

## MINUTES

### REGULAR MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF JULY 16, 2012

- Call to Order: The Regular Meeting of Mayor and Council of July 16, 2012 was called to order by Mayor Pro-tem Sparkle Adams at 7:00 p.m.
- Invocation: The invocation was given by Councilwoman Maudie McCord followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.
- Roll Call: Mayor Pro-tem Sparkle Adams, Councilwomen Maudie McCord, Latresa Akins and Linda Lord.
- Also present were City Manager John Parker, Director of Finance Mike Blandenburg, Management Analyst Angela Redding, Director of Public Works Mike Gippert, Cindy Norwood, Planning and Zoning, Major Chris Matson, Chief Eddie Buckholts, Deputy Director of Recreation and Leisure Services Sharon Smith and City Attorney Robert Mack.
- Approval of Minutes: Ms. Lord made a motion to approve the minutes of the Work Session and Regular Meeting of July 2, 2012, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion was unanimous.
- Comment Period: Ms. Pamela Lake – gave an update on the new library construction.
- Mr. Roy Lunsford – asked for a covered area for the designated “smoking area”.
- Mr. David Rashmir – spoke concerning the Special purpose local Option Sales Tax and asked what the funds were to be used for.
- Ms. Virginia Ford – spoke concerning Waste Management trucks tearing down wires on West Street.
- Ordinance: Request was made to consider an Ordinance by the City Council for the Acquisition of Property: City of Forest Park, Georgia, to authorize the acquisition and purchase of certain Real Estate in the City for a purchase price of the appraised value or less than the Appraised Value; to provide for temporary funding of said purchase from the General Fund of the City; to provide for reimbursement to the General Fund from funds received from the “SPLOST” tax in 2012; to provide for severability; to repeal all Ordinances

and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith; to provide an effective date; and for other purposes.

Ms. McCord made a motion to approve the Ordinance, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Ordinance -  
Acquisition of  
Property:

Request was made to consider an Ordinance by the City Council for the City of Forest Park, Georgia, to authorize the acquisition and purchase of certain real estate in the City for a purchase price of the appraised value; to provide for temporary funding of said purchase from the General Fund of the City; to provide for reimbursement to the General Fund of the City; to provide for reimbursement to the General Fund from funds received from the "SPLOST" tax in 2012; to provide for severability; to repeal all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith; to provide an effective date; and for other purposes.

Ms. Lord made a motion to approve the Ordinance, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Ordinance -  
TAD – Budget:

Request was made to consider an Ordinance by the Governing Body of the City of Forest Park, Georgia establishing the Budget for Tax Allocation District Number One – Main Street and Ft. Gillem, for the fiscal year 2012-2013.

Ms. McCord made a motion to approve the Ordinance, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Adjournment:

Ms. Lord made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ms. McCord. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.