



CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mayor John J. Lampl II
Mayor Pro Tem Van T. Tran
Councilwoman Dorothy Dean
Councilwoman Renee S. Knight
Councilman Khoa Vuong

May 25, 2021 Regular Meeting Minutes

Mayor John J. Lampl II called the Regular Council Meeting of the Morrow City Council to order at 8:47 pm on May 25, 2021. The meeting took place in the Council Chambers of the Morrow Municipal Complex located at: 1500 Morrow Rd, Morrow, and GA 30260.

Mayor John Lampl, Councilwoman Dorothy Dean, Councilwoman Renee Knight and Councilman Khoa Vuong were present for the meeting in person. **Mayor Pro Tem Van Tran** was present via Digital Conference.

Mayor Lampl asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a moment of silent reflection.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The approval of the minutes for the May 11, 2021 Regular Meeting and Work Session was deferred until the next meeting.

2. NEW BUSINESS:

No new Business

3. ORDINANCES:

1. First Reading Ordinance 2021-07

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4, PUBLIC SAFETY. CHAPTER 2. FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION, SECTION 4-2-10, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MORROW, AND TO AMEND TITLE 3 FINANCE; CHAPTER 4



SCHEDULE OF FEES; SECTION 3-4-1; TO PROTECT THE CITY FROM EXTRAORDINARY EXPENSES RESULTING FROM THE UTILIZATION OF CITY RESOURCES IN RESPONSE TO CERTAIN PUBLIC SAFETY, FIRE, OR EMERGENCY INCIDENTS OR CONDITIONS, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE IMPOSITION OF CHARGES AND THE METHODS FOR COLLECTION FOR RECOVERING REASONABLE AND ACTUAL COSTS INCURRED IN RESPONDING TO SUCH INCIDENTS OR CONDITIONS.; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

4. GENERAL COMMENTS:

There were no comments at this time.

5. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

MOTION AND VOTE: Mayor Lampl called for a motion to reconvene the Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. Councilman Vuong made the motion, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Tran. The motion passed unanimously and the Executive Session was reconvened at 8:50 pm.

MOTION AND VOTE: Mayor Lampl called for a motion to adjourn the Executive Session and reconvene the Regular Meeting. Mayor Pro Tem Tran made the motion, seconded by Councilman Vuong. The motion passed unanimously and the Regular Meeting was reconvened at 10:40 pm.

6. GENERAL COMMENTS:

Mayor Lampl announced some upcoming issues for Council's consideration:

1. The need for the city to mail out a notice to citizens explaining the Homestead exemption error from the Clayton County Tax Office.
2. The consideration to increase the Homestead Exemption to 200K from 150K.
3. The need to consider updates to Ordinances or implementation of a program to help educate the public on the necessary maintenance required for residential sprinkler systems.

7. ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Lampl adjourned the May 25, 2021, Regular Meeting at 10:54pm.

Approved this 8th day of June 2021.



Attest

City of Morrow, GA



Markeeta Lee, City Clerk



John J. Lampl II, Mayor

NOTICE: City Council Work Sessions and Council Meetings will be held in the Council Chambers. The meeting is open to the public, and any interested party is encouraged to attend. Work Session starts at 6:30pm (unless called at 5:30 by Mayor Lampl) and operates until the regular council meeting begins at 7:30pm or later. Council will CONTINUE THE WORK SESSION AFTER the regular council meeting and it will last as long as required to conduct the business of the city.