



City of Marietta Meeting Minutes

205 Lawrence Street
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Marietta, Georgia 30061

SPECIAL CALLED PARKS, RECREATION AND TOURISM COMMITTEE

Michelle Cooper Kelly, Chairman
Andy Morris, Vice Chair
Reggie Copeland

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

6:00 PM

Council Chamber

Presiding: Michelle Kelly Cooper

Present: Reggie Copeland

Absent: Andy Morris

Also Present:

Cheryl Richardson, Council - Ward 1

Grif Chalfant, Council - Ward 2

Johnny Walker, Council - Ward 3

Joseph R. Goldstein Council - Ward 7

Bill Bruton, City Manager

Doug Haynie, City Attorney

Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairperson Michelle Cooper Kelly called the meeting to order at 6:08 p.m.

BUSINESS:

20180580 FY2019 Tourism Grants

Presentation by the following tourism groups requesting consideration for a grant for FY2019.

The Earl Smith Strand Theatre

Friends of Brown Park

Cobb NAACP Juneteenth

GA Metro Dance Theatre

Georgia Symphony Orchestra

Marietta/Cobb Museum of Art

Marietta Museum of History

Marietta Square Branding Project

Old Zion Baptist Church Heritage Museum

The Georgia Ballet

Marietta Gone with the Wind Museum

City Staff Request - Vapor Wake Dog

City Staff Request - City Services

Marietta Business Association (Art in the Park)

My Next Big Adventure
Africa Heritage Foundation
Marietta Welcome Center
City Marketing Budget for Museums, etc.

Council Member Goldstein discloses that The Earl Smith Strand Theatre rents space owned by the Herbert S. Goldstein Family Limited Partnership which in turn is owned and managed by members of his family. Council Member Goldstein will not participate in any discussion or vote on this item in his official capacity as city council member.

Council Member Goldstein discloses that GA Metro Dance Theatre rents space owned by the PMG Whitlock Ave, LLC which in turn is owned and managed by his father, Philip M. Goldstein. Council Member Goldstein will not participate in any discussion or vote on this item in his official capacity as city council member.

Council Member Goldstein discloses that he is a member of the Cobb NAACP.

Council Member Goldstein discloses that he is on the board of the Marietta Welcome Center representing the City of Marietta.

Council member Goldstein stepped down for parts of the discussion.

Discussion was held regarding the submitted grants for the FY2019 budget year. Each organization made a brief presentation outlining upcoming events and fundraising efforts for the year.

Chairwoman Kelly mentioned that further discussion would be held during the next Parks, Recreation and Tourism Committee meeting.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

Approved: _____