

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL CITY OF SNELLVILLE, GEORGIA FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021

Present: Mayor Barbara Bender, Council Members Cristy Lenski, Gretchen Schulz, and Tod Warner. (Mayor Pro Tem Dave Emanuel joined via conference call at 4 p.m. and Council Member Solange Destang joined via conference call at 4:23 p.m.) Also present City Manager Butch Sanders, City Attorney Chuck Ross and Attorney Jay Crowley with Powell and Edwards Attorneys at Law, Public Information Officer Brian Arrington, and City Clerk Melisa Arnold.

At 4:08 p.m. Mayor Bender started with a general description of what had happened to date regarding the Tax Commissioner's proposal.

CALL TO ORDER

Council Member Lenski arrived at 4:10 p.m. at which point Mayor Bender announced a quorum was present and called the meeting to order.

Discussion of Gwinnett County Tax Commissioner Proposal [Bender]

Mayor Bender explained what had occurred with negotiations regarding the Tax Commissioner's proposal which would include a \$2 per parcel charge that would be paid directly to the Commissioner as an addition to her salary. She talked about other cities who were participating in the negotiations. Further discussion was held about which option would be best for the City. Consensus was that Mayor and Council were in favor of the actual billing cost charged by Gwinnett County but they did not want to pay the per parcel charge to the Commissioner. Due to legislation pending the Governor's signature and possible future negotiations it was decided that no action would be taken right away.

ADJOURNMENT

Council Member Schulz made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Council Member Warner; voted 4 in favor and 0 opposed, motion approved. The meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Barbara Bender, Mayor

Melisa Arnold, City Clerk