

Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes September 19, 2017

OPEN: The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday September 19, 2017 at the Atlanta City Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Fred Finchum at 7:30pm.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Finchum, Andrea Halley, Amber Finchum. Billie Cheek, Keith Eimer, Adam McVey and Tommy Young were present.

Motion by Cheek second by Finchum to approve the minutes as presented.

ROLL CALL:

Halley-yes
Eimer-yes
Young-yes

Finchum-yes
Cheek-yes
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Motion by McVey second by Eimer to pay all bills as approved by their chairman.

ROLL CALL:

Halley-yes
Eimer-yes
Young-yes

Finchum-yes
Cheek-yes
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Vickie Eckert asked if a microphone be used at council meetings.

Paul Eckert asked that a Maple tree near his house needed to be taken down.

Also the Police should monitor Street light outages.

Melanie Blankenship asked if Roberts Rules of Order had been approved for use by the City.

She asked about getting a truck route through Atlanta. She had asked if the cameras were operating.

Randy Brooks gave a short Golf Course report to the council. 26 of the new Golf Carts came in today and the rest should be here by the 29th.

The Mayor brought up the Pool had been painted and the financial report for the year was given to the council. Continued progress is being made to lower the losses for each year. Alderman Young asked how much a Pool pass sold for this year.

The Mayor brought up the One Call System project. One of the features is that the residents will be able to enter their own information. The web site will need to be set up to accomplish this.

The Mayor reported that the bid specs for Well #10 will be available soon. The Mayor stated that he met with IDOT representatives regarding the property adjacent to the Rt. 66 property, requesting that they transfer that to the City. This cannot happen. It requires an appraisal and auctioning of property.

The Mayor brought up the stirrator for the Water Tower. The EPA recommends that we put a mixer in our water tower to help with distribution. Our engineers recommended that the bid from PAX water be accepted in the amount of \$20,819.05

Motion by Cheek second by McVey to accept the bid from PAX Water in the amount of \$20,819.05.

ROLL CALL:

Halley-yes
Eimer-yes
Young-yes

Finchum-yes
Cheek-yes
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Alderman McVey commented on a job well done by the Police at the Fall Festival.

Alderman Cheek commented on the Military convey that was in town over the weekend.

Alderman Finchum reported that the 4H was heading up a recycling effort on Atlanta. She also felt that the Council should enter a float in the parade.

Alderman Young felt the water ordinance should have been given to the council before the rates were changed. He also questioned the procedure on closing streets. He felt Fire and Rescue needs to be notified when a street closing happens.

Alderman Eimer commented on the way the community came together in time of need of other people.

Motion by Andrea Halley second by Billie Cheek to close the meeting.

ROLL CALL:

Halley-yes
Eimer-yes
Young-yes

Finchum-yes
Cheek-yes
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:05pm
Kenneth Martin
City Clerk