

# 11/18/2024

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 7:01 pm. Present were Council Member Michael Taylor, Council Member Matthew Morgan, Council Member Mandy Neese, and Council Member Kandis Strickland. Also present were City Manager Lisa Kelly, Assistant City Manager Niles Ford, City Attorney Alex Dixon, Police Chief Jeff Sheppard, and City Clerk LeAnn Lehigh. Council Member Mark Ayers was not present at tonight's meeting.

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

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved approve the consent agenda. The motion was seconded by Council Member Taylor.

**Motion Carries 4-0** 

## **OLD BUSINESS**

# 1. Ordinance – 1st Reading – On Street Parking

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to approve the Ordinance for on-street parking. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

**Discussion**: None **Motion Carries 4-0** 

## 2. Ordinance – 1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Speed Cameras at HES

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to approve the Ordinance to allow RedSpeed to install Speed Cameras on Main Street in front of Hogansville Elementary School. Council agreed to establish the timeframe of issuing citations to 1-hour before school begins to 1-hour after school ends when driving 11mph or more, only when school is in session. The motion was seconded by Council Member Taylor.

**Discussion:** None **Motion Carries 4-0** 

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

### 1. Engineering Services Agreement – Turnipseed Engineers – CDBG 2024

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to approve the Engineering Services Agreement with Turnipseed Engineers for the CDBG 2024 infrastructure improvements. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

**Discussion**: None **Motion Carries 4-0** 

#### 2. Termination of Agreement with Visit LaGrange, Inc.

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to terminate the agreement with Visit LaGrange Inc to be effective 12/31/2024. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

**Discussion**: Visit HGVL will take over handling the City's portion of the Hotel/Motel tax for Tourism purposes beginning January 1, 2025.

**Motion Carries 4-0** 

## 3. Citizen Appointment – Meriwether Joint Development Authority (Discussion Only)

Council was given applications for the Meriwether Joint Development Authority for three open seats on the board. There was no discussion at the meeting. This item will come before Council on the agenda for December 2, 2024 for action.

# 4. Citizen Appointment – Historic Preservation Commission (Discussion Only)

Council was given an application for the Historic Preservation Commission for one of the two open seats. This was the only application that was received for this commission. There was no discussion at the meeting. This item will come before Council on the agenda for December 2, 2024 for action

# **ADJOURNMENT**

On a motion made by Council Member Neese and duly seconded, Mayor Ayers adjourned the meeting at 7:36 pm.

Respectfully,

City Clerk