

CITY OF LONOKE  
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES  
March 1, 2021

The Lonoke City Council held a special city council meeting through internet livestream video via zoom application on March 1, 2021. Mayor Trae Reed called the meeting to order with the invocation given by Efreem Jones. Mayor Reed asked City Clerk, Jeribeth Edwards to call the roll. City Clerk Jeribeth Edwards called the roll and declared a quorum.

Mayor	Trae Reed
City Clerk	Jeribeth Edwards
Treasurer	Phillip Howell
Deputy Clerk	Regina Ibbotson
Council Members	Efreem Jones, Kelly Rather, Raymond Hatton (absent), Alice Bridges, Suzette Elmore, Michael Florence, Koy Butler, and Ryan Biles
City Attorney	Ginger Stuart
Police Chief	Matt Edwards (absent)
W/S/S Supt.	Jim Kelley
C.C. Director	Mike Brown (absent)
Fire Dept.	Justin Wittenberg
Parks Director	Roy Don Lewis (absent)
News Media	Rick Kron, The Leader (absent)
Visitors-	Vonda Evans

**A. Approve First Security Finance as Lender for ESCO Project-** Phillip Howell explained that he had spoken with First Security Bank. Mr. Howell explained they did have the lowest cost financing and the lowest interest rate available at 2.23% for a 20-year loan. Kelly Rather made a motion to accept the rate. Suzette Elmore seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Adjourn-** Suzette Elmore made a motion to adjourn. Alice Bridges seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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**Mayor Henry F Reed III**

**Attest:**

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**City Clerk**