

REGULAR MEETING OF THE LAKE CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

June 11th, 2018

Attendees: Mayor Dodson, Mayor Pro-Tem Hoover, Councilmember Sowell, Councilmember McDuffie, Councilmember Craven, Community Services Director Eddie Robinson, City Clerk Eric Beckman, Police Lieutenant Triplett, City Attorney John O'Neil, City Manager Chris Leighty

6:00 PM Work Session:

1. Discussion of the Urban Cooperation Agreement with Clayton County. This agreement will allow the City of Lake City to apply for different grants through Clayton County.
2. Discussion of Ordinance Number 2018-04. This ordinance pertains to Chapter 20 Health and Sanitation Code for Lake City. It addresses blighted and vacant properties.
3. Discussion of a resolution number 2018- 02 to accept the State of Georgia's offer to pay the Clayton County a sum of money to replace the FAA Fuel Tax. This money will be issued to Clayton County and then distributed to the cities within Clayton County based on the LOST percentages.

7:00 PM City Council Session:

Call to order: Councilmember Sowell

After the meeting was called to order, Mayor Elect Ron Dodson was sworn in as Mayor of Lake City by Pastor Reed Crumbliss. Councilmember elect Chris Craven was sworn in as a Councilmember of Lake City by City Judge Keith Woods. Both newly sworn in elected officials then took their place on the Lake City Council. Mayor Dodson then presided over the completion of the council meeting.

Invocation: Pastor Reed Crumbliss

Pledge of Allegiance: Mayor Ron Dodson

Approval of Minutes:

A Motion to approve the minutes was made by Councilmember McDuffie, seconded by Councilmember Sowell and passed unanimously.

Old Business:

1. The city manager presented the second public reading of Ordinance Number 2018-03. This ordinance amended the City's Charter pertaining to the responsibilities of the Mayor and City Manager. Councilmember McDuffie made a motion to accept and it was seconded by Councilmember Hoover and passed unanimously.
2. Community Services Director briefed the future renovations of Lake City Park. Mayor Dodson made comments pertaining to having a celebration of our city in the park once renovations were complete.
3. The City Manager briefed the Council pertaining to the Police Chief Candidate interviews with the Mayor and Council scheduled for June 16th.

New Business:

1. A motion was made to accept the amendment to the Urban Cooperation Agreement with Clayton County by Councilmember McDuffie, it was seconded by Councilmember Craven and passed unanimously.
2. A motion was made to accept the updates to Ordinance Number 2018-04 Chapter 20 of city code pertaining to blighted and vacant properties by Councilmember Sowell and was seconded by Councilmember Hoover. The resolution passed unanimously.
3. Resolution 2018-02 to accept the settlement of the FAA Fuel Tax issue was briefed by Attorney John O'Neil. A to accept was made by Councilmember McDuffie and seconded by Councilmember Sowell. The resolution passed unanimously.

4. Resolution 2018-03 to adopt rules for public meetings and public comments was introduced by the City Manager. A motion to pass the resolution was made by Councilmember Hoover and seconded by Councilmember Craven. The resolution passed unanimously. Councilmember Hoover stated comments made by the public would be welcomed. Mayor Dodson spoke about the importance of having an involved community.

Police Report:

The Police Report was given by Lieutenant Triplett.

Adjournment:

A motion to adjourn was made by Councilmember McDuffie and was seconded by Councilmember Sowell. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:52 P.M.

