

City Hall
Fayette, Alabama
June 14, 2018

A special meeting of the City Council of the City of Fayette met at 5:00 o'clock, p.m. on June 14, 2018, in the Council Chambers of the City Hall.

Upon roll call the following were found to be present: Mayor Ray Nelson, Councilmembers Linda McCraw, Eddy Campbell, Jason Cowart, and Cedric Wilson. Also present were City Attorney Dale Lawrence and Assistant Fire Chief Casey Black. Councilmember Jerry Nichols was absent.

Mayor Nelson announced that a quorum was present and that the meeting was open for the transaction of business.

INTERVIEW OF FIRE CHIEF APPLICANTS

1. Mr. Shannon Taylor – Brookwood, Alabama

The first applicant interviewed was Mr. Shannon Taylor. Mr. Taylor retired from the City of Tuscaloosa Fire Department in August of 2015 after approximately 20 years of service. He worked at Northport Fire & Rescue from June of 2015 until February of 2016. He is currently the Fire Chief at Green Pond Fire & Rescue in Woodstock, Alabama. Mr. Taylor said he and his family would be willing to relocate to Fayette.

Mr. Taylor had the following certifications (This is not a complete list of all of his certifications and training):

ALABAMA:

<u>Fire:</u>	<u>Code/Life Safety</u>	<u>Law Enforcement</u>
Firefighter I, II	IBC Structural	APOSTC
Paramedic	IFC Changes	SSGT
Inspector I, II, III	IFC Fire Protection	PPLT
Investigator	IBC Non Structural	Specialized Munitions
NFA Investigator	NFC Code Management	Tactical Medic
ATF Investigator		
Officer I, II		
AMAS Rescue Tech		
Rescue Diver		
Hazmat Tech		

2. Mr. David Krzyzkowski – Corinth, Mississippi

The second applicant interviewed was Mr. David Krzyzkowski. Mr. Krzyzkowski has thirty years of fire service. He is a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. As indicated in the letter attached to his resume, his current status is that of a lieutenant. He works at the Toyota plant fire station responding to emergencies, providing training, performing rescue standbys, and providing inspections regarding equipment, safety issues and suppression systems. He said he would be willing to relocate to Fayette.

Mr. Krzyzkowski had the following certifications (This is not a complete list of all of his certifications and training):

MISSISSIPPI:

Firefighter 1001-I
Firefighter 1001-II
Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator
Firefighter 1001-III
Fire Officer 1021-I-II
Fire Officer 1021-III-IV
Fire Inspector 1031-I
Fire Inspector 1031-II

MISSOURI:

Firefighter 1001-I
Fire Service Instructor 1041-I
Arson Investigator

LOUISIANA:

Industrial Fire Brigade Member – Advanced Exterior: 1/2014
Industrial Fire Brigade Member – Incipient: 1/2014

Mayor Nelson asked both candidates why should the City hire them and to describe their leadership philosophy.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Councilmember Cowart moved the Council go into executive session for the purpose of discussing the general reputation and character of individuals. Upon the motion being seconded by Councilmember Wilson, the same was unanimously approved.

Councilmember Cowart moved the Council come out of executive session. Upon the motion being seconded by Councilmember McCraw, the same was unanimously approved.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, upon the motion to adjourn being made by Councilmember Cowart and seconded by Councilmember McCraw, the same was unanimously adopted.

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk