



Mayor and Council Meeting Business Session Minutes March 25, 2013 7PM

The Riverdale Mayor and City Council met on March 25, 2013 at 7:30PM for the purpose of conducting a Business Session. The meeting was held in the Council Chambers at City Hall located at 7200 Church Street, Riverdale, Georgia 30274.

Call to Order and Welcome

With a quorum present, Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon called the meeting to order at 7:30PM.

ROLL CALL:

All members of the governing body were present at the meeting at 7:30PM.

INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Invocation & Pledge was led by Pastor Harry Riley, Lakewin Christian Center.

OFFICER IN ARMS TO READ RULES OF CONDUCT:

Rules of Conduct read by Officer L. Stevenson.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA WITH ANY ADDITIONS/DELETIONS:

The following amendments were made to the agenda:

Addition(s): None.

Deletion(s): None.

Tabled: None.

Postponed: None.

Motion: Council Member An'cel Davis moved to approve the agenda as published. Council Member Wanda Wallace offered the second. The measure was approved unanimously by a vote of 4/0.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Adoption of the March 14, 2013 Mayor and Council Meeting Minutes.

Motion: Council Member Wanda Wallace moved the consent agenda for approval. Council Member An'cel Davis offered the second. The measure was approved unanimously by a vote of 4/0.

PUBLIC COMMENT(S):

Mr. Andre Netterville, 7105 Rudder Hill Dr., Riverdale, GA, 30296, came before Mayor/Council to inform them that he would no longer be able to attend the council meetings because his family's business will be closing. He further explained that because he was not a resident within the city limits and could not exercising voting power he would not be in attendance.

Mayor Dixon commended Mr. Netterville and his wife for their commitment to the business of the City.

RESOLUTION(S):

RESOLUTION NO. 08-03-2013 Georgia Municipal Association– Appointment of City Attorney
A RESOLUTION OF THE RIVERDALE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS HEREBY APPOINTING DALEY, KOSTER & LAVALLE TO SERVE AS THE RIVERDALE CITY ATTORNEY BEGINNING APRIL 1, 2013 UNTIL THE FIRST MEETING IN JANUARY 2014 WHEN THE COUNCIL APPOINTS UPCOMING APPOINTED OFFICIALS, INCLUDING THE CITY ATTORNEY; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Mayor Dixon called for questions and comments from members of the governing body.

Council Member Stamps-Jones had no comment.

Council Member Davis had no comment.

Council Member Wallace had no comment.

Council Member Ruffin asked if a representative from Daley, Koster and LaValle was present.

Motion: Council Member Wanda Wallace moved to approve the resolution. Council Member An'cel Davis moved to second the motion. **Resolution No. 08-03-2013** was approved by a vote of 3/1; Council Member Ruffin dissented.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENT(S):

Council Member Cynthia Stamps-Jones

Council Member Stamps-Jones thanked everyone for attending. She called Fire Chief, Brenda Willis, to the front to give an update about the H.E.R.O. health initiative which will be featured on Fox 5 News. Chief Willis gave a brief explanation of goals and objectives of the program.

Council Member Stamps-Jones thanked Mr. Netterville for his support. She then thanked City Manager, Iris Jessie, for her service to the community during her tenure.

Council Member An'cel Davis

Council Member Davis thanked the audience for attending. He thanked Fire Services for the H.E.R.O. initiative. He also thanked Ms. Jessie and Insley & Race, LLC. for their service to the City.

Council Member Wanda Wallace

Council Member Wanda Wallace thanked everyone for attending the meeting. She thanked the pastors for their support and agreeing to serve as city chaplains. She also thanked Ms. Jessie and Insley race, as well as Riverdale Fire Services.

Council Member Kenneth Ruffin

Council Member Ruffin highlighted some of the achievements of Ms. Iris Jessie during her tenure with the City and thanked her for her service.

Mayor Evelyn Wynn Dixon

Mayor Evelyn Wynn Dixon thanked everyone for attending the meeting. She announced the annual Easter Egg Hunt being sponsored by the City, Saturday, March 29, 2013. She announced that the Service Delivery Strategy (SDS) and Local Option Sales Tax (LOST) was approved. Mayor Dixon also said that the City was moving forward with bringing public transportation to the City of Riverdale. Mayor Dixon thanked Ms. Jessie and Insley & Race, LLC., for to the important contributions they made to the City.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn by Council Member Wanda Wallace; second offered by Council Member An'cel Davis, and after a unanimous vote, the meeting adjourned at 7:30PM.