Sandersville City Council Meeting Minutes August 20, 2018 – 4:50 P.M.

Council Members and City Employees present:

Mayor Jimmy Andrews Victor Cuyler, Chief SPD

Council Member Mayme Dennis Russell Riner, Chief SFD

Council Member Henry Watts Wayne Poole, Electric Department Director

Council Member Danny Brown Robert Eubanks, Public Works Director

Council Member Jason Davis Dave Larson, Building Official

Robert Wynne, City Attorney Brianna Wiley, Finance Director

Judy McCorkle, City Administrator Karrie Brown, City Clerk

Absent: Mayor Pro Tem Jeffery Smith

Mayor Andrews called the August 20, 2018 meeting of the Sandersville City Council to order at 4:50 p.m.

Council Member Watts gave the invocation and Elizabeth Jordan from the Sandersville Progress led the pledge to the American flag.

Recognitions:

Shirley Cheely discussed garbage service at 422 Lovett Street, which is her mother's house. Ms. Cheely stated that her mother no longer lives there. The electric service is currently turned on and they are also being billed for garbage but are not using the garbage service. She is asking the Mayor and Council to authorize the removal of the garbage service from her monthly bill (City Ordinance requires Council approval to remove garbage service). The Mayor and Council Members discussed the request and agreed they do not want to start removing garbage from accounts. It was suggested that Ms. Cheely turn all services off and have them turned back on when needed.

APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Council Member Davis made a motion to approve the minutes of the August 6, 2018 regular meeting of the City Council as presented. Council Member Brown seconded the motion passed unanimously. (Attachment A)

MOTION TO ADOPT RESOLUTION #2018-13: A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE NAME OF DEER STREET TO P.L. BRASWELL WAY

Council Member Dennis made a motion to adopt Resolution #2018-13: A Resolution changing the name of Deer Street in Sandersville, Georgia to P.L. Braswell Way. Council Member Watts seconded and the motion passed unanimously. (Attachment B)

Public Works Director Eubanks stated there will be a formal dedication ceremony on Thursday, August 30, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. at the location.

MOTION TO APPROVE CHANGE ORDER NUMBER 4 FOR THE EAST HAYNES STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Council Member Brown made a motion to approve Change Order Number 4 to L & L Utilities for the East Haynes Street project with an increase of \$36,564.00 for concrete crushing. Council Member Watts seconded and the motion passed unanimously. (Attachment C)

MOTION TO AUTHROIZE THE PURCHASE OF POWER DMS SOFTWARE FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Council Member Davis made a motion to authorize the purchase of Power DMS Software in the amount of \$5,285.00, for the Police Department to comply with the State Certification record keeping requirements, which will be paid through the GIRMA grant funding. Council Member Brown seconded and the motion passed unanimously. (Attachment D)

Other Business:

Michael S. Helton discussed a water bill for his rental property on Washington Avenue. Public Works Director Eubanks will look into this.

Susan Lewis, of the Sandersville Downtown Development Authority stated that the Nancy Hart triangle has been landscaped and looks great.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Council Member Brown made a motion to enter into an Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. Council Member Dennis seconded and the motion passed unanimously with favorable votes from Council Member Dennis, Council Member Watts, Council Member Brown, and Council Member Davis.

The regular meeting reconvened at 5:50 p.m.

MOTION TO ADVERTISE FOR 3 FULL TIME POSITINS AND 1 PART TIME POSITION

Council Member Brown made a motion to authorize the City Clerk to advertise for 3 full time positions and 1 part time position. Council Member Davis seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, Council Member Davis made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Council Member Brown seconded and the meeting was unanimously adjourned.