

MINUTES

CITY OF LOGANVILLE
Regular Council Meeting
Thursday, June 13, 2019 6:30pm
Council Chambers

The City of Loganville Mayor and Council met for their regularly scheduled Council Meeting on Thursday, June 13, 2019 at 6:30 pm in the Council Chambers. Mayor Rey Martinez and Council Members Skip Baliles, Jay Boland, Linda Dodd, Danny Ford, Anne Huntsinger and Lisa Newberry were all present.

Mayor Rey Martinez called the meeting to order at 6:31pm.

Pastor Todd Stewart with New Beginnings Church gave the invocation and Girl Scout Troop #688 led the pledge to the flag.

Council Member Anne Huntsinger made a motion to adopt the agenda as presented. Council Member Danny Ford seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Skip Baliles made a motion to approve the consent agenda as follows:

- a. Last Month's Minutes
- b. Last Month's Financial Report
- c. Amendment to Fire Dept Budget to account for Grant Received - \$15,030.00
- d. Sanitation Fee Structure Update / Change
- e. Police Department – Purchase of Patrol Rifle Vehicle Locks - \$17,004.00
- f. 2019 LMIG Funds – Approval to place in reserves to combine with 2020 funds
- g. John Deere 310-G Backhoe Transmission - \$18,241.90
- h. ATC Property Access Agreement
- i. Plotter Service Agreement – Repro Products
- j. Maintenance Agreement - Del Taco

Council Member Linda Dodd seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Anne Huntsinger presented the FYE 6/30/2020 Budget. She explained that the required two Public Hearings were held earlier this week as required by law. There were no additional questions from the council. Council Member Danny Ford made a motion to approve the FYE 06/30/2020 Budget as presented. Council Member Linda Dodd seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Anne Huntsinger made a motion to approve the General/Liability Insurance Renewal for \$217,056. Council Member Lisa Newberry seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Anne Huntsinger made a motion to award the Big Flat Creek 3.3mgd WQC Plant Expansion Contract to PF Moon which includes the reuse system as well for \$14,255,746.10. Council Member Danny Ford seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Skip Baliles made a motion to fund the approximate \$1.6 million Monroe Waterline Project using \$1million of the necessary funds be taken from the Capital Recovery Funds and the remainder to come from the Enterprise Reserve Funds. Council Member Danny Ford seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Skip Baliles made a motion to increase the salary of the municipal court judge from \$24,000 to \$30,000. Council Member Lisa Newberry seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Council Member Skip Baliles made a motion to increase the salary of the solicitor to \$21,000. Council Member Lisa Newberry seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

City Attorney Robyn Webb presented an ordinance amendment establishing the term of office for the Municipal Court Judge for no less than one year as required by recent changes to the law. Council Member Linda Dodd made a motion to approve the ordinance amendment as presented. Council Member Skip Baliles seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

City Attorney Robyn Webb presented the resolution appointing Lori Duff as the Municipal Court Judge for the remainder of calendar year 2019 and the entirety of calendar year 2020. Council Member Anne Huntsinger made a motion to approve the resolution as presented. Council Member Danny Ford seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

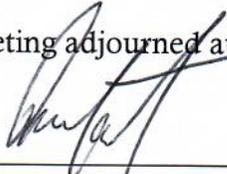
City Attorney Robyn Webb presented an amendment to the Alcohol Ordinance amending the definition of restaurant and restaurant/bar redefining the sale of food to include the sale of beer and wine toward the calculation of meals or food and only sale of distilled spirits counting toward the percentage of sales of alcohol. There was much discussion regarding this matter. Council Member Jay Boland made a motion to table the issue. Council Member Anne Huntsinger seconded the motion. Motion tied 3-3 with Council Members Boland, Dodd and Huntsinger voting in favor and Baliles, Ford and Newberry voting in opposition. Mayor Martinez voted in opposition to the motion. Motion failed.

There was continued discussion regarding this matter. Council Member Lisa Newberry made a motion to amend the ordinance as presented by City Attorney Robyn Webb. Council Member Skip Baliles seconded the motion. Council Member Anne Huntsinger asked Assistant Police Chief Dick Lowry if the police department would have any concerns regarding a change in the ordinance of this nature. Assistant Chief Lowry stated that while he could not predict what would happen he explained that the police department would have concerns of the problems that this would create. He explained that the amount of alcohol would become an issue and we would just have to see how it would play out and then create a strategy which might include additional personnel. Council Member Jay Boland asked Council Member Anne Huntsinger what her concerns were with this amendment. Council Member Anne Huntsinger explained that she wants restaurants but felt like this would open Pandora's box adding fuel to the fire for increased problems. Council Member Skip Baliles stated that he felt like restaurants were going outside of the City and this would keep them inside the City and make us competitive. Council Member

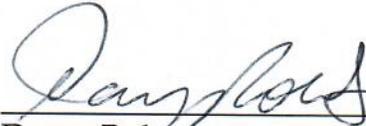
Lisa Newberry stated that restaurants were not coming to Loganville and this is what they are wanting. She explained that we are losing good restaurants to Monroe. Council Member Linda Dodd stated that once this amendment is approved then the City has no say so in anything. She stated that in her opinion we are not going to attract fine dining restaurants and even if we did the current ordinance would not keep them from coming. After additional discussion, motion carried 4-2 with Council Members Linda Dodd and Anne Huntsinger voting in opposition.

With no further discussion, Council Member Anne Huntsinger made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Linda Dodd seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Meeting adjourned at 7:19pm.



Rey Martinez
Mayor



Danny Roberts
City Manager