



MAYOR
Doug Haynie

COUNCIL MEMBERS
Cindy Bone
Jenny Buley
Denise Black
Tom Hays
Ron Smith

Approved Minutes
ARCADE CITY COUNCIL MEETING
October 9, 2023
7:00 P.M., CITY HALL
AGENDA

ORDER OF BUSINESS:

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Doug Haynie
2. **ROLL CALL:** Mayor; Council Members Ron Smith, Cindy Bone, Jenny Buley, Denise Black, Tom Hays
 Also present: City Administrator Kila Quigley and Attorney Jody Campbell
3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** led by Mayor Haynie
4. **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:**
 - a. September 11, 2023- City Council Meeting

Motion made by Council Member Cindy Bone to approve the unapproved minutes of the City Council Meeting, September 11, 2023, with an amendment under number 7 letter C to reflect that Tom Hays abstained from the vote.

Seconded by Council Member: Tom Hays

Passed: Unanimously

5. **REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES:**

- a. Audit/Finance..... Council Member C. Bone

Cindy provided the financial report for the month of **September** as follows:

1. Admin.:	Rev.'s:	\$16,455	YTD: \$115,117
	Exp.'s:	\$14,630	YTD: \$45,804
	Net Bal.:	\$31,084	YTD: \$160,921
2. Park/Roads:	Rev.'s:	\$ 0.00	
	Exp.'s:	\$2,358	YTD: \$73,640
3. PD:	Rev.'s:	\$-18,788	YTD: \$21,821
	Exp.'s:	\$3,560	YTD: \$18,958
	Net Bal.:	\$15,227	YTD: \$40,778

The 2023 General Fund Operating Budget by the end of September had a Net Balance of \$18,215 and a Year-To-Date balance of \$275,339.

1. SPLOST 6-September:

Net Bal.	\$ 376	YTD: \$6,918
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b. Legal..... Council Member R. Smith

Council Member Ron Smith reported that there was no legal activity for the Month of September.

c. Parks/Roads/Grounds..... Council Member T. Hays

Council Member Tom Hays reported that the parks and roads department has been working on marking roads for upcoming LMIG projects.

d. Social Media..... Council Member J. Buley

Council Member Jenny Buley reported that they have started advertising for the upcoming Oct. 28th movie in the park event.

e. Special Events..... Council Member D. Black

Council Member Denise Black also reported that we are just preparing for the movie event and that after that we will start preparing for the December Christmas event.

f. Police Department.....Chief Mike Adams

Chief Mike Adams provided the statistical report for the Month of September. He also shared that the Police Department will be participating in the Harvest Festival on Oct. 21, 2023, at the Jackson County AG Facility which will include a Trunk or Treat for the kids for Halloween. Finally, he recognized Kila Quigley and Stephanie Johnson and shared that the Municipal Court received the Clearance Rate Excellence Award for 2022. This award recognizes the top 10% of courts in each class of court that demonstrates exceptional performance in maintaining clearance rates, a key indicator of a court's ability to effectively manage its caseload.

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

7. NEW BUSINESS:

a. City of Ethics Recertification Resolution

Motion made by Council Member Ron Smith to approve and sign the City of Ethics Recertification Resolution.

Seconded by Council Member: Jenny Buley

Passed: Unanimously

- b.** Nill Ratendra Shah Requesting a Business License to operate ***Aansh2616 Inc. dba. Bulldog Package*** is located at 2616 Athens Hwy., Jefferson, GA 30549.

Motion made by Council Member Ron Smith to approve the business license request from Nill Ratendra Shah to operate ***Aansh2616 Inc. dba. Bulldog Package*** at 2616 Athens Hwy., Jefferson, GA 30549 in compliance with all LUMC and City Ordinances.

Seconded by Council Member: Tom Hays

Passed: Unanimously

- c.** 2024 LMIG Application

Motion Made by City Council Member Tom Hays to approve the 2024 LMIG application and Authorize the Mayor to sign the application.

Seconded by Council Member: Ron Smith

Passed: Unanimously

- d.** City of Civility Resolution

Motion made by Council Member Ron Smith to approve and sign the City of Civility Resolution.

Seconded by Council Member: Jenny Buley

Passed: Unanimously

- e.** Motion made by Council Member Ron Smith to approve the renewal agreement of the Waste Pro contract for the 2023-2024 term.

Seconded by Council Member: Cindy Bone

Passed: Unanimously

8. CITIZENS REQUESTING TO SPEAK: None

9. OTHER BUSINESS:

- a.** Date for Annual Christmas Potluck & Tree Lighting-Friday December 1, 2023

Discussion was had to have the City's Annual Christmas Potluck & Tree Lighting Ceremony on December 1, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.

10. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion was made by Council Member Tom Hays to adjourn the City Council Meeting.

Seconded by Council Member: Cindy Bone

Passed: Unanimously

Approved minutes of the October 9, 2023, City Council Meeting/kmq

