

Minutes

Regular Session: Monday, July 3, 2023

Meeting Location: *Historical Agricultural Building*

Attending Officials:

Brenda Acton, David Kilpatrick, Greg Maddox, John Larkin and Janet Jones

Mayor Janet Jones called the meeting to order at **7:00pm**

Invocation: *Janet Jones*

The Pledge of Allegiance

Rules of Decorum Read

First Order of Business:

Minutes from June 5, 2023 Regular Session were read. John motioned to accept the minutes as read. David seconded. Votes unanimous.

Agenda Approval / Amendments:

Agenda was reviewed.

Committee Updates:

- 1 - CAD report: No stats were available for June 2023.
- 2 - Brenda gave an update FunFest on Main Street. The date is September 30. Vendors needed. There will be a street dance from 6pm until 8pm after the festival.
- 3 - John shared that the sidewalk project is progressing well. Rails are going up; the retaining wall is near completion. The stormwater project is still in the field collection phase. Hopefully, there will be some completed data for the August meeting.
- 4 - David has messaged Garrett Paving for a date to begin the roadway projects approved.
- 5 - Greg has checked the signs that mark the venues. They are very weathered - faded, peeling. As more people are using the venues for meeting space, the signs should be updated, clearly marking the buildings. He will get quotes to update these signs.

Agenda Items:

- 1 - Generators for emergency power - Greg said that there is an issue with backordered generators for the ones that would suit the need for Maintenance and Community Center. He suggested the quote for 12/15K (GGP) as it was a "turn-key" deal. John Martin said he would share a contact that may be worth checking for a better price. This item is tabled until Greg has this information as well.
- 2 - Christmas light display - this item will be dropped as quote is too expensive at this time.
- 3 - Mill Rate presented for 2023 - Clarke County 2.385; Oconee County 2.155. These will be voted on at the August Council meeting.
- 4 - Business License Application - FISH Window Cleaning. John Parham submitted a Business License Application for FISH. He has purchased the building at the corner of Main Street and N. Church Street to renovate and open an office with the opening tentatively set for August 1st. Brenda motioned that the license be granted. Greg seconded. Votes unanimous.

The next Regular Session Council Meeting will be August 7, 2023.

Meeting adjourned at **7:22pm**