Council for allowing himself, City Clerk Chelsey Wynn and Asst. City Clerk Robin Catrett to attend the annual Alabama League of Municipalities Convention. Items discussed included the regular meeting agenda, a records request from Citizen Grady Turner, and Code Enforcement.

Police Chief Joseph Stanford advised the Council, Code Enforcement Officer Cecil Chappell is doing a good job and has started the process to get a few nuisance properties cleaned. Police Chief Stanford also addressed the Council in reference to transmission repairs needed to the 2010 Crown Vic.

Mr. Stan Gaither addressed the Council with an update regarding the Ashland Housing Development Corporation and the AHDC's mission. Mr. Gaither advised the Council that at the present time the ADHC has five goals including Housing First Initiative, Family Resource Center, Health & Wellness Outreach Program, Vocational Training, and Economic Development. Mr. Gaither advised some of these goals are currently operational.

There was no business conducted at this meeting.

Mayor: _____

Attest: _____