

Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes May 17, 2016

OPEN: The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday May 17, 2016 at the Atlanta Golf Course. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Fred Finchum at 7:30pm.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Finchum, Billie Cheek, Bob Polley and Amber Finchum were present. Adam McVey and Matt Clemmons were absent.

Motion by Billie Cheek second by Bob Polley to approve minutes as presented.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes
Clemmons-A

Cheek-yes
McVey-A
Finchum-yes

Mayor-P

Motion Carries.

Motion by Amber Finchum second by Billie Cheek to pay all bills approved by their respective chairmen or as far as money allows.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes
Clemmons-A
Mayor-Y

Cheek-yes
McVey-A
Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

Dean Benedict was present to ask zoning questions pertaining to a mobile home located on Race St. He felt that the mobile home was changing hands and he felt it should be moved.

Alderman Matt Clemmons entered the meeting at 7:37pm.

The Mayor said the ordinances need to be reviewed. Also old records will be reviewed. A problem with the Lift Station in the area was discussed.

Randy Brooks gave a short report on Golf Course Operations. An insurance inspection had requested parking blocks needed to be installed along the Carports.

Paul Goodwin reported that wood for the Box Car had been located. The pool opening was discussed as well as a light pole had been located to replace the one damaged at the Golf Course subdivision.

Work was continuing at the old Casey's building. The sewer line was checked and was ok.

Motion by Bob Polley second by Matt Clemmons to enter into executive session.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes	Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes	McVey-A
	Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

The council returned to regular session.

The Mayor report that the cedar for the Box Car at the Elevator was found and work will start soon.

The Mayor presented the Annual Animal Control contract, same rate as last year.

Motion by Bob Polley second by Matt Clemmons to enter into agreement with Logan County Animal Control.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes	Cheek-yes
Clemmons-Y	McVey-A
	Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

The Mayor went over the Tourism requisitions for the Box Car for \$593.00 and Atlanta Betterment Fund for the replacement of 5 small outdoor interpretive panels for \$1000.00.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Amber Finchum to approve the request from the Historic Commission for \$593.00 for the Box Car repairs using the Hotel/Motel Tax.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes	Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes	McVey-A
	Finchum-y

Motion Carries.

Motion by Amber Finchum second by Billie Cheek to approve the request to reimburse the Betterment Fund \$1000 for expenses paid in December 2015.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes	Cheek-yes
Clemmons-no	McVey-A
	Finchum-y

Motion Carries.

The Mayor gave the Council a proposed Appropriation Ordinance for review to be taken up at the next meeting.

The Mayor gave the Council figures on assessed valuation of recently developed properties. Those were very low and have been questioned. Mayor is making inquiries as to procedures to change the assessments.

Alderman Cheek felt that the railroad did a good job on the crossing.

Alderman Polley submitted his resignation as Alderman due to moving from town. The Mayor thanked him for his service.

Alderman Clemmons reported that the employee did a good job on clean-up day.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Bob Polley to adjourn the meeting.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes
Clemmons-yes

Cheek-yes
McVey-A

Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45pm
Kenneth Martin
City Clerk