

# Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes November 15, 2016

**OPEN:** The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday November 15, 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, Amber Finchum, Adam McVey and Matt Clemmons were present. Andrea Halley was absent.

Motion by Billie Cheek second by Adam McVey to approve the minutes as presented.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

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

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

Chief Eimer reported on Police activities for the last month. DARE program is starting up again this school year. Officer Landers will be in charge of this program.

Randy Brooks reported that the clubhouse will close for the season on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup>. Room Rentals continue through December.

Mayor Finchum brought up the dead ash trees again. We have lists that will be worked on as time permits.

Mayor Finchum reported that there is no new progress on water main easements.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Billie Cheek to approve abating the Tax Levy for 2016 on the \$480,000 General Obligation Bonds as presented.

Roll Call:

Finchum-yes	Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes

Halley-A

Motion Carries.

Motion by Adam McVey second by Matt Clemmons to approve Abating the Tax Levy for 2016 on the 495,000 General Obligation Bonds as presented.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

Mayor Finchum presented the Atlanta Façade Improvement Grant Program with updates to include all areas of business in Atlanta.

Motion by Billie Cheek second by Amber Finchum to accept the improvements and adopt the Grant Program as presented.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

Mayor Finchum presented the Farnsworth Professional Agreement with the City.

Motion by Matt Clemmons seconded by Billie Cheek to accept the Professional Agreement with Farnsworth Group.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

Mayor Finchum presented the 2016-2017 Tax Levy to the council with no changes from last year.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Adam McVey to accept the Tax levy as presented.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes	Halley-A
Clemmons-yes	McVey-yes
Finchum-yes	

Motion Carries.

The current cleaning service submitted a bid to take on cleaning the New City Hall building once we occupy it. She is requesting \$50.00 per cleaning.

Motion by Billie Cheek seconded by Amber Finchum to accept the bid of \$50.00 to clean the New City Hall building.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes  
Clemmons-yes  
Finchum-yes

Halley-A  
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Each Alderman now has a City email for City business.

The Mayor presented a copy of the Prevailing Wage Ordinance.  
Motion by Billie Cheek second by Matt Clemmons as presented.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes  
Clemmons-yes  
Finchum-yes

Halley-A  
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Billie Cheek to go into Executive Session to discuss Employee Performance Complaint.

Roll Call:

Finchum-yes  
Clemmons-yes  
Halley-A

Cheek-yes  
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

Alderman Clemmons stated there is a lot of trash piled up at 205 S. Josephine St. police will look into this.

Alderman Finchum asked if we had a City Ordinance regarding number of rooms that need to be rented to be considered a hotel and not a residence. No ordinance.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Amber Finchum to adjourn meeting.

Roll Call:

Cheek-yes  
Clemmons-yes  
Finchum-yes

Halley-A  
McVey-yes

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:40pm

Kelly Embery  
City Secretary