

WORK SESSION OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL CITY OF SNELLVILLE, GEORGIA MONDAY, MAY 23, 2022

Present: Mayor Barbara Bender, Mayor Pro Tem Dave Emanuel, Council Members Solange Destang, Cristy Lenski, and Tod Warner. (Council Member Gretchen Schulz was absent.) Also present City Manager Butch Sanders, Assistant City Manager Matthew Pepper, City Attorney Chuck Ross and Jay Crowley with Powell and Edwards Attorneys at Law, Chief Greg Perry, Planning and Development Director Jason Thompson, Parks and Recreation Director Lisa Platt, and City Clerk Melisa Arnold.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bender called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

REVIEW REGULAR BUSINESS MEETINGS AND PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA ITEMS

The agendas were reviewed and discussed. Planning Director Thompson advised Council that new documents in the RZ 22-03 LUP 22-03 SUP 22-04 case from Manor Lake Development had been emailed out earlier in the day and addressed some concerns over the application.

REVIEW CORRESPONDENCE

None

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT

None

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Update of Ongoing Projects [Bender]

City Manager Sanders gave an update on the Towne Center along with other City projects.

Discussion of Invocation Scheduling [Bender]

Council Member Destang asked about residents doing the invocation at meetings. After discussion consensus was that Council Member Destang would handle the invocation and Pledge.

Special Purpose Local Options Sales Tax (SPLOST) Discussion [Bender]

City Manager Sanders explained that the City needed to have categories ready for discussion with Gwinnett County. He advised the City's' portion of the FY-2023 SPLOST should be around \$28,528,840 and presented an allocation list for Mayor and Council to consider as follows:

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- 1. Transportation (Roads, Streets, Bridges, Sidewalks, etc) \$6,000,000
- 2. General Obligation Debt Retirement \$10,000,000
- 3. Capital Projects Recreation \$10,000,000
- 4. Capital Projects Water and Sewer \$2,528,840

The Gwinnett County proposed meeting schedule for SPLOST discussions and the signing of the agreement was discussed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

None

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Pro Tem Emanuel made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Council Member Destang.

Council Member Warner asked about the FY 2023 Budget. Mayor Bender advised that City Manager Sanders would review the budget in the Council Meeting and asked Council to consider a fee for the residential sanitation services.

The motion to adjourn was voted 5 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved. The meeting adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Barbara Bender, Mayor

Melisa Arnold, City Clerk