

## **City Council Meeting**

The special meeting of Mayor and City Council was held on October 24, 2024, at 6:00 P.M. at Swainsboro City Hall.

Prayer of Invocation: Sgt. Ashley Riner, Swainsboro Police Department

## Pledge of Allegiance

### A. Old Business:

1. Council considered the proposed 2025 budget. Council member Sconyers made a motion to set a public hearing for 10:00 AM November 1, 2024, on the proposed 2025 budget and to advertise the 2025 rollback millage rate of 11.0000.

Motion: Sconyers Seconded by: Davis Vote: 5 – 0

2. Council considered the Alcohol Ordinance amendment. 1st Reading. No action taken.

#### **B.** New Business:

1. Council considered the city administrator's contract. Council member Stafford made a motion to approve the city administrator's contract.

Motion: Stafford Seconded by: Sconyers Vote: 5-0

 Council considered the Intergovernmental Agreement between Emanuel County and the City of Swainsboro (Hurricane Debris Removal and Disposal 2024). Council member Davis made a motion to approve the IGA between Emanuel County and the City of Swainsboro for Hurricane debris removal and disposal.

Motion: Davis Seconded by: Sconyers Vote: 5-0

3. Council considered hiring a full-time police officer. Council member Stafford approved to hire Mr. Stephen Davis as a full-time police officer to replace officer Santos.

Motion: Stafford Seconded by: Davis Vote: 5 – 0

4. Council considered the wastewater, public works, and municipal garage contract. Council member Davis made a motion to approve CWS contract at the same price for a one-year term.

Motion: Davis Seconded by: Collins Vote: 4-1 For: Davis, Collins, Quarterman, Sconyers Against: Stafford

5. Council considered a front loader rental agreement through Yancey Rentals. Council member Stafford made a motion to approve the rental of a front loader from Yancey Rentals.

Motion: Davis Seconded by: Sconyers Vote: 5-0

## C. Consent Agenda:

None

# **D.** Committee Reports:

None

## **E.** Executive Session:

None

Council member Davis made a motion to adjourn.

Motion: Davis Seconded by: Sconyers Vote: 5-0

Submitted: *Herman Middlebrooks*, City Administrator