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**STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COVINGTON**

**ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA
ANDALUSIA CITY HALL
APRIL 3, 2018**

REGULAR WORK SESSION MEETING

PRESENT:

Earl V. Johnson, Mayor
Will Sconiers, Councilmember
Kenneth C. Mount, Councilmember
Hazel Griffin, Councilmember
Ralph Wells, Councilmember
Terry Powell, Councilmember
Mark Christensen, City Attorney

ABSENT:

The City Council of the City of Andalusia, Alabama, met in room 340 at city hall for a work session at 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of planning and finalizing the agenda.

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ABSENT:

Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order and welcomed all. Council Member Griffin led the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Mayor Johnson presented the minutes from the regular meeting on March 20, 2018. Councilmember Sconiers moved to approve the minutes. Councilmember Wells seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

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MAYOR JOHNSON PRESENTED ORDINANCE NO. 2018 – 04, ANNUAL BACK TO SCHOOL SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR A FIRST READING:

Mayor Johnson presented Ordinance No. 2018 -04, Annual back to school sales tax holiday to the council for a first reading

**THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA
ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA**

ORDINANCE NO. 2018 - 04

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA,
ALABAMA:**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA, TO EXEMPT CERTAIN “COVERED ITEMS” FROM THE MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAX DURING THE THIRD FULL WEEKEND OF JULY, 2018, AS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 2006-574 OF THE ALABAMA LEGISLATURE, AND THE AMENDING ACT NO. 2017-120, GENERALLY REFERRED TO AS THE STATE SALES TAX HOLIDAY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. In conformity with the provisions of Act 2006-574 enacted by the Alabama Legislature during the 2006 Regular Session, and the Amending Act No. 2017- 120, providing for a State Sales Tax Holiday, the City of Andalusia, Alabama, exempts “covered items” from municipal sales and use tax during the same period, beginning at 12:01 a.m. on the third Friday in July, 2018 (July 20, 2018) and ending at twelve midnight the following Sunday (July 22, 2018).

Section 2. This ordinance shall be subject to all terms, conditions, definitions, time periods, and rules as provided by Act 2006-574 and Amending Act 2017 - 120, except that the time period shall only be as specified in Section 1 above and not for all years thereafter.

Section 3. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to certify a copy of this ordinance under the seal of the City Andalusia of Andalusia, Alabama, and to forward said certified copy to the Alabama Department of Revenue to be recorded and posted on the Department website.

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective upon publication as required by law.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 3rd DAY OF APRIL, 2018.

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THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA

BY: _____
Earl V. Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST:

John Thompson, City Clerk – Treasurer

**COUNCIL APPROVED APPROPRIATION FROM THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT FOR
NEW DESKS AND OTHER FURNITURE FOR THE LIBRARY:**

Mayor Johnson presented a request from the library for new desks and other furniture. Councilmember Powell moved to appropriate \$5,012 from the account necessary to purchase library furniture.

ADJOURNMENT:

With no further business, Mayor Johnson called the meeting adjourned.

THE CITY OF ANDALUSIA, ALABAMA

BY: _____
Earl V. Johnson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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