

November 3, 2025
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING
1705 MAIN STREET
DAPHNE, AL
6:00 P.M.

1. **CALL TO ORDER:**

There being a quorum present Council President Ron Scott called the meeting to order at 6:00pm.

ROLL CALL:

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Steve Olen, Tommie Conaway, Ron Scott, Doug Goodlin and Ben Hughes

COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT: Joel Coleman and Angie Phillips

Also Present: Candace Antinarella, City Clerk; Jay Ross, City Attorney; Mayor LeJeune; Chief Brian Gulsby, Police; Chief Tacon, Fire; Emmie Powell, Library; Troy Strunk, City Development; Andy Bobe, City Engineer; Charlie McDavid, Recreation; Adrienne Jones, Planning; Amber Lue, Junior City Councilmember; Schuyler Smith, Junior City Councilmember; Isabella New, Junior City Councilmember; Dareon Maynard, Junior City Councilmember; Emma Coleman, Junior City Councilmember; Lakyn Coggin, Junior City Councilmember; John Wallace Simpson, Junior City Councilmember; Maddie Barnes, Junior City Councilmember; Stephanie Messinger, Council Elect; Jennifer Green, Council Elect; Oliver Roberts, Council Elect; and Jessica Linne, Assistant City Clerk.

INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Invocation was given by Reverend Thack Dyson, St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

2. **OATHS OF OFFICE:**

Honorable Jay Ross administered the oath of office for Mayor Robin LeJeune.

Baldwin County District Judge Michael Hoyt administered oaths of office for Councilwoman Conaway, Councilman Roberts, Councilwoman Messinger and Councilman Hughes.

Chief Justice Sarah Stewart administered the oath of office for Councilman Olen.

Honorable Matt Green administered the oath of office for Councilwoman Green.

3. **ELECT COUNCIL PRESIDENT:**

MOTION by Councilwoman Conaway to elect Councilman Hughes as the Council President. Seconded by Councilman Olen.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

4. **ELECT COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO-TEM:**

MOTION by Councilman Olen to elect Councilman Coleman as the Council Pro-Tem. Seconded by Councilman Roberts.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

5. **RESOLUTIONS:**

6. **2ND READ ORDINANCES:**

- A. **2025 - 20** - Ordinance to Approve the Annexation of Territory Within the City Limits of the City of Daphne, Alabama, and to Accept Such Territory as a Public Right-of-Way to be Owned and Maintained by the City of Daphne - Parker Lane

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B. 2025 - 21 - Ordinance to Adjust Speed Limits and to Post Speed Limit Signs

MOTION by Councilwoman Conaway to waive the reading of Ordinances 2025-20 and 2025-21.

Seconded by Councilman Olen.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

**MOTION by Councilwoman Conaway to adopt Ordinance 2025-20. Seconded by Councilwoman
Messinger.**

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

**MOTION by Councilwoman Conaway to adopt Ordinance 2025-21. Seconded by Councilwoman Green.
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

7. 1ST READ ORDINANCES:

8. COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilman Roberts thanked everyone for the opportunity to be on Council and his family for their support.

Councilwoman Messinger thanked all who supported and voted for her.

Councilwoman Green thanked all who came out for the meeting.

Mayor LeJeune congratulated all the new Councilmembers. He reminded everyone that Coffee with the Mayor is on Tuesday at 9am and Court will be held in Chambers on Tuesday.

Council President Hughes thanked his family for their support and congratulated all the Councilmembers.

9. ADJOURN:

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO DISCUSS, COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 6:21PM.

Respectfully submitted by,



Candace G. Antinarella, MMC, City Clerk

Certification of Presiding Officer,



Ben Hughes, Council President