Atlanta City Council Meeting Minutes December 1, 2015

OPEN: The regular meeting of the Atlanta City Council was held on Tuesday December 1, 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, Bill Moore, and Matt Clemmons were present. Bob Polley and Adam McVey were absent.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Bill Moore to approve minutes as presented.

Roll Call:

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

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-A Cheek-yes
Clemmons-yes McVey-A
Moore-yes Finchum-yes

Motion Carries.

Randy Brooks gave a short report on the Golf Course. The Muskrat problem was still being worked on. Three outings had been booked for next year.

Some potential actions on properties were discussed. Also no further action had been taken on the Armstrong property. Some additional properties were brought up for attention.

The Council took up the 2015 Tax Levy. The Mayor recommended the same Levy as last year.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Bill Moore to approve the 2015 Tax Levy as presented.

Roll Call:

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

Motion Carries.

The Council took up the topic of the recommended Zoning changes by the Planning Commission. Public Hearing is set for December 17th for Ordinance changes.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Billie Cheek to approve the changes to the Zoning Ordinance as recommended by the Planning Commission. Roll Call:

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

Moore-yes Finchum-yes Motion Carries

Mayor Finchum brought up the possible purchase of the old Casey's building. The City has been given the first chance at the building. The council discussed the possibility of others purchasing the property. The Council will consider the sale.

The group insurance will stay the same, BCBS, with a small increase in premium.

Alderman Finchum asked if random drug testing should be done. The council discussed the issue. Most employees were tested already but not all employees. The Mayor said that none of the supervisors had ever reported a problem.

The aldermen voiced their opinion but no action was taken.

Motion by Matt Clemmons second by Billie Cheek to adjourn.

Roll Call:

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

Motion Carries.

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm Kenneth Martin City Clerk