



CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCILMEMBERS

Mayor JB Burke
Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran
Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges
Councilman Larry Ferguson
Councilman Christopher Mills

Regular Meeting

June 23, 2015

Minutes

8:17 pm

At 6:55 pm. Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to convene into the Executive Session.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges made a motion, seconded by Councilman Christopher Mills. The motion passed unanimously.

At 8:17 pm. Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to adjourn the Executive Session.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges made a motion, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor JB Burke called the Regular Council Meeting of the Morrow City Council to order at 8:17 pm on June 23, 2015. The meeting took place in the Council Chambers of the Morrow Municipal Complex located at: 1500 Morrow Road, Morrow, GA, 30260.

Mayor JB Burke asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silent reflection.

ROLL CALL:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** to call the roll.

City Clerk Viet Tran called the roll and those present were **Mayor JB Burke, Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran, Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges, Councilman Larry Ferguson, and Councilman Christopher Mills**. He stated there was a quorum present.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to approve June 23, 2015 Consent Agenda.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges made a motion, seconded by Councilman Larry Ferguson. The motion passed unanimously.

MEETING AGENDA:

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to approve June 23, 2015 Meeting Agenda with an amendment: To add Apex Insurance Brokerage Services into New Business section.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges made a motion, seconded by Councilman Larry Ferguson. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** read the item in this section.

City Clerk Viet Tran read the following item:

1. FY2015-16 Budget.

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA, AS IT PERTAINS TO THE RECOMMENDATION, APPROVAL, AND ADOPTION OF AN ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016, BEGINNING JULY 1, 2015 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2016 TO ALLOCATE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THAT PERIOD FOR THE OPERATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE VARIOUS SERVICES DELIVERED BY THE CITY TO ITS CITIZENS; FOR THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF THE RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES OF THE CITY OF MORROW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Mayor JB Burke opened the Public Hearing on FY2015-16 Budget. He asked **Councilmembers** and **Citizens** for comments.

There was no comment.

Mayor JB Burke closed the Public Hearing.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **Citizens** for comment on Agenda Item.

There was no comment.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** read the item in this section.

City Clerk Viet Tran read the following item:

1. Ordinance No. 2015-05 FY2015-16 Budget.

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA, AS IT PERTAINS TO THE RECOMMENDATION, APPROVAL, AND ADOPTION OF AN ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016, BEGINNING JULY 1, 2015 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2016 TO ALLOCATE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THAT PERIOD FOR THE OPERATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE VARIOUS SERVICES DELIVERED BY THE CITY TO ITS CITIZENS; FOR THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF THE RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES OF THE CITY OF MORROW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. *2nd Reading*
Presented by City Manager Sylvia Redic.

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to approve the Ordinance No. 2015-05 regarding FY2015-16 Budget as presented.

MOTION AND VOTE: Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges. Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran, Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges and Councilman Christopher Mills voted in favor of the motion; Councilman Larry Ferguson voted in opposition and the motion passed.

2. Georgia Council for the Art Grant.

Approval of grant application for Georgia Council for the Arts

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to approve the grant application for Georgia Council for the Arts

MOTION AND VOTE: Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran made a motion, seconded by Councilman Christopher Mills. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Approval of Apex Insurance Brokerage Services.

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to approve Apex to be an Insurance Brokerage Service for property and liability insurance of the City.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges made a motion, seconded by Councilman Christopher Mills. The motion passed unanimously.

GENERAL COMMENTS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **Citizens** and **Councilmembers** for comments.

Citizens Comments:

Dorothy Dean
Lana LaBay

Councilmembers Comments:

City Manager Sylvia Redic
Councilman Larry Ferguson
Councilman Christopher Mills
Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges
Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran
Mayor JB Burke

ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor JB Burke called for a motion to adjourn the June 23, 2015 Regular Council Meeting.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilman Larry Ferguson made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges. The motion passed unanimously.

The Regular Council Meeting was adjourned at 08:37 pm.

Approved this 14th day of July, 2015

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Attest

Viet Tran, City Clerk
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JB Burke, Mayor