



MINUTES

EMERGENCY SESSION OF THE CITY OF BONIFAY CITY COUNCIL

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 05, 2023 at 5:00 PM

Midtown Plaza, 401 McLaughlin Ave. Bonifay, FL 32425

I. CALL TO ORDER

Interim Mayor Larry Cook called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

PRESENT

Mayor Larry Cook
Council Member James Sellers
Council Member Shelley Carroll
Council Member Rick Crews

Also present

City Clerk Rickey Callahan, and City Attorney Michelle Jordan

A. Invocation

Council Member James Sellers gave invocation.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

Council Member James Sellers led the Pledge of Allegiance.

City Attorney Jordan read Dr. Emily McCann's resignation letter.

Interim Mayor Cook announced that Police Chief Jimmy Macon had been terminated prior to the emergency meeting. Mayor Cook announced and interim police chief, Johnny Whitaker.

The Mayor reminded the public that this was not a time for public comment. Police Officer Sims asked the public again to allow the Mayor to speak.

Mayor Cook announced that Captain Chuck White will be performing the duties of the chief until Mr. Whitaker could get everything in order.

Attorney Jordan recommended a vice mayor be appointed.

Motion made for Council Member James Sellers to be Vice Mayor by Council Member Crews, Seconded by Council Member Carroll.

Voting Yea: Mayor Cook, Council Member Sellers, Council Member Carroll, Council Member Crews

II. APPROVE AGENDA

III. APPROVE MINUTES

IV. APPROVE ACCOUNTS PAYABLE / TRANSFERS / FINANCIAL SHEETS TO REVIEW

V. VISITORS – PUBLIC ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL

NON- AGENDA AUDIENCE

Effective October 1, 2013, Florida Statute 286.0114 mandates that “members of the public shall be given a reasonable opportunity to be heard on a proposition before a Board or Commission.” Each individual shall have three (3) minutes to speak on the proposition before the Board.

VI. PLANNING & ENGINEERING

VII. OLD BUSINESS

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

IX. COUNCIL / DEPARTMENT SUPERVISORS / CITY ATTORNEY DISCUSSION

Items not listed on Formal Agenda.

A. Personnel Updates

B. Department Updates

C. Employee Spotlight

X. ADJOURN

Mayor Cook adjourned the meeting a 5:05 pm.

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