Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes August 4, 2015

OPEN: The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday August 4, 2015 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, Amber Finchum, Adam McVey, Matt Clemmons and Bill Moore were all present.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Bob Polley to approve minutes as presented.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes McVey-yes
Moore-yes Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

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

Roll Call:

Polley-yes Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes McVey-yes
Moore-yes Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

Randy Brooks gave a short report on the Golf Course. The course had the largest outing to date on Saturday. Water was needed at the irrigation pond since the dry weather. Brooks reported that Jack Renfrow may be looking for another job due to family issues. Brooks wanted the council to be aware of the situation. At this point nothing was certain.

Steve Cotton gave his report. The tile work on Buena Vista was ¾ complete. He discussed some changes on water treatment that had made improvements.

The City Attorney reported that Devon Kemp had not responded to bills and a letter from the attorney to pay for a fire hydrant he destroyed. A collection agency may be used. No new action was taken on Armstrong's Race St. property.

The Tele-pharmacy project was moving forward. No action was taken to change the Golf Course Ordinance. Motion by Billie Cheek second by Bob Polley to approve a new agreement with Mediacom extending their franchise fee.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes McVey-yes
Moore-yes Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

The council was given a Police report of activities 4/15 to 7/22.

The Mayor went over the recent situation at the swimming pool. Complaints had surfaced concerning one of the lifeguards. Police were involved and a report was filed. The States Attorney became involved. Since then the case has been closed.

The Mayor informed the council that grant money was available through the Dept. of Ag for storm sirens. Since cost would be from 15% to 75%. The grant will be pursued.

Alderman Cheek reported that many people from foreign countries had been in town.

The council discussed the increase in traffic near Casey's and the Country Aire.

Motion by Bob Polley second by Matt Clemmons to adjourn.

Roll Call:

Polley-yes Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes McVey-yes
Moore-yes Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:35 pm Kenneth Martin City Clerk