

HAHIRA CITY COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEETING

FEBRUARY 1, 2018

6:00 P.M.

COURTHOUSE

PRESENT: Mayor Bruce Cain, Councils: Kenneth Davis, Patrick Warren and Mason Barfield. City Manager Jonathan Sumner, City Clerk Lisa Mashburn, Fire Chief Dwight Bennett, Police Chief Terry Davis and PWD Donnie Warren. Mayor Pro Tem Terry Benjamin came in late for the meeting.

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Bruce Cain

ESTABLISH QUORUM: Mayor Bruce Cain

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Bruce Cain

INVOCATION: City Manager Jonathan Sumner

OATH OF OFFICE:

A. COUNCILMAN DISTRICT 1

Councilman Terry Benjamin was sworn in by Mayor Bruce Cain reading the oath of office.

COUNCIL ELECTION-MAYOR PRO TEM

The Mayor asked for nominations for Mayor Pro Tem for 2018. Councilman Warren nominated Mason Barfield which was seconded by Councilman Davis. Councilman Warren, Councilman Davis and Councilman Benjamin all voted in favor of the motion.

REVIEW/CORRECTION OF MINUTES:

A. JANUARY 3, 2018 WORK SESSION

B. JANUARY 4, 2018 COUNCIL MEETING

The Mayor asked if anyone had any corrections or questions regarding the minutes. None noted.

Mayor Pro Tem Barfield made a motion to accept the minutes as presented which was seconded by Councilman Davis. Mayor Pro Tem Barfield, Councilman Warren and Councilman Davis all voted in favor of the motion.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD:

Wilmon Stanley of 308 S Washington Street, Hahira said that he had listened to the discussion regarding the beer and wine at the new Depot and his only concern would be if it might be a strain on the Police department. Chief Davis stated that he did not feel it would not be a strain on the department but at

worst we can terminate rental agreement if the agreement was broken, we cannot rent to them again if problem. Mr. Stanley said that safety was his main concern.

REVIEW OF BILLS/BUDGET OVERAGES:

The Mayor asked if anyone had any concerns or questions regarding the bills. None noted. **Councilman Warren made a motion to pay the bills as presented which was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Barfield. Councilman Warren, Councilman Davis and Mayor Pro Tem Barfield all voted in favor of the motion.**

CONSENT AGENDA:

- A. RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR DEDICATED FEES CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**
- B. RESOLUTION OT SUPPORT RIVER TRAILS**
- C. GMA SUMMER CONVENTION-SAVANNAH**
- D. BEER AND WINE SERVICE PERMISSION AT HAHIRA DEPOT**
- E. ADD \$125.00 CLEANING FEE TO HAHIRA DEPOT RENTAL FEE**

The Mayor asked if anyone had any questions regarding the Consent agenda. None noted. **Councilman Davis made a motion to approve the Consent agenda which was seconded by Councilman Warren. Councilman Davis, Councilman Warren and Mayor Pro Tem Barfield all voted in favor of the motion.**

REPORTS:

Mayor Pro Tem Barfield said he appreciated the opportunity to serve. I have experience and I am happy to be here. Thank you to all the people working hard in the field and thank you again for the opportunity.

Councilman Benjamin thanked the citizens of District 1 for the opportunity to serve and as always thank you to the employees. They do an excellent job and I will always continue to fight for them. It is a pleasure to serve again, I am excited about the things to come. We have good governance and policies, we listen to all sides. Thank you to this Council for their hard work, lets continue to push Hahira into the future.

Councilman Davis congratulations to Councilman Benjamin and Mayor Pro Tem Barfield. I am happy to serve and happy to have you all here and happy to have all the knowledge that we all have together. Thank you all for what you do.

Councilman Warren said thank you to the outgoing Mayor Pro Tem and incoming Mayor Pro Tem. I love this City and thank you for the opportunity to serve District 3. I look forward to a lot of good in the future.

City Manager Sumner said thank you for the opportunity to serve, thank you to the department heads for all the hard work. They all respond in case of an emergency like today and we all appreciate the job that they do.

Mayor Cain thanked everyone for coming and thanked Fire department and Police department for responding this morning to an accident on the South side of the county. Congratulation to Mayor Pro Tem Barfield and thank you to Councilman Benjamin, he has been my right hand man for the last 4 years. I respect his wisdom.

Mayor Pro Tem Barfield made a motion to adjourn which was seconded by Councilman Benjamin. Mayor Pro Tem Barfield, Councilman Benjamin, Councilman Davis and Councilman Warren all voted in favor of the motion.

THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 6:30 P.M.

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CITY CLERK LISA MASHBURN