

Town of Waverly Hall
Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Aug 5, 2019
6:00 p.m.

Councilmembers present: Michael Harris, Pat Lowman, Robert Miley, Jan Vardeman, and Geraldine Boddie. Others in attendance: City Attorney Dennis McPherson.

Absent: Water Council seat vacant.

Invocation: Mayor Harris.

Pledge of Allegiance:

The Council of the Town of Waverly Hall met in regular session Monday, Aug 5, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in council chambers with Mayor Harris.

Meeting called to order by Mayor Harris at 6:00 p.m.

Old Business:

Second reading Beer and Wine on premises pour - Richard McGuire, The Topsy Tomato. Councilman Vardeman made motion to approve. Councilman Miley second. All approved.

New Business:

Greg Hollis and Mary Thomas concerned about poor condition of property next to theirs. Dennis will contact owner again to encourage cleaning the property.

Vickie Jamerson asking that the county be notified when a new business opens or a business closes because they may have unpaid county taxes and this will help the county in collecting them.

J. Smith Lanier Insurance renewal was signed by Mayor

Vote was made to approve the city getting a debit card the money market account ending in 0302. Councilman Vardeman made motion to approve, Councilman Boddie second. All approved.

Request for Proclamation for Longstreet Church to be read at homecoming will be prepared by City Clerk and Mayor

GMA Small Cities Conference in Pine Mountain on August 29 4-8pm will be attended by Mayor, Councilmembers and City Clerk.

Departments reporting:

Buildings and Grounds: Councilmember Boddie reported progress moving forward on new website for the city.

Streets and Roads: Councilmember Vardeman reported concern for large trees on Hardin and Storey streets that need to be taken down. Several lots within in the city limit that need to be cleaned up.

Culture and Recreation: Councilmember Miley reported YA can now use the outer fields on 208. Grass has been planted, sprinkler system is in and lights and fencing will be coming soon. Perkins Park parking lot is crush and run, the drainage on the fields is still being monitored. Floor in the Gym will be replaced.

Public Safety: Councilmember Lowman referred to Chief Spencer to report that the state is switching from UCR to NIBRS for federal crime statistics tracking. This goes into effect by Oct. 6, 2019.

City Attorney: Addressed Dangerous and Potentially Dangerous Dogs problem within the city. He discussed adopting an ordinance in line with the county ordinance. He will contact again owners of property that needs to be cleaned up.

Mayor: Discussed moving forward with meter readers from Georgia Power for the water department. Council is in favor but wants to know the timeline for implementing new system before voting. Splost money is designated available for water improvement.

Adjourn: Mayor Harris made motion to adjourn Councilmember Vardeman made the second. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

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Attest:

City Clerk Pam Nelms

Mayor Michael Harris