



City of Marietta

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Meeting Minutes JUDICIAL/LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Philip M. Goldstein, Chairperson
Jim King
G. A. (Andy) Morris

Wednesday, August 29, 2012

Council Chamber

Immediately following the Parks, Recreation and Tourism Committee

Presiding: Philip M. Goldstein
Present: G. A. (Andy) Morris and Jim King

Also Present:

R. Steve Tumlin, Mayor
Annette Lewis, Council - Ward 1
Grif Chalfant, Council - Ward 2
Johnny Sinclair, Council - Ward 3
Rev. Anthony Coleman, Council - Ward 5
William F. Bruton, Jr., City Manager
Douglas R. Haynie, City Attorney
Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman Philip M. Goldstein called the meeting to order at 5:57 p.m.

MINUTES:

20120706 Regular Meeting - July 25, 2012

Review and approval of the July 25, 2012 regular meeting minutes.

A motion was made by Council member King, seconded by Council member Morris, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Vote: 3 - 0 - 0 Approved

BUSINESS:

20120835 Tom Samples, 30 Powers Ferry Manor SE

Request by city resident to speak regarding the approval of the Ordinance amending the City Code, Section 8-8-2-010 "Definitions" and 8-8-2-195 "Minors - Prohibited practices" passed by council at the August 8, 2012 Council Meeting.

Removed

20120532 Amendment to Code Section 6-4-010 Board of Lights and Water (BLW)

Consideration of the following amendment to Code Section 6-4-010 Board of Lights and Water (BLW):

The Board of Lights and Water ("BLW" and hereafter referred to as same) is authorized to build, maintain and operate a water system, sewer system, electrical system, cable television system, telecommunications system and any other utility system. For this purpose, the BLW shall have all powers now provided the BLW by general state law or the Marietta City Charter and all powers formerly vested in the city council for these purposes; provided, all official actions of the BLW shall become effective only upon minutes of the BLW "being received and filed" at the said following meeting of by the city council. Notwithstanding any other provision of the City Code, except for certain actions in the BLW minutes that the Council may deny by a affirmative vote consisting of five(5) positive votes to deny such action(s) with the denied actions being referred back to the BLW Board and the remaining items "received and filed".

Tabled

20120787 Memorandum of Agreement

Motion approving a Memorandum of Agreement involving the Marietta Police Department, Cobb County Police Department and the Georgia Department of Public Safety State Patrol to start handling the investigation of traffic crashes between the hours of 6 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. on Interstate 75, including its ramps, where it passes through Marietta and Cobb County.

The motion was made by Council member King, seconded by Council member Morris, that this matter be Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Vote: 3 - 0 - 0 Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda

20120803 Vision Statement

Discussion relative to the Vision Statement for the City of Marietta.

Discussion was held regarding the Vision Statement for the City. There was general agreement to add and item to the Council agenda to Reaffirm the Vision Statement for the City of Marietta.

The motion was made by Council member King, seconded by Council member Morris, that this matter be Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Vote: 3 - 0 - 0 Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda

20120814 Zoning Ordinance Section 710.04 Fences and Walls

Discussion of proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding Section 710.04 Fences and Walls.

Motion to authorize advertisement of proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding Section 710.04 Fences and Walls.

The motion was made by Council member King, seconded by Council member Morris, that this matter be Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Vote: 3 - 0 – 0 Recommended for Approval - Consent Agenda

20120815 Zoning Ordinance, Railroad, Zoning District

Discussion of proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding a RR, Railroad, zoning district.

Council member Goldstein disclosed that an entity that he owns leases a dock on the railroad right of way.

Discussion was held regarding a proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding a RR, Railroad, zoning district. Discussion was also held regarding a temporary moratorium on all sign and building permits in these areas.

This matter was referred to the Special Called City Council agenda.

Referred to the CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

20120819 Future Land Use Changes

Discussion of proposed Future Land Use changes in the Tower Road area.

Held in Committee

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

Approved: _____