

## MINUTES

### REGULAR MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF JUNE 15, 2015

Call to Order: The Regular Meeting of Mayor and Council of June 15, 2015 was called to order by Mayor David Lockhart at 7:00 p.m.

Invocation: The invocation was given by Mr. Brandon followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

Present: Mayor David Lockhart and Councilmembers Latresa Akins, Dabouze Antoine, Maudie McCord, Linda Lord and Tommy Smith.

Also present were City Manager Frank Brandon, Director of Finance Mike Blandenburg, Director of Public Works Jeff Eady, Director of Support Services Christine Terrell, Major Chris Matson, Chief Eddie Buckholts, Director of Planning and Zoning Al Wiggins, and City Attorney Winston Denmark.

Approval of Minutes: Ms. Akins made a motion to approve the minutes of the Work Session and Regular Meeting of June 15, 2015, seconded by Mr. Smith. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Comment Period: Pamela Lake – asked for volunteers to help put mulch down at the new library.

Virginia Ford – spoke concerning Rev. Grant and his involvement in the community and how much he did for her. She presented a check to the City to help out her Ward.

Lois Wright – reminded everyone of the Community Garden on Lee Circle between Sharon and Madison. She asked for people to help plant the vegetables.

Presentation- Ms. Edie Yongue presented Mr. & Mrs. John Parker with the Residential Beautification Award and Ms. Debbie Walker of Blankenship & Walker with the Business Beautification Award.

New On-premises Consumption Alcohol Lic: Request was made to consider a new On-Premises Consumption Alcohol License for liquor, beer and wine from Red Eyed, Inc., Crazy Horse, 4730 Frontage Road, no exceptions noted.

Ms. Akins made a motion to approve the new on-premises consumption alcohol license for liquor, beer and wine from Red Eyed, Inc., seconded by Mr. Antoine. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Resolution-Moratorium: Request was made to consider a Resolution to approve a Moratorium of Ninety (90) days for the acceptance of any business license application, zoning application, application for sign permits, use permits or other applications involving or addressing the retail sale of consumer fireworks or fireworks within the territorial limits of the City of Forest Park, GA.

Ms. Lord made a motion to approve the Resolution, seconded by Mr. Smith. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

Plaque: Mayor Lockhart explained that \$100 is needed from a line item to cover the cost of the plaque.

Mr. Smith made a motion to allocate \$100 from Ward 1 project funds, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion was unanimous.

City Attorney-RFP's: Ms. Lord made a motion to appoint Robert Mack of Mack and Harris as City Attorney. The motion died for lack of a second.

Mr. Antoine made a motion to table consideration of RFP's for City Attorney, seconded by Ms. Akins. Voting for the motion were Mr. Antoine, Mr. Smith, Ms. McCord and Ms. Akins. Ms. Lord voted against the motion. The motion carried.

Adjournment: Mr. Smith made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Lord. Voting for the motion was unanimous.