

City Council Meeting

June 05, 2017

The regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council, held Monday, June 05, 2017 at 6:00 P.M. at Swainsboro City Hall.

Members Present: Stafford, Sconyers, Collins, Parker, Faulkner & Bragg

Members Absent:

Prayer of Invocation: Matthew McNeely, Hawhammoch Baptist Church

Motion to accept minutes from the previous meeting was made. (2 meetings)

Motion: by Parker Seconded: by Bragg 6-0

A. Consensus Business

1. Swainsboro Jaycees budgeted grant of \$3000.00 for Forth of July Celebration.

Approved no objections

B. New Business

- 1. Mr. Joe Pearson, representing the Swainsboro Thunder AAU Basketball travel team, requested from council a grant of \$2500.00 to assist his team of 13, 12 to 14 years old kids, to travel to Orlando for a tournament. Council explained that a non-budgeted request could not be considered until the next council meeting. Council will take up the request at the next meeting.
- 2. Lakesia McSween, representing the William Grove Holiness Church, asked council to assist the church with their annual Community Fun Day. She asked that on June 24th, Gumlog Rd. be blocked off from McLeod Bridge Rd. to MLK Blvd. from 9:00am until 5:00pm. She stated she had spoken to the neighborhood and no one objected. Motion was made to grant the request. She also asked for a grant of \$355.00 to assist with the expense. Councilperson Faulkner explained this was not something the council needed to hear but she pledged to raise the money for the event.

C. Old Business

None

D. Committee Reports

Recreation: Councilperson Parker reported the dog park was back on track and new fence would be started soon.

He reported the Recreation Center would be a pick up point for the Feed-A-Kid Program this summer.

Councilperson Parker announced there would be a Neighborhood Watch meeting on Tuesday June 13, 2017 at the Swainsboro Fire Department.

Water and Waste Water: Councilperson Sconyers reported everything routine. The waste water treatment plant was looking a lot better.

Police: Councilperson Stafford reported everything routine. He presented the monthly report. He reported the Police Committee would be interviewing for the vacant position.

Public Works: Councilperson Faulkner reported everything routine and presented the monthly report.

Council discussed abandoned tires and litter issues.

Administrative: Councilperson Collins reported everything routine.

Fire: Councilperson Bragg reported everything routine.

Airport: No Report

Executive: No Report

Downtown Development: No Report

Building Inspection: No Report

Mayor: No Report

Nancy Williams addressed council about the future of the Boneyard. Mayor Schwabe explained the city would be renovating that area and some alternate locations were being discussed.

Submitted: Al L Lawson, City Administrator