

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Hawkinsville, Georgia met in a Regular Meeting
Monday, May 4, 2026, at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. with Chairman Ken Clark presiding.

PRESENT: Shelly Berryhill, Bernice Banks, Ken Clark, Tate Mashburn, Laney Griffin, and City Attorney, Jim Elliott.

Chairman Ken Clark called the meeting to order.

AGENDA: Laney Griffin moved to approve the agenda. Bernice Banks seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

MINUTES: Tate Mashburn moved to approve **April 6, 2026, Regular Meeting Minutes**. Laney Griffin seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

MINUTES: Bernice Banks moved to approve **April 22, 2026, Called Meeting Minutes**. Shelly Berryhill seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

CITIZENS COMMENTS: None.

OLD BUSINESS:

Ken Clark moved to **appoint Jessica Davies to the Public Health Board to fill the unexpired term of Tate Mashburn**. Shelly Berryhill seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

NEW BUSINESS:

Occupational Tax Applications: Tate Mashburn moved for approval of the presented Occupational Tax Applications. Laney Griffin seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

BUSINESS NAME	APPLICANT	LOCATION
R&S Critter Lodge	Carmen Floyd	19 Spring Valley Dr.
Happy Handyman	Alejandro Figueroa	2 Woodrow Miller St.
La Calandria- Mexican Food Truck	Citlali Acosta	851 Ashley St.

Shelly Berryhill moved to approve the bid from **KWiL Architecture for Architectural Services for the Animal Control Facility**. Laney Griffin seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who was present. No opposition.

TABLED: Laney Griffin moved to table **Hawkinsville/Pulaski County Recreation Board Appointment**. Tate Mashburn seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

Laney Griffin moved to approve the **FY26 Budget Amendment for 2023 SPLOST**. Shelly Berryhill seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

Shelly Berryhill moved to approve the **Ordinance Amendment 2026-2-Litter Control. The amendment updates the definition of a nuisance declaring grass and weeds in excess of 8 inches (previously 12 inches) in height to be a violation**. Tate Mashburn seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

Bernice Banks moved to approve the **Utility Management Service Agreement**. Laney Griffin seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

Shelly Berryhill moved to approve the **2026-2027 Classic Main Street Memorandum of Understanding**. Laney Griffin seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

Shelly Berryhill moved to approve the **GMA’s District Election Ballot for 2026-2027** as presented: **President, Edward Armijo, First Vice President Denese Shinholster, Second Vice President, Michael Chidester, Third Vice President, LaRhonda Patrick.** Bernice Banks seconded; motion passed by a yes vote by all who were present. No opposition.

With no further business to discuss, Ken Clark adjourned the meeting.

Chairman Board of Commission
Hawkinsville, Georgia

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

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