

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL BUDGET WORK SESSION HELD AT THE CITY OF SKY VALLEY,
GEORGIA ON OCTOBER 10, 2018 IMMEDIATELY AFTER SPECIAL CALLED COUNCIL MEETING
696 SKY VALLEY WAY (OLD LODGE)**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor MacNair, Councilors Larsen, Piontkowski, Wheeler, Durpo, and Howard

STAFF PRESENT: City Interim Manager Fast, Deputy Clerk Mullins, City Attorney Kidd, Police Chief Estes, & Public Works Superintendent James Holbrooks

1. Call to Order

Mayor MacNair called the meeting to order.

2. Adoption of Agenda

Councilor Howard made a motion to adopt the agenda, seconded by Councilor Wheeler, unanimously approved.

NEW BUSINESS

3. Discussion for the 2019 Budget

City Interim Manager Fast reviewed the budget going over each department. The departments listed are Administration, Police Department. Roads, Economic Development, Capital, Water, and Solid Waste.

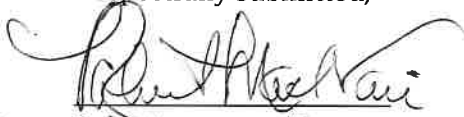
Councilor Durpo mentioned waiving tap on fees or reducing the fee for new homes built. Discussion went on about closing the visitor center and utilizing the building in the future for City Hall and move the Police Department to the current city hall location. Resident Bill Horton suggested renting out the visitor center area for income. Resident Al Lee commended City Interim Manager Fast for wearing two hats and for being proactive in showing how the city spends money with her work on the budget. He asked if it were possible to hire a temp worker to fill the vacancy at city hall until someone is hired. City Interim Manager Fast said that the city currently does have some part time help and she appreciated the kind comments. Other residents had questions on the budget and were answered. Resident Barbara Kobacker asked if the city could raise awareness that the green 911 signs are available to purchase as they look nicer and more uniform.

OTHER BUSINESS

4. Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Councilor Wheeler, seconded by Councilor Durpo, unanimously approved. The meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert MacNair, Mayor



Ella Fast, City Clerk