

STATE OF ALABAMA            }

COLBERT COUNTY            }

JANUARY 17, 2017

Colbert County Commission met today in regular session at the Colbert County Courthouse. Chairman Jimmar called the meeting to order at 5:43 p.m. with all Commissioners present. Commissioner Gardiner offered the invocation.

PUBLIC HEARING-LIQUOR LICENSE-SPRING VALLEY MARKET

Public Hearing for Satyam Business, Inc. dba, Spring Valley Market located at 2620 Ricks Lane, Leighton, AL 35646 for 050 Retail Beer (off premises only) and 070 Retail Table Wine (off premises only) liquor license. Chairman Jimmar called for anyone to speak for liquor license. Ronda Salazar, owner of Spring Valley Market, requested Commissioners to pass application for liquor license. Chairman Jimmar called a second time for anyone to speak for liquor license. No response. Chairman Jimmar called third time for anyone to speak for liquor license. No response. Chairman Jimmar called for anyone to speak against liquor license. Sonny Owens, pastor of Spring Valley Church of Christ, spoke against liquor license. Chairman Jimmar called a second time for anyone to speak against license. Scott Farris, Pastor Mt. Moriah, spoke against license. Chairman Jimmar called a third time for anyone to speak against license. David Kiel, local Pastor spoke against license. Other citizens speaking against liquor license were Phillip Wright, Steve Smith, Larry Pounders, and Commissioner Bendall. Commissioner Bendall had petitions with 166 signatures. Chairman Jimmar called for a vote of the Commissioners by district.

District 1 Commissioner Barnes	No
District 2 Commissioner Black	No
District 3 Commissioner Gardiner	No
District 4 Commissioner Jimmar	No
District 5 Commissioner Bendall	No
District 6 Commissioner Hovater	No

The request for Liquor License for Spring Valley Market was denied.

### CONSENT AGENDA

Commissioner Gardiner made motion to approve consent agenda. Commissioner Black seconded the motion. All Commissioners voted aye.

1. Approved payment of bills as presented to Commission.
2. Approved purchase of ad for Times Daily Progress magazine presented by Abby Watkins. Approval was for half page ad for \$1,298.00.
3. Approved speed limit change on River Road from County Line Road to Brick School Road. The speed limit will be reduced from 55 mph to 45 mph. The request was made by Commissioner Barnes and recommended by County Engineer John Bedford.
4. Approved request from Sheriff for vehicles to be declared surplus. The vehicles are: 2003 Crown Victoria 2FAFP71W13X203816, 2007 Crown Victoria 2FAFP71V68X139366, Crown Victoria 2FAFP71V18X1471347, 2007 Crown Victoria 2FAFP71V48X139365, and 2003 Crown Victoria 2FAHP71W93X221053.
5. Approved request from County Engineer John Bedford for equipment to be declared surplus. Road Department equipment is: 2008 Ford 4X4 extended cab pickup 1FTRX14W76NB01863, 1996 Dodge 4X4 pickup 1B7HF16Y4TX603272, 2001 Dodge Ram 1500 4X4 pickup 1B7HF16Y51S668600, and 2002 Chevrolet 4X4 extended cab pickup 1GCEK19V92E184204. Rose Trail Park: Tractor CCJ0028693.
6. Approved request for professional services of Mr. Larry McPherson to prepare County Commission financial statement for fiscal year ending September 30, 2016.
7. Approved February 7, 2017 as Public Hearing date for Rayo Mart, Inc., request for Retail Beer (off premises only) liquor license application, located at 6505 Second Street, Muscle Shoals, AL.
8. Approved payment of \$300.00 for indigent burial of Bert Sansing, certified by Probate Judge Rosser and Coroner Carlton Utley.

Commissioner Black made motion to approve minutes of January 3, 2017 Commission meeting. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Gardiner.

Chairman Jimmar abstained. Motion passed with all other Commissioners voting aye.

REQUEST COUNTY ATTORNEY PROPOSALS

Commissioner Barnes made motion to seek Request for Qualifications proposals for County Attorney. Commissioner Bendall seconded the motion.

Commissioners Barnes, Bendall and Black voted aye. Commissioners Gardiner, Hovater, and Chairman Jimmar voted nay. Motion failed. Commissioners Black asked to extend County Attorney Edgar Black's contract until action can be taken.

With no further business, Commissioner Gardiner made motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Hovater seconded the motion. All Commissioners concurred.

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