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WELCOME TO THE MAYOR & COUNCIL
MEETING OF THE CITY OF RIVERDALE
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**CITY OF RIVERDALE
MAYOR & COUNCIL
BUSINESS SESSION MEETING
MONDAY, MARCH 26, 2018 | 7:28 PM**

The Honorable Mayor Evelyn Wynn Dixon

The Honorable Cynthia Stamps-Jones
The Honorable Wanda Wallace

The Honorable An’cel Davis
The Honorable Kenneth Ruffin

City Manager:
City Clerk:
City Attorney:

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1. **CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME:** The Honorable Mayor Evelyn Wynn Dixon.
2. **ROLL CALL- CITY CLERK:** All Members of Council were present, which constituted a quorum.

Attendee’s Name	Title	Absent	Present
Evelyn Wynn-Dixon	Mayor, At-Large		X
Cynthia Stamps-Jones	Council Member, Ward 1		X
An’cel Davis	Council Member, Ward 2		X
Wanda Wallace	Council Member, Ward 3 Mayor Pro-Tem		X
Kenneth Ruffin	Council Member, Ward 4 Parliamentarian		X

3. **INVOCATION:** Provided by Pastor Riley.
4. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Recited in unison.
5. **RULES OF CONDUCT READ BY OFFICER IN ARMS:** Provided by Sergeant Courtney Brown.
6. **PRESENTATIONS:**
 1. Proclamation recognizing Sergeant Bobby Mcdougal

The Proclamation for Sergeant Bobby Mcdougal was read into the record by City Clerk, Sylvia Vaughan.

Proclamation of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Riverdale Georgia recognizing

Bobby Mcdougal

Staff Sergeant, United States Army

Whereas: SSG. Bobby R. Mcdougle is a 10-year career professional of the U.S. Army. He has been awarded the Army Commendation Medal with a two Oak Leaf Cluster, an Army Achievement Medal with a one Oak Leaf Cluster, the Army Good Conduct Medal with three knots, a Combat Action Badge as well as the Recruiter Service Badge.

Whereas: Mr. Mcdougle is currently recruiting within the City of Riverdale and he is a staple in the community. He has supported the City of Riverdale Town Center Events and activities for the past two years.

Whereas: Mr. Mcdougal donated an American flag to the coordinators of the City's Veterans Initiatives, Mr. Gary Fambrough an Army Veteran Military Spouse Avis Jackson for the Cultural Affairs Department.

Now Therefore: I, Dr. Evelyn Wynn Dixon, Mayor of Riverdale, Georgia and Council Members Cynthia Stamps-Jones, An'cel Davis, Kenneth Ruffin, and Wanda Wallace, do here by congratulate Staff Sergeant Bobby R. Mcdougle on his new orders to relocate to Fort Carson, Colorado. We appreciate your commitment to the community and we thank you for yours service.

In witness whereof: I have here unto set my hand on this 26 Day of March and have caused the Official Seal of the Great City of Riverdale, to be affixed hereto.

7. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA WITH ANY ADDITIONS/DELETIONS:

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve the agenda with the following additions: Waterline and deletions:

Addition(s):

- Agenda item no. 10-1. Approval to discontinue the Waterline Service

Deletion(s):

- Agenda item no. 10-4. Approval of no Parking in the Villages of Bridlewood Subdivision along Horseshoe Bend Road

Council Member Ruffin provided the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS: (3 MINUTE LIMIT) SEE BLUE CARD FOR RULES OF PARTICIPATION

1. Michelle Bruce, 618 Roy Huie Road, Riverdale, GA 30274, spoke on the improper use of city credit cards. She also expressed concerns that she has regarding certain credit card transactions.
2. Marian Buck-Stallworth, 6860 Tara Oaks Dr., Riverdale, Georgia, 30274, spoke on the importance of having the Mayors Homeless Brunch. She itemized on how helpful the Brunch is to woman in the Riverdale community.
3. Mary LaSonde, 6844 Tara Oaks Dr., Riverdale, Georgia, 30274, complemented Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon on the Mayor's Homeless Brunch. She also spoke on concerns regarding vandalism, and a young man that comes from the Skate Park into her community. Ms. LaSonde thanked Chief Spivey for putting up no trespassing signs and having officers on patrol.

9. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES: Meeting Minutes of February 26, 2018 Work Session and Business Session

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve the Meeting Minutes of February 26, 2018 Work and Business Session. Council Member Ruffin provided the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

10. AGENDA ITEMS:

1. APPROVAL OF DONATIONS FOR THE MAYORS HOMELESS BRUNCH

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve the donations for the Mayors Homeless Brunch. Council Member Ruffin provided the second. **The motion carried,** with Councilmembers Wallace, Davis and Ruffin voting "Yes." Councilmember Stamps-Jones voted "no."

2. APPROVAL OF ORDINANCE NO. 1 MODEL SOIL EROSION, SEDIMENTATION AND POLLUTION CONTROL

Council Member Wallace made a motion to approve the City Seal with the following addition:

Addition: Add a slogan

Council Member Wallace rescinded her motion and made a motion to table Ordinance No. 1 Model Soil Erosion, Sedimentation, and Pollution. Council Member Ruffin provided a second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

3. APPROVAL TO ADOPT A NEW CITY SEAL

Council Member Wanda Wallace made a motion to table the City Seal until the next meeting. Council Member Davis provided a second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

4. APPROVAL OF NO PARKING IN THE VILLAGES OF BRIDLEWOOD SUBDIVISION ALONG HORSESHOE BEND ROAD

This Item was deleted from the agenda.

5. APPROVAL TO DISCONTINUE THE WATERLINE SERVICES

Council Member Wallace made a motion to postpone this item until the Attorney Wiggins can review. Council Member Davis provided second. The motion carried unanimously.

11. ADJOURNMENT:

Council Member Davis made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:03 pm. Council Member Wallace provided the second. **The motion carried.**

Mayor Evelyn Wynn-Dixon

City Clerk Sylvia Vaughan