

City of Varnell Council Meeting Minutes September 15, 2020

Members Present: Council Members: Mayor, Tom Dickson Bill Caylor, Mayor Pro Tem Richard Lowe, Clyde Williams Sandy Pangle

City Administrator: Mike Brown City Clerk: Pam Garrison

Executive Duties

The City Council meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm and a quorum was confirmed by Mayor Tom Dickson. The invocation was given by Pastor Chris Mullis, Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church. Mayor Dickson led the pledge of allegiance.

City Administrator, Mike Brown stated that the Storm Water Audit for the City of Varnell was completed this month. The 2021 Business License and Alcohol will be mailed out to those businesses within the City of Varnell beginning in November 2020 for the local owners to have them in place before the new year begins.

Farmers Market will end for the season the last of September.

Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Mayor Pro Tem Bill Caylor to approve the financials for August 2020 and minutes for August 18, 2020 meeting. The motion was seconded by Councilman Clyde Williams and was carried unanimously.

New Business

Public Safety Committee report was presented by Councilman Clyde Williams (see attached). Chief Kyle Moreno stated that the order has been placed for the new police vest with expected arrival date within a couple of weeks.

A motion was made by Councilman Clyde Williams to adopt Resolution 09-20 to Assume, Approve and Adopt the lease to purchase the property and the facilities that house the Varnell Post Office. The motion was seconded by Councilman Sandy Pangle and carried unanimously.

Ordinance 08-20B regarding the use of face mask was brought before the Council. However, no motions were made after brief discussions. Therefore, the ordinance was tabled.

The meeting was opened for public comment with the only comment being a thank you for allowing Varnell citizens the opportunity to decide yes or no if they prefer to wear a mask out in the public.

There being no further business, Councilman Bill Caylor made a motion for meeting to adjourn with a second by Councilman Clyde Williams. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Pam Garrison City Clerk