

CITY OF MOUNTAIN PARK
Regular Meeting of Mayor and Council
June 23, 2014
Community Building at 100 Lakeshore Drive
7:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER-Mayor Still called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL-Present: Mayor Jim Still, Council Members Don Carson, Gladney Cooper, Scott Mills, Ocoee Penick and Scott Read, City Attorney, Brandon Bowen, and Clerk/Administrator Karen Segars.

DISPOSTION OF ABSENCES

FINANCIAL REPORT-presented by Segars

Ending Bank Balances as of 5/31 are:

General Fund	\$152,115.37
Enterprise Fund	\$432,033.24
Court	\$ 8,670.84
Lake Restoration Fund	\$205,602.70
SPLOST	\$ 7,423.03
TOTAL	\$806,845.18

Performance for the month May:

Revenues Enterprise Fund:	\$ 21,612.10
Expenses Enterprise Fund:	\$ 10,425.43
Net Income:	\$ 11,186.67

Revenues General Fund	\$ 17,108.10
Expenses General Fund	\$ 45,336.79
Net Deficit Income	\$ (28,228.69)

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Carlson moved to waive the reading and adopt the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of May 28, 2014. 2nd by Mills. Approved 5-0-0.

ADOPT MEETING AGENDA

Read moved to adopt the agenda as presented. 2nd by Cooper. Approved 5-0-0.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Still noted the impending tax increase from Fulton County. Mills moved to approve a resolution requesting no increase. 2nd by Carlson. Approved 5-0-0.

Still thank the volunteers who worked for the beer festival.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Amendment to Pyrotecnics Contract for an additional \$75
Penick moved to approve the additional \$75 for fireworks. 2nd by Cooper. Approved 5-0-0.
2. Discussion of Speed Limit on Cedar and Secondary & Tertiary Streets
Bowen stated he would look into a lower speed limit but suggested other means to reduce speed. Penick recommended cleaning around the stop signs. Read recommended enforcement at this location.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Variance Request of 115 Poplar Street
Cooper moved to approve the variance to allow a covered front porch, a side deck, a two car one story garage and an eyebrow facing Poplar. 2nd by Carlson. Approved 5-0-0.
2. Approval of Expenditure from Big Leaf Arbor for Removal of Fallen Tree on Hickory Street in the amount of \$500
Carlson moved to approve. 2nd by Mills. Approved 5-0-0.
3. Approval of Intergovernmental Agreement with Fulton County for Animal Control Services in the Amount of \$718.05
Read moved to approve. 2nd by Penick. Approved 5-0-0.
4. Consideration of Abandonment of Portion of Russell Road
Carlson moved to proceed with the abandonment following statutory requirements. 2nd by Mills. Approved 5-0-0.
5. Consideration of Change to Tree Ordinance
Bowen stated Dekalb County's ordinance was the leader in the metro area and had been upheld by the Supreme Court, noting the city's desire to allow for lesser per calipers replacement when a hardship was created. Carlson moved to proceed with discussion. 2nd by Read. Hope Mays recommended asking those who drafted the city's ordinance to weigh in on the change. Approved 5-0-0.
6. Consideration of Repealing Ordinance Regarding Road Abandonment
Bowen stated the state has requirements which dictate road abandonment and recommended repealing the existing ordinance. Carlson moved to proceed. 2nd by Read. Approved 5-0-0.
7. Consideration of Ordinance Changing Meeting Time from 7:30 to 7:00 p.m.
Read moved to proceed. 2nd by Mills. Approved 5-0-0.
8. Consideration of Change to Ordinance Regarding Peddlers
Read moved to proceed. 2nd by Penick. Approved 5-0-0.
9. Consideration of Name Change for City Hall and Community Building to Incorporate Court Function
Bowen stated the new law going into effect July 1 would allow licensed gun holders to carry inside city buildings unless it was used as a court facility or had metal detectors. Carlson

moved to add Court Annex to the name of city hall and the community building. 2nd by Mills. Cooper stated she was given information that government buildings could not be rented by the public and requested information on this matter. Both motion and second were withdrawn.

Read moved to designate city hall as a court annex as court fines are collected in city hall. 2nd by Mills. Approved 5-0-0.

A pool design charette was announced for Thursday, June 26th in the Community Building.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Mills moved to adjourn. 2nd by Read. Approved 5-0-0. 8:06 p.m.

Jim Still, Jr., Mayor

Karen Segars, Clerk/Administrator