AUGUST 15, 2022

CITY OF BREMEN COUNCIL MEETING

PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX 191 N GEORGIA AVE. BREMEN, GA 30110

CITY OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Sewell and Council Members: Salli Thomason, Dobby Harris, Jai Otwell, Lin Clayton

ADMINISTRATION IN ATTENDANCE: Perry Hicks, Mike Thompson, Lisa Walton-Cagle, Keith Pesnell, Matt Cody, Roy Andrews

6:00 PM / WORK SESSION / MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS

Mayor Sewell called the work session to order at 6:00 pm and the below listed items were the topics of discussion. This session is a period of informal comments and questioning among the Mayor and Council Members as well as the Department Heads and the City Attorney. There are no actions taken during the work session.

Agenda Items
Department Head Updates
Haralson County LOST
City Christmas Decorations

Mayor Sewell adjourned the work session at 6:55 pm to begin the Regular City Council Meeting.

7:00 PM / REGULAR MEETING / MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Call Meeting to Order
Pledge of Allegiance & Invocation
Review & Modification of the Agenda

Approval of the Minutes: Regular Council Meeting held on July 18, 2022

Special Called Meeting held on July 25, 2022

Library Board Appointment: Mary Reid / Replacing Jane Wilson

Library Board Re-Appointments: Ann Smith, Beth Brown & Karen Tarpley

Open to the Public

Adjourn

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Sewell called the regular scheduled council meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the pledge of allegiance and invocation.

REVIEW & MODIFICATION OF THE AGENDA

There were no changes to the agenda.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor Sewell stated that there is a correction to the July 18th regular council meeting. The person that Chief Pesnell recognized was Seth Hodges instead of Seth Hudgins.

A motion was made by Council Member Clayton and seconded by Council Member Otwell to approve the minutes for the July 18th regular council meeting with the correction of Seth Hodges name. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Sewell asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the special called meeting held on July 25, 2022.

Council Member Otwell made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 25th special called meeting. Council member Clayton seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

LIBRARY BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Mayor Sewell asked for a motion to appoint Mary Reid to the Library Board to replace Jane Wilson.

Council Member Thomason made a motion to appoint Mary Reid to the Library Board. Council Member Otwell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Sewell asked for a motion to re-appoint Ann Smith to the Library Board.

Council Member Harris made a motion to re-appoint Ann Smith to the Library Board. Council Member Otwell seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Sewell asked for a motion to re-appoint Beth Brown to the Library Board.

Council Member Harris made a motion to re-appoint Beth Brown to the Library Board. Council Member Clayton seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Sewell asked for a motion to re-appoint Karen Tarpley to the Library Board.

Council Member Harris made a motion to re-appoint Karen Tarpley to the Library Board. Council Member Thomason seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Mary Ann Criswell identified herself as a spokesperson for Pickle Ball Players and made a request to the mayor and council to consider modifying the tennis courts for pickle ball.

Mayor Sewell and Council Members took the request under advisement for future consideration.

Perry Smith was present and stated that he does not agree with the policy that side cart and four-wheelers are not allowed to be ridden on city streets.

The mayor and council explained to Mr. Smith that state law governs those type vehicles.

MEETING ADJOURN

A motion was made by Council Member Harris to adjourn the meeting at 7:26 pm. and the meeting was adjourned.