

City of White, GA  
City Council Meeting  
February 5, 2018

Present at the meeting were Mayor Kim Billue, Councilman Dennis Huskins, Councilman Tina Wilhite, City Clerk Robin Deal and City Attorney, Leslie Vaughn Simmons.

The meeting was called to order by our Mayor Billue at 7:00p.m. Councilman Huskins opened the meeting with an invocation.

The minutes from the meeting of January 2, 2018 were read and approved.

The First resolution called for a Service Delivery Strategy which states that cities in Bartow County provide their own local services. A motion was made by Councilman Dennis Huskins and the motion was seconded. The motion carried.

Second resolution presented called for a Joint Comprehensive Plan with other local governments in Bartow to retain their qualified status for State permits, grants and loans. A motion was made by Councilman Dennis Huskins and the motion was seconded. The motion carried.

Third the resolution was presented to make Robin Deal, Pension Secretary for the City of White. A motion was made by Councilman Dennis Huskins and the motion was seconded. The motion carried.

Fourth, a resolution was presented to make Robin Deal, Clerk of Court for the City of White. A motion was made by Councilman Tina Wilhite and the motion was seconded. The motion was carried.

Joseph Kirk with the Board of Elections presented the information about the upcoming special election. He started by presenting a resolution to make Robin Deal the Election Superintendent. The motion was made by Councilman Huskins. The motion was seconded and the motion carried. He further stated that qualifying would start March 5 at 9:00 a.m. and end on March 7 at noon. He also stated we must run the special election information in the local paper in the legal ads for two consecutive weeks. The resolution to have a Special Election May 22, 2018 for the two vacant council seats was presented. A motion was made by Councilman Dennis Huskins and the motion was seconded. The motion carried.

Tommy Gentry, Assistant Director with Bartow County Animal Control spoke of the new agreement between them and the City of White. He stated that they would be patrolling the area for loose animals. He further explained that all animal issues would

be handled by their department and to call if you had any questions 24 hours a day. Citations will be handled by the city.

David Bennett presented information on our local trash service. He was asking the council to consider an increase in sanitation charges. This issue is still under review. Also discussed were citizens leaving trash outside their trash cans. Councilman Huskins stated to just take what was in the can.

Chief Hunter let the council know that he had received the ordinance book back from the GBI for safe keeping. Chief spoke and presented the new Fine Structure for the Police Department. This covered traffic fines as well as local ordinance violations. A motion was made by Councilman Huskins to accept the new fine structure. Motion was seconded by Councilman Wilhite and the motion passed. And Lastly the Chief introduced the newest member of our police force, Sgt. Joe Tiller. Chief also stated that after the meeting there would be a reception for citizens to meet the police department.

Before adjournment it was decided the council and city hall staff would have a work session on Monday, Feb 12 to work on the 2018 Budget. The meeting was closed at 7:39.

Respectfully submitted,

Robin Deal, City Clerk

