City of Marietta

Meeting Minutes
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
Grif Chalfant, Chairman
Michelle Cooper Kelly, Vice Chair
Johnny Walker

Tuesday, January 26, 2021
Council Chamber

Presiding: Grif Chalfant
Present: Michelle Cooper Kelly and Johnny Walker

Also Present:
R. Steve Tumlin, Mayor
Cheryl Richardson, Council - Ward 1
Andy Morris, Council - Ward 4
Reggie Copeland, Council - Ward 5
Joseph R. Goldstein, Council - Ward 7
Bill Bruton, City Manager
Doug Haynie, City Attorney
Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman Chalfant called the meeting to order at 5:58 p.m.

MINUTES:

20210064 Regular Meeting - December 17, 2020

Review and approval of the December 17, 2020 regular meeting minutes.

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

Vote: 3 – 0 – 0 Approved

BUSINESS:

A request was made to add an item to the agenda regarding a speed study of Freyer Drive. There was general agreement that this item be added to the agenda.

20210122 Freyer Drive Speed Study

Motion authorizing Public Works to conduct the speed study of Freyer Drive, from Cherokee Street to Allgood Road, to determine if traffic calming devices are needed.
The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

20210081 2011 SPLOST TIP Summary
Discussion on the 2011 SPLOST TIP Summary.
Reported

20210082 2016 SPLOST TIP Summary
Discussion on the 2016 SPLOST TIP Summary.
Reported

20210083 Dec 2020 Public Works Departmental Performance Report
Discussion on the monthly activities of the Public Works Department.
Reported

20210084 Tom Read Drive Speed Study
Presentation of Speed Study Results on Tom Read Drive.

Motion authorizing Public Works to proceed with a public information meeting for speed tables on Tom Read Drive.

The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

20210085 Darien Way Speed Study
Presentation of Speed Study Results on Darien Way.

Motion authorizing the installation of a 4-way stop intersection at Darien Way and South Keller Woods Dr and with the posting of a lower speed limit to 25 MPH on Darien Way from Stewart Ave to Keeler Woods Dr.
The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

20210100 Roosevelt Circle and McIntosh Avenue Speed Study

Presentation of Speed Study on Roosevelt Circle and McIntosh Avenue.

*Motion authorizing Public Works to hold a public information meeting for speed tables and stop sign on Roosevelt Circle and McIntosh Avenue.*

The motion was made by Council member Walker, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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

20210086 Bouldercrest Drive Speed Study

Request for Speed Study on Bouldercrest Drive.

*Motion authorizing Public Works to conduct the speed study of Bouldercrest Drive, from Walnut Drive to Longstreet Drive, to determine if traffic calming devices are needed.*

The motion was made by Council member Walker, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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

20210099 Longstreet Drive and Hampton Place Stop Sign

Request for Stop Sign at Longstreet Drive and Hampton Place.

*Motion authorizing Public Works to create a 3-way stop at the intersection of Longstreet Drive and Hampton Place including a stop sign ahead sign and trimming of vegetation.*

The motion was made by Council member Walker, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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
20210105  Lockheed Avenue Street Parking

Consideration of a motion authorizing the installation of no parking signage on Lockheed Avenue.

Motion authorizing a no parking zone to be installed along both sides of Lockheed Avenue from South Marietta Parkway to Pine Forest Way.

The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

Council member Goldstein stepped down from the dais prior to the discussion related to AT&T Utilities.

20210087  AT&T Utilities - 1GW48036N-A

Consideration of a motion authorizing a variance from the Underground Utilities ordinance to allow the installation of fiber to be overlashed on existing fiber along Durham Street, Hazel Street, Whitlock Drive, Maxwell Avenue, Northcutt Street, McDonald Street, Rambo Place, North Hillcrest Drive, West Service Street, East Service Street, and South Woodland Drive. This motion does not grant a perpetual variance. AT&T must relocate underground at their expense if other utilities at these locations are moved underground.

Council Member Goldstein discloses that he and Philip M. Goldstein combined own more than $10,000 of stock in AT&T. Philip M. Goldstein is the father of Council Member Goldstein.

The motion was made by Council member Walker, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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

20210088  AT&T Utilities - 1GW48036N-B

Consideration of a motion authorizing a variance from the Underground Utilities ordinance to allow the installation of fiber to be overlashed on existing fiber along South Woodland Drive, Chinquapin Drive, Chestnut Drive, Walnut Drive, Hickory Drive, West Club Drive, and Redwood Drive. This motion does not grant a perpetual variance. AT&T must relocate underground at their expense if other utilities at these locations are moved underground.

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The motion was made by Council member Chalfant, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

20210089

AT&T Utilities - 1GW48044N

Consideration of a motion authorizing a variance from the Underground Utilities ordinance to allow the installation of fiber to be over lashed on existing fiber along Northcutt Street to Maxwell Avenue and then west to 247 Maxwell Avenue down to the new Fiber Distribution Cabinet. This motion does not grant a perpetual variance. AT&T must relocate underground at their expense if other utilities at these locations are moved underground.

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The motion was made by Council member Walker, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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

20210090

AT&T Utilities - 1GW81012N

Consideration of a motion authorizing a variance from the Underground Utilities ordinance to allow the installation of fiber to be over lashed on existing fiber along Scufflegrit Road, starting at Holcomb Lake Road, for 240 feet. This motion does not grant a perpetual variance. AT&T must relocate underground at their expense if other utilities at these locations are moved underground.

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

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20210091

AT&T Utilities - 1GW81017N

Consideration of a motion authorizing a variance from the Underground Utilities ordinance to allow the installation of fiber to be over lashed on existing fiber along Ross Road, starting at Sandy Plains Road, for 262 feet. This motion does
not grant a perpetual variance. AT&T must relocate underground at their expense if other utilities at these locations are moved underground.

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The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

Council member Goldstein returned to the dais.

Memorandum of Agreement with the Cobb County Soil and Water Conservation District

Consideration of motion approving a Memorandum of Agreement with the Cobb County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Motion authorizing the execution of the Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Marietta and the Cobb County Soil and Water Conservation District.

The motion was made by Council member Kelly, seconded by Council member Walker, 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

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

Approved: ________________