

City of Guyton, Georgia

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Minutes of the Guyton City Council Meeting held on Thursday, January 26, 2017, at Guyton City Hall at 2:00 pm.

Present: Mayor Jeff Lariscy, Councilman Franklin Goldwire, Councilman Steve Collins, Interim City Manager Lauree Morris, Interim City Clerk Alison Bruton, as well as citizens. Councilman Michael Johnson was not in attendance.

Mayor Lariscy called the meeting to order.

A moment of repose was held for those who may practice another faith, followed by the invocation by Councilman Collins. The pledge of allegiance was led by Mayor Lariscy.

Mayor Lariscy asked for a motion to amend the agenda to include new business C and approve the amended agenda. A motion was made by Councilman Collins, and was seconded by Councilman Goldwire. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS: *None.*

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor Lariscy called for the discussion and approval of the bond issuance to refund the 2011 Series Bond for the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Mayor Lariscy, along with Trey Monroe from Stiffel, Nicolaus & Co, Inc. and Tom Gray, Esquire, from Gray Pannell & Woodward, explained to citizens in attendance that this bond approval would amount to \$1,761,164.00 total savings to the City after the cost of refinancing. Mayor Lariscy asked for a motion to approve the bond resolution and subsequent issuance of the bond. There was then further discussion regarding the contract. Citizen Lexye Shockley addressed Mayor and Council inquiring if the reason for the special called meeting was due to the time constraint on this issue, to which Mayor Lariscy stated it was. A motion for approval was made by Councilman Collins and seconded by Councilman Goldwire. Motion carried.

Mayor Lariscy called for the acceptance of the budget amendment for fiscal year 2015-2016 budget. Mayor Lariscy discussed the budget amendments for those in attendance. Councilman Collins inquired about the loan for the fire truck and a discrepancy in the numbers. There was then a discussion regarding new accounting software to better track expenditures and revenues to better aid City Staff in maintain the City budget. After further discussion, a motion to accept the amendment was made by Councilman Goldwire and seconded by Councilman Collins. Motion carried.

Mayor Lariscy called for acceptance of the non-license agreement for Courtware software for the Guyton Police Department to be tabled, as the original quote we received for the MDS software was incorrect. Councilman Goldwire made the motion to table this discussion, seconded by Councilman Collins. Motion carried.

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Mayor Lariscy called for additional comments relating to the Agenda. After none, Councilman Collins moved that we adjourn the council meeting. Councilmen Goldwire seconded, and the motion was approved by all.

Alison Bruton, Interim City Clerk

Jeff Lariscy, Mayor

