

City of Hogansville

City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 2, 2024 – 7:00 pm

Meeting will be held at Hogansville City Hall, 111 High Street, Hogansville, GA 30230

Mayor: Jake Ayers	2025	City Manager: Lisa E. Kelly
Council Post 1: Michael Taylor, Jr	2025	Assistant City Manager: Niles Ford
Council Post 2: Matthew Morgan	2025	City Attorney: Alex Dixon
Council Post 3: <i>Mandy Neese*</i>	2027	Chief of Police: Jeffrey Sheppard
Council Post 4: <i>Mark Ayers</i>	2027	City Clerk: LeAnn Lehigh
Council Post 5: Kandis Strickland	2027	* Mayor Pro-Tem

Regular Meeting - 7:00 pm

- 1. Call to Order Mayor Jake Ayers
- 2. Invocation & Pledge

Swearing In of Newly Elected Official Kandis Strickland – Administered by City Attorney Alex Dixon

Consent Agenda

All items listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be approved by one blanket motion.

1. Approval of Agenda:

Regular Meeting January 2, 2023

2. Approval of Minutes:

Regular Meeting December 18, 2023

3. Approval of Minutes:

Work Session Meeting December 18, 2023

New Business

- 1. Selection of Mayor Pro-Tem
- 2. Resolution Line of Credit 2024

City Manager's Report

Chief of Police Report

Council Member Reports

- 1. Council Member Taylor
- 2. Council Member Morgan
- 3. Council Member Neese
- 4. Council Member Ayers
- 5. Council Member Strickland

Mayor's Report

Adjourn

Upcoming Dates & Events

- January 15, 2023 | City Offices Closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
- January 16, 2023 7:00 pm | Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Council at Hogansville City Hall





01/02/2024

Meeting held at Hogansville City Hall, 111 High Street, Hogansville GA 30230

Regular Meeting

Call to Order: Mayor Jake Ayers called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Present were Council Member Michael Taylor, Jr., Council Member Matthew Morgan, Council Member Mandy Neese, Council Member Mark Ayers, and Council Member Elect Kandis Strickland. Also present were City Manager Lisa Kelly, City Attorney Alex Dixon, Police Chief Jeff Sheppard, and City Clerk LeAnn Lehigh.

Mayor Ayers gave an invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Swearing In of Newly Elected Official Kandis Strickland

City Attorney Alex Dixon performed the Oath of Office for newly elected official Kandis Strickland, City Council Post 5.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion: Council Member Neese moved to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

Motion Carries 5-0

NEW BUSINESS

1. Selection of Mayor Pro-Tem

Motion: A motion was made by Council Member Taylor to nominate himself as Mayor Pro-Tem. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

Discussion: None

Motion Passes – 4-0 with Strickland abstaining

2. Resolution – Line of Credit 2024

Motion: Council Member Taylor moved to accept the resolution re-authorizing a line of credit with Community Bank and Trust, not to exceed \$300,000 for calendar year 2024. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers.

Discussion: None **Motion Passes – 5-0**

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion made by Council Member Neese and duly seconded, Mayor Ayers adjourned the meeting at 7:27pm.

Respectfully,

LeAnn Lehigh City Clerk



Oath of Office

"I, <u>Kandis Latrece Strickland</u>, do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Council Member of the City of Hogansville and that I will support and defend the Charter, thereof, as well as the Constitution of the Laws of the State of Georgia and of the United States of America."

Moreover, I swear to the following:

- 1. That I am not the holder of any unaccounted-for public money due this state or any political subdivision or authority thereof;
- 2. That I am not the holder of any office of trust under the government of the United States, any other state, or any foreign state which by the laws of the State of Georgia prohibit my holding this office;
- 3. That I am otherwise qualified to hold said office according to the Constitution of the laws of Georgia;
- 4. That I will support the Constitution of the United States and of this State; and
- 5. That I have been a resident of the jurisdiction in which I was elected for the time required by the laws of this State.

Kandis Latrece Strickland

Sworn to and administered to me this 2nd

Day of January, 2024

Alex L. Dixon

City Attorney