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# Board awards \$1 million street paving contract, gives go-ahead to Lions Club Park lease

City Clerk if there was any money anywhere they could find to use that would be immediate for these two buildings,” Fisher explained. City Clerk Russell Wall found \$350,000 available for the park, which allows a \$24,000 cushion left over if any problems or situations occur, Mayor Fisher said.

Fisher asked the Board to make the pavilion and restroom facilities a part of the park facility. The Board approved transferring and moving funds in order to allow for construction of the pavilion and bathroom in Lions Club Park, combining \$200,000 from one fund and \$170,000 from another fund, for a total of \$370,000 allowed for the project.

With the authorization of these funds for the park, the Board also authorized to advertise for bids for the construction of the project.

“Hopefully, we can get a very quick turnaround,” Brannon said. The bids will be reviewed at the board’s August 6, 2019, meeting, and the Board will vote on the recommendations from the bids, Fisher said.

The funds for the park project will be used for landscaping, the bath-



rooms and the pavilion – everything from the start to the completion of the project.

“The only item you will see separate is the actual playground equipment. That will have to be ordered and delivered,” Brannon said.

In other business, the Board heard a report and viewed a presentation from Chandra Broomfield, Director of Therapeutic Recreation, about the center’s activities; approved Police Chief Ford Hayman’s request for two additional Automated License Plate Recognition, or ALPR sites for the City; and approved an agreement between the City and Wier Boerner AL-

lin Architecture related to the Clinton Softball Concession building;

In addition, aldermen approved changes to the City’s Drug and Alcohol Program, including a change to the requirement for drug and alcohol testing if an employee is not at fault or suspected of drug or alcohol use. By changing this policy, a test will not be required unless needed, and the employee will not have to be off of work for three days pending the test result.

Aldermen also approved a loan from Mississippi Development Authority for capital improvements. One month ago, this loan was on the agenda, and published for four weeks in

the newspaper as required. The funds will be used to add bathroom facilities to Robinson Park and Northside Park, and to repair restroom facilities at Traceway Park;

Also approved and accepted was the final plat for Cedar Hill Place, Phase 1(A), along with the acceptance and recording of easements. The only easements for this property are the standard easements for utilities.

Aldermen approved the purchase of two 2019 Dodge Ram Extended Cab 4x4 V-6 trucks for a total price of \$38,610, to be used by the Public Works Department, as well as the purchase of a new 2018 Dodge Ram 2500 4x4 truck for \$26,200 for Clinton Public Works. The truck is a new truck that was ordered by another municipality that decided not to purchase it, Shelby said.

Alderman-at-Large Ricki Garrett and Ward 2 Alderman Jim Martin were absent from the meeting. However, Martin was periodically connected via telephone to the meeting.

The next board meeting will be at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, July 2, 2019, at the Municipal Courtroom, 305 Monroe Street.

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