

TOWN OF WILLIAMSTON

Regular Meeting

October 7, 2019

Meeting Minutes

(All newspapers were informed of this meeting in compliance with the guidelines set forth in the Freedom of Information Act)

1. Call to Order

Mayor Durham called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. All members of Council were present.

2. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance

Chief Taylor led the invocation, and Mayor Durham led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Councilman Hagood to accept the September 9, 2019 minutes as presented. The motion was seconded by Councilman Alexander. Everyone voted in favor.

4. Public Comments

No public comments.

5. Presentations

Chief Taylor gave a monthly update to the Council on the police department. Community liaison, Debbie Chapman, gave a report to Council on Code Enforcement for the month.

6. Resolution Accepting RFP's for ARC Initiative

A motion was made by Councilman Burgess to accept the resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. After some discussion between Councilman Burgess and Mayor Durham the vote passed with everyone voting in favor.

7. Resolution Amending Municipal Center Fee Schedule and Rules for Usage

A motion was made by Mayor Durham to accept the resolution as written. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. After discussion, Councilman Alexander made a motion to amend number ten on the Rules for Usage page to say "Town of Williamston" instead of "Williamston Police Department, and to replace "Police Chief" with "Mayor". The motion

was seconded by Councilman Burgess. Everyone voted in favor. Councilman Alexander then made a motion to add that the Mayor would decide whether an event must have security if alcohol was served, since the first paragraph was removed from the usage fee schedule page. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. The vote passed with Councilman Hagood and Councilman Harvell opposing. A motion was then made by Councilman Burgess to pass the resolution with the amendments. Councilman Hagood seconded the motion. Everyone voted in favor.

8. Adjourn

Councilman Burgess made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Harvell. Everyone voted in favor.

DR. R. MACK DURHAM, MAYOR

MICHELLE STARNES, CLERK / TREASURER