

May 13, 2019

The City Council of the City of Pleasant Grove, Alabama, met in the Council Chambers at Pleasant Grove City Hall, 6:00pm for a work session meeting with the following present:

Mayor: Jerry W. Brasseale
Council Members: Philip Houston
Bob Crumpton
Ken Hatfield
Paula Johnson
William Bullion

Also present: Attorney JD Terry, Attorney David Canupp, City Clerk Karen Duncan

Attorney JD Terry reported to the City Council that to discuss the NAACP litigation it is recommended the City Council to go into executive session.

Mr. Brasseale made a motion to go into executive session.

Mr. Houston seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: Houston-yes, Crumpton-yes, Hatfield-yes, Brasseale-yes, Johnson-yes, Bullion-yes, motion passed unanimously.

Work session was moved into the Conference Room at City Hall then reconvened in the Council Chambers at 7:02pm.

Mr. Brasseale made a motion to come out of executive session.

Mr. Houston seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: Houston-yes, Crumpton-yes, Hatfield-yes, Brasseale-yes, Johnson-yes, Bullion-yes, motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Brasseale made a motion to authorize the legal counsel to negotiate settlement of lawsuit under which the court would order that all future city council elections would be accomplished through cumulative voting method without numbered places for council members and to authorize a cost up to \$7,500.00 for voter education in regards to cumulative voting method.

Mr. Bullion seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: Houston-yes, Crumpton-yes, Hatfield-yes, Brasseale-yes, Johnson-yes, Bullion-yes, motion passed unanimously.

Upon motion made by Ms. Paula Johnson, the work session adjourned at 7:04pm.

Jerry W. Brasseale, Mayor

Attest: _____
Karen Duncan, City Clerk