

**GENERAL NOTICE ANNOUNCEMENT**

**TOWN OF HODGES**

**MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL**

**VACANCY ON THE TOWN COUNCIL AVAILABLE**

The Hodges Town Council hereby gives notice of a vacancy for council member for the Town of Hodges, Alabama

"Every council member shall be a resident and qualified elector of the town and shall reside within the corporate limits of the town during his/her term of office. Section 11-43-01 Code of Alabama, 1975."

"The council member must remain a qualified elector during his/her term of office. To be a qualified elector of the municipality, a person must have resided within the municipality for at least (30) days prior to the appointment and be qualified to vote in the county precinct which embraces and covers that part of the corporate limits of the town in which the elector reside. Section 11-46-22 Code of Alabama, 1975."

"Those who would not be eligible to be a council member are those who are not a qualified elector of the county or town, except as otherwise expressly provided, those who have not been inhabitants of the state, county, district or circuit for the period required by the constitution and laws of the state, those who shall have been convicted of treason, embezzlement of public funds, malfeasance in office, larceny, bribery, or any other crime punishable by imprisonment in the state or federal penitentiary and those who are idiots or insane, those against whom there is a judgment unpaid for any moneys received by them in any official capacity due to the United States, this state or any county or municipality thereof, and soldiers, seamen, or marines in the regular Army or Navy of the United States. No person holding an office of profit under the United States shall, during his/her continuance in such office, hold any office of profit under this state, nor shall any person hold two offices of profit at one and the same time under this state, except constables, notaries public and commissioners of deeds.

Before entering upon the duties of office, a council member is required to take the Oath of Office.

If anyone is interested, please submit your name and address in writing to the Town Clerk of Hodges, Alabama, Frankie Petree, Monday thru Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Hodges Town Hall. Deadline is February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mayor Terry Petree  
Council member Samantha Gann  
Council member Ashley Pharr  
Council member Julia Rollins  
Council member Jeff Stidham