

**ACTS OF COUNCIL**  
**APRIL 13, 2009**  
**7:00 P.M.**

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Pine Mountain sat in a regular session on the evening of Monday, April 13, 2009 at 7:00 P.M. in the Town Hall.

Mayor Joe D Teel, Jr presided with Councilpersons Barbara Bell Ewell, Tamara M Pierce, James W Trott and Andrew J Kober in attendance. Jerry M Teasley was not in attendance.

**ACTS OF COUNCIL**

Mr Kober made a motion to approve the Acts of Council as written for March.

Ms Pierce seconded the motion.

Mr Trott and Ms Ewell voted in favor of the motion.

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

Mayor Teel presented the financial report for March.

**PINE MOUNTAIN TOURISM**

The Rust and Chrome Car Show will take place in Pine Mountain on Saturday, May 9. This event will be a fund-raiser for the Pine Mountain Youth League.

The "Bike MS Cox Atlanta Ride" will be held on September 11, 2009. Ms. Arnold requested that Broad Street be closed from Commerce Avenue to McDougald Avenue.

Ms Pierce made a motion to approve the street closing of Broad Street for this event.

Mr Trott seconded the motion.

Mr Kober and Ms Ewell voted in favor of the motion.

**BALLFIELD PARKING-Andy Kober**

Mr Kober suggested to make a driveway on the lower ballfield like it was before the public safety center was built. Mr Kober also suggested that the trees along Williams Avenue be trimmed and have gravel poured down Williams Avenue down below the church area.

**UPDATE ON BRASS BAND FESTIVAL (MAY 1-2)-David Denman**

Mr Denman reminded everyone about the Brass Band Festival to be held in Pine Mountain on May 2. Performances will be downtown from 12:00-4:00 P.M. and at Callaway Gardens Beach from 6:00-10:00 P.M.

**PARADE FOR BRASS BAND-Anthony McKee/David Denman**

A parade will be held on Saturday, May 2 for the Brass Band Festival. The parade route that was requested is as follows:

Depart from the Gym onto Chipley Street across Main Street turn onto Harris Street onto Commerce Avenue onto Georgia Street ending at the Chipley Woman's Club.

Mayor Teel suggested that the parade not be taken onto Main Street.

Mr Trott made a motion to approve the parade route with the exception of going on Main Street.

Mr Kober seconded the motion.

Ms Ewell and Ms Pierce voted in favor of the motion.

**SPACE FOR PINE MOUNTAIN VALLEY HOUSE-Ken Askew, Bill Crisp, Orville Mooneyham and Annette Davis**

The Chipley Historical Center is trying to get an original Pine Mountain Valley House. If they are able to get this house they will need somewhere to put it. Mr Ken Askew asked that the Town consider one of the following:

1) Give the 2 acres of land (where the current Public Works Shop is located) at the end of McDougald Avenue to the Historical Center.

2) Give part of the 2 acres of land to the Historical Center.

3) Consider allowing the Historical Center to lease the land for a dollar (\$1.00) a year.

Mayor Teel stated if we were not using the land it might not be a problem, however, in the years to come we will have to build another Public Works building.

Mr Askew also suggested the following locations if the 2 acres at the end of McDougald is not available:

1) South end of the Woman's Club property.

2) Across the street from Town Hall.

Mayor Teel suggested that they look into placing it on the property across from Town Hall.

Mr Askew stated that they may have to come back to get approval to put the house on one of these location due to Fire Zone.

No action was taken on this matter. Mr Askew requested that an answer be given soon.

Mr Askew requested that the Chipley Historical Center be placed on the SPLOST list. Mayor Teel stated that the SPLOST will not come up for voting until 4 years from now.

**USE OF BALLFIELD/REPAIRS-Robert McGhee**

Mr McGhee requested permission to use the softball fields to host a men and women's League from May 19 until the 2nd week of July. The days that they would use the field would be Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Ms Pierce made a motion to approve the use of the fields.

Mr Trott seconded the motion.

Ms Ewell and Mr Kober voted in favor of the motion.

Mr McGhee presented pictures of the softball field requesting the Town look into doing some repairs.

Betsy Sivell will work on getting some of the issues taken care of.

**PINE MOUNTAIN YOUTH ASSOCIATION-John Willis**

Mr Willis requested a bay vacated by the Pine Mountain Fire Department to store equipment for the Pine Mountain Youth Association. Mr Kober stated that we do not have an empty bay at this time. The Fire Department still has a fire truck and trailer in the bays.

Mr Kober made a motion to approve the request contingent upon space coming available.

Ms Pierce seconded the motion.

Mr Trott voted in favor of the motion.

Ms Ewell stated that the Youth Association is not part of the government, therefore she did not vote.

**FUND RAISER-Jackson Blaine Steele**

Mr Steele was not in attendance.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Thereafter, the meeting was adjourned.

Betsy Sivell  
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Town Clerk

Barbara Bell Ewell, Barbara Bell Ewell

Tamara M Pierce, Tamara M Pierce

James W Trott, James W Trott

Andrew J Kober, Andrew J Kober

not in attendance, Jerry M Teasley