

City of Hogansville City Council

Work Session Meeting Agenda

Monday, August 21, 2023 – 6:00 pm

Meeting will be held at Hogansville City Hall

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: Mandy Neese*	2023	Chief of Police: Jeffrey Sheppard
Council Post 4: Mark Ayers	2023	City Clerk: LeAnn Lehigh
Council Post 5: <i>Toni Striblin</i>	2023	* Mayor Pro-Tem

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ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. LCRR Update



08/21/2023

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

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Call to Order: Mayor Jake Ayers called the Work Session to order at 5:38 pm. Present were Mayor Jake Ayers, Council Member Matthew Morgan, Council Member Mandy Neese, Council Member Mark Ayers, and Council Member Toni Striblin. Also present were, Assistant City Manager Niles Ford, City Attorney Alex Dixon, Police Chief Jeff Sheppard, and City Clerk LeAnn Lehigh. Council Member Michael Taylor and City Manager Lisa Kelly were not present at tonight's meeting.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. LCRR Update

Assistant City Manager Niles Ford spoke about the LCRR update, which requires an inventory list of all lead and copper water service pipes in the City; both on the City's side and customer's side. The City is required to have the list of inventory completed by Oct 16, 2024. He explained that the City is in the process of reviewing funding to help with the costs of the required inventory and subsequent replacement of the lines, but the funding deadline is quickly approaching at the end of Sept 2023.

Mr. Ford also said that he had contacted other local municipalities to ask how they are handling the LCRR update as it relates to customer notification. He said some weren't communicating at all with customers, and some weren't sure how they would communicate. He said it seems we will be well ahead of other local municipalities in getting the word out. The City will start letting our water customers know what will be going on by inserting a letter and FAQ in the next utility mailers, doing social media campaigns, and Public Information Meetings.

He also talked to Council about hiring a part-time employee to be the contact for customers, organize scheduling, mapping, maintaining inventory. This would be an important role. He would like to hire Acia Stephens for the position, as she is currently a contract employee for City Hall and would be a great fit for the role. Council agrees that this is an important role and if the budget allows, it would be up to the City Manager to hire.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Jake Ayers adjourned the Work Session at 6:44 pm.

Respectfully,

LeAnn Lehigh^C City Clerk