

The Mayor and Council of the City of Colquitt met in regular session on Tuesday, December 12, 2017, at 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Complex, 154 West Street, Colquitt, GA 39837.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Jimmy Phillips, Mayor
KaCee Holt, Council (via telephone, then came in late)
ReCarlos Williams, Council (came in late)
Algin Merritt, Council
George Williams, Council

STAFF PRESENT:

Cory Thomas, City Manager
Craig Tully, Fire Chief/Public Works Division Director
Emanuel Haire, Public Works Director
Jennifer Moore, Probation Manager
Hollis Smith, Police Chief
Winston Trively, Golf Course Manager

OPENING PRAYER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

ACTION ITEMS

Minutes: On motion of G. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to approve the minutes of November 14, 2017.

Zoning Minutes: On motion of G. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to approve Zoning minutes of November 27, 2017.

Public Hearing Minutes: On motion of Merritt and second of G. Williams, Council unanimously voted to approve the public hearing minutes of December 7, 2017.

Resolution-Apply for CDBG: On motion of G. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to apply for CDBG.

Resolution-Local Match CDBG: This has been placed on the table until the next regular Council meeting.

Discussion-Council Retirement: On motion of G. Williams and second of R. Williams, Council voted to approve retirement for Mayor and Council.

Adopt Colquitt Municipal Court Outstanding Fines Collections: On motion of G. Williams and second of R. Williams, Council unanimously voted to adopt a TRIP program for outstanding fine collection.

Merritt Park Discussion: There was general discussion on this topic. It was brought to the Mayor and Council's attention that the letter sent to the County regarding this topic was turned down.

T-Splot Discussion: There was general discussion on this topic.

RDF Grant/Old School Property Discussion: There was general discussion on this topic.

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Approval of 2017 Alcohol License: On motion of R. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to approve the following:

Crooked Oak, Beer and Wine, On Premise
Circle K, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
Ron Cam, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
Petro, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
Red's Liquors, Beer, Wine, Liquor, Off Premise
Miller Food Mart, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
Rite Aid, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
T.K.'s, Beer and Wine, On Premise
Dollar General, Beer and Wine, Off Premise
Mike's Country Store, Beer and Wine, Off Premise

Approve Striping on Square: On motion of G. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to approve striping on the square by Mike Floyd who had the lowest bid of \$3700.

Executive Session: On motion of Merritt and second of G. Williams, Council unanimously voted to go into executive session.

Close Executive Session: On motion of R. Williams and second of Merritt, Council unanimously voted to close executive session.

CONSENT ITEMS

**Fire Department/Public Works Department
Police Department/Probation
Golf Club
Recreation**

On motion of R. Williams and second of G. Williams, Council unanimously voted to approve the Department Reports for the month of November 2017.

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT: Cory Thomas, City Manager, had nothing further to report.

MAYOR/COUNCIL DISCUSSION: The Mayor and Council discussed the following: (1) Blighted Ordinance; (2) Grow Trailer Park

ADJOURNMENT: On motion of G. Williams and second of R. Williams, Council adjourned.

CITY CLERK

MAYOR