

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING, CITY OF SKY VALLEY, GEORGIA HELD ON JUNE 20, 2017, TUESDAY AT 10:00 AM, CBC (OLD LODGE), 696 SKY VALLEY WAY

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Goodgame, Council President Lively, Councilors Durpo, Larsen, Lively, MacNair and Steil

STAFF PRESENT: City Manager Lapeyrouse, City Clerk Fast, Police Chief Estes and Officer Edwards

1. Call to Order

Mayor Goodgame called the meeting to order.

2. Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance

Councilor Lively gave the Invocation and Mayor Goodgame led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Approval of Minutes

May 23, 2017 Regular Council Meeting

Councilor MacNair made a motion to approve May 23, 2017 the Regular Council Meeting minutes. Councilor Steil seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

May 26, 2017 Council Work Session

Councilor Steil made a motion to approve May 26, 2017 Council Work Session Minutes.

Councilor seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

June 5, 2017 Special Called Council Meeting

Councilor Larsen made a motion to approve June 5, 2017 Special Called Council Meeting minutes.

Councilor Lively seconded the motion. Councilor Durpo requested changes to include verbatim questions/answers from the meeting. Councilor Larsen amended the motion to include changes.

Councilor Lively seconded the amended motion and passed unanimously.

4. Adoption of Agenda

Councilor Steil made a motion to adopt the Agenda. Councilor Lively seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

5. Mayor's Remarks

Mayor Goodgame provided the following updates. 1) Park progressing slowly due to rain – Pickleball court ready Early July 2) Walking Path- City Landscaper working on it 3) Hope to have park ready for festivals 4) Solution to Increase Parking along the road past pickleball court by piping drainage ditches 5) Restroom- awaiting Soil Testing & Health Department approval

6. Council Remarks

Councilor MacNair stated we had a full agenda.

Councilor Durpo stated he appreciated the feedback from Tax Payers.

Councilor Steil advised everyone about the Sid Weber Memorial Cancer Fund and it was a noble cause.

Councilor Lively stated we had a full agenda and thanked everyone for attending.

Councilor Larsen thanked everyone for attending, advised SWMCF- Putting Contest is today and that BBQ Tickets are available for July 3rd.

7. City Manager & Department Reports – Exceptions and Questions

City Manager Lapeyrouse presented reports and thanked Debbie Dalhouse Curtis for all her hard work on Red, White & Bluegrass Event.

OLD BUSINESS

- 8. Consider Removal of Trees at the Sky Valley Fire House- Requested by Paul Wheeler**
Councilor Durpo made a motion to approve the low bid of \$1,850. Councilor MacNair seconded the motion passed unanimously.

Councilor Durpo made a motion to direct the City to obtain a lease with Sky Valley/Scaly Mountain Volunteer Fire Department Being that the City does not have a lease with the Scaly Mountain Fire Department as to who will maintain outlying property and building and to clarify what the City of the Sky Valley is responsible for and what the Scaly Mountain Fire Department is responsible for is the reason for my motion. Councilor MacNair seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

David Spears acknowledged that he was not aware of an existing agreement and also stated that it is the Sky Valley/Scaly Mountain Volunteer Fire & Rescue.

NEW BUSINESS

- 9. Consider Electronic Radar Control Signs for Highway 246 – Requested by Chip Durpo**
Councilor Durpo made a motion to direct the City Manager and Chief Estes to collect information regarding the effectiveness of electronic speed control signs, and accept bids for the cost of two Electronic Speed Control Signs with the capability of collecting traffic data and analytics. Councilor Larsen seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

- 10. Road Bids**
Councilor Larsen made a motion to accept low bid that will be for two years and direct City Manager to get with contractor to re-evaluate roads on the list and present report at the next council meeting. Councilor Lively seconded the motion passed unanimously.

- 11. Change Date of August Meeting**
Councilor Larsen made a motion to change August Meeting Date to August 15th Councilor Steil seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS

- 12. Public Forum and General Comments**
Myrna Warner made a presentation about two concerns 1) Lake across from Post Office 2) Wood Covered Bridge on Hwy 246 – Copy of presentation was presented in writing and will be incorporated into the minutes by reference and attached hereto.

- 13. Adjournment**
Councilor Larsen made a motion to adjourn. Councilor Lively seconded the motion and passed unanimously.

There being no further business to come before Mayor and Council, the meeting was adjourned at 10:57 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Hughel Goodgame, Mayor



Ella Fast, City Clerk