

City Hall
June 7, 2022

The regular council meeting was held on Tuesday, June 7, 2022 at 6:00 pm with Mayor John J. Rabun, Jr. presiding.

Those present were Councilmembers Connie Nelson, David Hannah and Marty Amerson. Corey Hall and Michelle Weatherford-Usry were unable to attend.

Others present were City Administrator Arty Thrift, City Clerk Cassie Bartlett, City Attorney Chris Dube, Police Chief John Maynard, Public Works Superintendent Brian Usry, Investigator Ashley Pletcher, Sergeant Chester Hopkins, Assistant Chief of Police P. J. Hambrick and Officer Michael Reddekopp.

Citizens present were Shannon Ferguson, Daniel Eubanks, David Kelly, Michael Brown, Rosa Gibbons, Ceola Hannah, Sharon Gray, Michelle B. and Sharena Vaughn.

City Administrator Arty Thrift gave the invocation and David Hannah led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor John J. Rabun, Jr. requested to amend the agenda to add Michael Brown to item 8a in New Business to discuss the WHS Mega Reunion event held on June 4, 2022. David Hannah made a motion to adopt the agenda as amended. Marty Amerson seconded the motion; all in favor.

Minutes of the May 3, 2022 regular council meeting were approved as printed with a motion made by Marty Amerson. David Hannah seconded the motion; all in favor.

Marty Amerson made a motion to approve the General Fund, Water & Sewer Fund, Gas Fund and Landfill & Sanitation Fund Summary Financial Statement as presented. Connie Nelson seconded the motion; all in favor.

In Staff reports, Police Chief John Maynard and Public Works Superintendent Brian Usry presented Council with a report on activities of their respective departments.

There was no unfinished/old business to discuss.

In New Business, Michael Brown expressed his gratitude to the Mayor and Council for the support given to him and others for the WHS Mega Reunion event held on June 4, 2022.

In New Business, Sharon Gray, David Kelly, Shannon Ferguson and Michelle B. with Georgia Power discussed with Mayor and Council the Georgia Power 46KV Transmission and Grid project that will take place in the coming weeks.

In New Business, City Administrator Arty Thrift discussed with Mayor and Council to consider adding Martin Luther King, Jr. Day as a recognized City holiday.

In Committee Reports, there were none.

There was no executive session.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:57 pm.

Cassie Bartlett
City Clerk