

City Council Synopsis, June 27, 2024

Mayor West called the meeting to order at 6:30PM, June 27, 2024. Those in attendance were, Nick Sears, Monty Parks, Spec Hosti, Kathryn Williams, Tony Ploughe and Bill Garbett. Also attending were Michelle Owens, Interim City Manager; Bubba Hughes, City Attorney, Tracy O'Connell, City Attorney; and Jan LeViner, Clerk of Council.

Opening Ceremonies

Call to Order
Invocation: Sheron Burgess
Pledge of Allegiance

Consideration of Items for Consent Agenda

- Minutes: Special Meeting, June 12, 2024
- Minutes: City Council Meeting, June 13, 2024
- Agreement with Public Consulting Group LLC – Fire Department Needs Assessment

Interim City Manager Michelle Owens gave an updated on the Action Item List.

Spec Hosti made a motion to approve the consent agenda. **Monty Parks seconded.** Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Public Hearings

Third Reading and Adoption of the Proposed Millage Rate. Monty Parks made a motion to approve as presented **Kathryn Williams seconded.** Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Second Reading and Adoption Proposed FY2025 Budget. Monty Parks made a motion to approve. **Nick Sears seconded.** Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Consideration of Ordinances, Resolutions

Second Reading 2024-09, Tech Fee. Monty Parks made a motion to approve. **Spec Hosti** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Second Reading 2024-06, Sec 3-110(c) Temporary use of recreational vehicles on private property for dwelling purposes. Kathryn Williams made a motion to approve. **Nick Sears** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Second Reading 2024-09 FY25 Operating Budget. Monty Parks made a motion to approve. **Bill Garbett** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Second Reading 2024-10 FY25 Capital Budget. Monty Parks made a motion to approve. **Tony Ploughe** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve.

Council, Officials and City Attorney Considerations and Comments

- **Kathryn Williams**
 - Solomon Avenue Dust Issue. City Manager to meeting with residents to hear their concerns.
 - Meeting with GDOT, GPS and Chatham County to discuss safety/traffic flow improvements at US HWY 80 and Bull River
 - Establish set dates and times for monthly public safety and infrastructure meetings
- **Monty Parks**
 - Consideration of re-establishing non-voting council representative on Visit Tybee Board of Directors and recommendation.

- **Tony Ploughe:**

- Public update with Port Authority regarding two recent ships/wake
- South-end Sand Bar signage
- Savannah River side North Beach: Oyster bed sign and ship wake signs

Monty Parks made a motion to adjourn to Executive Session to discuss litigation and personnel. **Kathryn Williams** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Monty Parks made a motion to return to regular session. **Spec Hosti** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve.

Spec Hosti made a motion to adjourn. **Bill Garbett** seconded. Vote was unanimous to approve, 6-0.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:10PM.

Janet LeViner, MMC
Clerk of Council