Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes October 19, 2021

OPEN: The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday October 19, 2021, at the Atlanta City Hall and remotely. The meeting was called to order by Mayor McVey at 7:30PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

ROLL CALL

Colaw- P Eimer-P Finchum- P Dreyer-P Thomas-P Evans-A

Motion by Eimer second by Dreyer to approve the minutes as presented.

ROLL CALL:

Colaw- yes Eimer-yes
Finchum- yes Dreyer-yes
Thomas-yes Evans-A

Motion Carries.

Motion by Finchum second by Thomas to pay all bills or as far as money allows.

ROLL CALL:

Colaw- yes Eimer-yes
Finchum- yes Dreyer-yes
Thomas-yes Evans-A

Motion Carries.

No Public comments.

Chief Eimer reported cameras are in place uptown. He reported on some juvenile activity regarding stealing change from cars.

The Mayor asked him if we are ready for Halloween. Chief Eimer stated his staff is ready.

Mayor McVey brought up for discussion trash and recycling. The Council was given some more information for review.

Alderman Colaw spoke with the City of Minier, and they are only contracted for residential pick-up.

Mayor McVey brought up the Abatement of Taxes for the 2017 General Obligation bond. The attorney explained why the abatement is needed.

Motion by Colaw second by Eimer to Abate the taxes for 2017 General Obligation Bond. ROLL CALL:

Colaw- yes Eimer-yes

Finchum- yes Dreyer-yes Thomas-yes Evans-A

Motion Carries.

Mayor McVey then brought a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign and/or execute documents in the absence of the Clerk.

Motion by Eimer second by Finchum to approve the Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign/execute documents, as presented.

ROLL CALL:

Colaw- yes Eimer-yes
Finchum- yes Dreyer-yes
Thomas-yes Evans-A

Motion Carries.

The Attorney stated he is working with Chief Eimer regarding ordinance violations. Alderman Colaw asked about an agreement between the City and the Park District regarding use of the park.

He also asked about an Ordinance making the parents liable for their juveniles. Alderman Thomas asked what the next steps to replacing the City Clerk. Attorney explained the procedure.

At roundtable discussion Alderman Colaw stated the eagle statue was moved to its permanent location, and the Mayor is working on the plaque.

Alderman Thomas gave an update on the website.

Alderman Eimer stated downtown looks great, thanked Dale and Whitney for their hard work. He also thanked Ken Martin for his service.

Mayor McVey gave updates on Public Works and the Golf Course. He is working with Alderman Colaw and Alderman Dreyer on reporting on Grant money expenditures.

Motion by Thomas second by Eimer to adjourn meeting.

ROLL CALL:

Colaw- yes Eimer-yes
Finchum- yes Dreyer-yes
Thomas-yes Evans-A

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m. Kelly Embery
City Secretary