

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Hawkinsville, Georgia met in a Regular Meeting Monday, November 1, 2021 at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. with Chairman Henry Cravey presiding.

PRESENT: Chairman Henry Cravey, James Colson, Ken Clark, Ken Hardy and Shelly Berryhill were present.

AGENDA: Ken Hardy moved for approval of the agenda James Colson seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

MINUTES: James Colson moved for approval of the minutes of the October 4, 2021 Regular Meeting. Shelly Berryhill seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

CITIZENS COMMENTS: Annie McGriff from 111 S. Jackson Street stated that she had to call animal control over the weekend concerning her neighbor's dog that was loose and on her property. She also asked about the discarded items that are at the end of her street such as mattresses. Ms. McGriff was informed by Commissioner Berryhill that both of these issues were already being handled by code enforcement.

NEW BUSINESS:

APPROVE: Shelly Berryhill moved for approval of opening a new bank account for the 2021 CDBG Award. James Colson seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

APPROVE: Shelly Berryhill moved for approval of an Ordinance amending Section 2.22 (b) of the Charter to the following:

Section 2.22(b) of the city charter shall be deleted in its entirety and the following inserted in lieu thereof:

“An ordinance may be introduced by any commissioner and be read at a regular or special meeting of the board of commissioners. Ordinances shall be considered and adopted or rejected by the board of commissioners in accordance with the rules which it shall establish; provided, however, an ordinance shall not be adopted the same day it is introduced, except for emergency ordinances provided in Section 2.24 or upon unanimous consent of all members present at the meeting at which the ordinance is introduced. Upon introduction of any ordinance, the clerk shall as soon as possible distribute a copy to each commissioner and shall file a reasonable number of copies in the office of the clerk and at such other public places as the board of commissioners may designate.”

James Colson seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

APPROVE: James Colson moved for approval of purchasing a tractor for Public Works. SPLOST funds will be used to purchase a 2014 CASE from Tidewater Ag & Construction Co. in Pinehurst, GA. Ken Hardy seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

APPROVE: Shelly Berryhill moved to table the use of dumpsters in residential zones. The Commissioners asked for legal clarifications on allowing private businesses to lease city space for dumpster placements. James Colson seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Shelly Berryhill moved for the approval to enter into executive session to discuss real estate. James Colson seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

The time was noted at 6:40 P.M.

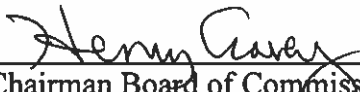
RE-OPEN MEETING:

Ken Clark moved for the approval to re-open the meeting. Henry Cravey seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.

APPROVE: Ken Clark moved to give authority to the City Manager, Sara Myers and the Economic Development Director, Jamie Wilson, to offer Project Can a land and utility incentive.

The time was noted at 7:05 P.M.

ADJOURN: James Colson moved for the meeting to adjourn. Ken Hardy seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No oppositions.


Chairman Board of Commission
Hawkinsville, Georgia

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK