

City of Jenkinsburg
Regular Council Meeting
Monday, December 12, 2016

With a quorum present, Mayor Eddie Ford called the City of Jenkinsburg's Council meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Attending were Council Members: Mayor Pro-Tem Richard Weaver, Jason Watts, Joye England, Susan Barabas, Kenneth Rooks and City Clerk Clair Jones.

Adopt Agenda - A motion was made by Jason Watts to adopt the agenda as presented for the December 12, 2016 meeting. The motion was seconded by Kenneth Rooks. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Council Member Richard Weaver gave the invocation and Mayor Eddie Ford led the Pledge to the Flag.

Approve Minutes - A motion was made by Kenneth Rooks to approve the minutes as presented from the November 28, 2016 meeting. The motion was seconded by Richard Weaver. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Second Reading of Ordinance #JBGO 16-02 to Amend #JBGO 15-01 to Adopt the Amended 2016 Budget for the City of Jenkinsburg. - Mayor Ford reviewed the budget adoption process and stated the First Reading of the ordinance was read at the November 28, 2016 council meeting. He then read the Second Reading of Ordinance #JBGO 16-02 to Amend #JBGO 15-01 to Adopt the Amended 2016 Budget for the City of Jenkinsburg. Mayor Ford called for a motion to adopt the proposed ordinance. A motion was made by Kenneth Rooks to adopt Ordinance #JBGO 16-02 as read to Amend #JBGO 15-01 to Adopt the Amended 2016 Budget for the City of Jenkinsburg. The motion was seconded by Richard Weaver. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Introduction (First Reading) Ordinance #JBGO 16-03 to Adopt FY 2017 Budgets for the City of Jenkinsburg. Mayor Ford acknowledged that the FY 2017 Budgets for the City of Jenkinsburg were presented at the November 14, 2016 meeting. The Mayor explained that the City of Jenkinsburg's budget procedures state the annual budgets are to be adopted by an ordinance. He continued to explain that O.C.G.A. gives a municipality the option of adopting their annual budget either by ordinance or resolution. Mayor Ford stated he will present amended budget procedures to include the option of presenting the budget by ordinance or resolution at a later date to the council. The Mayor called for a motion to accept the First Reading of Ordinance #JBGO 16-03. A motion was made by Jason Watts to Accept the First Reading of Ordinance #JBGO 16-03 to Adopt FY 2017 Budgets for the City of Jenkinsburg. The motion was seconded by Richard Weaver. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Appointment of Mayor Pro-Tem. A motion was made by Jason Watts to appoint Richard Weaver as Mayor Pro-Tem. The motion was seconded by Joye England. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Re-Appointment of William E. Mullis to the Transportation Board. A motion was made by Kenneth Rooks to reappoint William E. Mullis to the Transportation Board. The motion was seconded by Jason Watts. Council voted: Richard Weaver - yes, Joye England - yes, Jason Watts – yes, Susan Barabas – yes, Kenneth Rooks - yes. The motion passed.

Mayor's Report – The Mayor reminded the public of the Planning and Zoning meeting December 19, 2016 at 6 pm.

The Mayor opened the floor for any public or council comments. Kenneth Rooks told the council that a good time was had by all at the Christmas parade. There was a total of 19 people on the float.

Mayor adjourned the council meeting at 7:20 pm.

Recorded by: Clair Jones – City Clerk