

BAXLEY CITY COUNCIL Regular Council Meeting Council Chambers

July 12, 2023 8:30 a.m.

MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Baxley City Council was held on July 12, 2023 at 8:30 a.m., with the following members present: Mayor Tim Varnadore, Mayor Pro Tem Bass, and Councilmembers: Santina Fryer, Betty Livingston, David Gore, Adam Thomas, and Ora Hall

Other city officials present were: City Manager Keri Orvin, City Attorney Alex Johnson, City Clerk Jessica McLellan, Public Works Director Wayne Mullis, Chief Jeffery Taylor, and Mitchell Wilkerson.

Cole Gardner was present representing the Baxley News Banner.

Members of the public were present.

Councilwoman Livingston led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Pro Tem Bass gave the invocation.

Councilwoman Livingston made a motion approving the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of June 28, 2023 at 8:30 a.m. This motion was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Bass and carried unanimously.

Mayor Varnadore announce that Sherry Shavers would not be attending the meeting due a scheduling conflict.

Councilman Gore made a motion approving the first reading of an ordinance for annexation filed by Phillis D. Perry for property located at 212 & 260 Arbor Drive be annexed establishing an RM-10 zone in voting district 6. This motion was seconded by Councilman Thomas and carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Bass made a motion to set a public hearing date of August 1, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. for an annexation petition filed by Nariel Roblero Berduo for property located at 146 Norman Circle be annexed establishing an RM-10 zone in voting district 6.

City Attorney Johnson requested an Executive Session to discuss litigation. Councilwoman Livingston made a motion approving his request. This motion was seconded by Councilwoman Hall and carried uananimously.

Reports:

City Manager Orvin:

o Food Truck Festival July 22nd at Max Deen Park to coincide with swim meet.

Mayor Varnadore recessed the regular meeting to enter into executive session at 8:35 a.m.

Mayor Varnadore closed the executive session and resumed the regular meeting at 8:38 a.m.

Mayor Varnadore announced that the executive session was information only and no decisions to be made.

There being no further business, Mayor Varnadore adjourned the meeting at 8:40 a.m.

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