

PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL CITY OF SNELLVILLE, GEORGIA MONDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2021

Present: Mayor Barbara Bender, Mayor Pro Tem Dave Emanuel, Council Members Cristy Lenski, Gretchen Schulz, and Solange Destang. (Council Member Tod Warner was absent.). Also present Planning and Development Director Jason Thompson, Lt. Trey Downs, Public Information Officer Brian Arrington, and City Clerk Melisa Arnold. (City Manager Butch Sanders, Assistant City Manager Matt Pepper, and Chief Greg Perry were absent.)

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bender called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Joan Murray gave the invocation.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

Representative Rebecca Mitchell led the Pledge of Allegiance.

CEREMONIAL MATTERS

Administer Oath to Snellville Youth Commission Members

Council Member Lenski recognized the following people:

Youth Advisory Board Members: Holli Donegan, Charlene Fletcher, Marcus Huff, Angela Mahdi, Chris O'Donoghue, Reggie Pease, Lisa Porter and new SYC Outreach Coordinator Natilee Brown Van.

Youth Commission Members:

Grayson High School: Gbemi Adeleye and Chantia Fletcher.

Shiloh High School: Jasmine Kline, Ruth Lonse, Rebecca Araia, Hannah Ariyibi, Kristian Bettis, Michelle Edwards, Hanna Elias, Kelis Herndon, Cing Kim, Kiriah Lovett, Amyrah Moody, Hamylton Porter, LaBella Rose Saunders, Aniyah Smith, Tyler Trice, Bianca Warren and Firdows Abdulwahab.

South Gwinnett High School: Chloe Brown, Destiny Hill, Georjia Howard, Narjise Koko, Destiny Lewis, Kyla Pease and DeAnna Smith.

Mayor Bender administered the Oath to the Youth Commission Members.

MINUTES

Approve the Minutes of October 11, 2021 Meetings

Council Member Destang made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 11, 2021 meetings, 2nd by Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved.

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INVITED GUESTS

Mr. D.A. Williams & Dr. Alexis Williams, SGHS PTSA President & Vice President Mr. and Mrs. Williams spoke and introduced the South Gwinnett High School Cheerleaders who performed for the Mayor and Council.

COMMITTEE / DEPARTMENT REPORTS

None

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, 2nd by Council member Destang; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved.

PUBLIC HEARING

2nd Reading - ANX 21-02 LUP 21-05 RZ 21-05 - Consideration and Recommendation on Applications by Scenic Pointe, LLC (Applicant) The Lillian Margene Moulder Trust (Property Owner) Requesting: 1) Annexation To The Municipal Boundary Of The City Of Snellville, Georgia; 2) To Amend The Snellville 2040 Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map To Commercial Retail; 3) To Amend The Official Zoning Map To BG (General Business) District; And 4) Request For Variances From The Unified Development Ordinance For The 8.93± Site Tract Located At 1498 Scenic Highway, Snellville For A Mixed Retail, Commercial, Office Subdivision Development (Tax Parcel 5074 007)

Planning and Development Director Thompson advised that the applicant has asked for a postponement to November 8th so they can address concerns raised at the Planning Commission Meeting.

Council Member Lenski made a motion to postpone ANX 21-02 LUP 21-05 and RZ 21-05 to the November 8, 2021 meeting for the second reading and public hearing, 2nd by Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved.

2nd Reading - UDO 21-01 - Consideration And Recommendation On Amendments To The Text Of The Unified Development Ordinance For The City Of Snellville, Georgia ("UDO"), Adopted 10-26-2020 To Amend: Definitions, Article 2 Of Chapter 100, General Provisions; Towne Center Overlay District, Article 5 And Use Provisions, Article 6 Of Chapter 200, Zoning And Land Use

Planning and Development Director Thompson gave an overview of the proposed amendments to the UDO. He advised any current applications will be grandfathered in under the current ordinance.

Mayor Bender opened the floor for public comment and no one came forward.

Council Member Schulz made a motion to approve UDO 21-01, 2nd by Council Member Lenski; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved.

CONSENT AGENDA

None

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OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

2nd Reading - Consideration and Action on Amendment to Article II Noise Control, Division 1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City Of Snellville to be Consistent with those of Gwinnett County, to Repeal Conflicting Ordinances, and for Other Purposes [Schulz]

Council Member Schulz gave a brief overview of the ordinance changes and why they were being proposed.

Council Member Schulz made a motion to approve the amendment to Article II Noise Control, Division 1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City Of Snellville (ORD 2021-19), 2nd by Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved.

COUNCIL REPORTS

Council Members Destang, Lenski, Schulz and Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel gave a report.

MAYOR'S REPORT

None

PUBLIC COMMENTS

The following people came forward: Kurt Schulz, 2027 Tanglewood Drive, Snellville Matt Yarbrough, 4778 Pastry Lane, Acworth Rebecca Mitchell, 3332 Crossing Drive, Snellville Vicky Warren, 2242 Westridge Drive, Snellville Gaye Bruce, 1710 Woodberry Run Drive, Snellville

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Council Member Destang; voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved. The meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Barbara Bender, Mayor

Melisa Arnold, City Clerk