



Mayor and City Council Regular Meeting
Thursday, January 08, 2026 at 7:00 PM
Dacula City Hall, Council Chambers
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Minutes

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:

Mayor King called the January 8, 2026 Council Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and a roll call of he members was taken. A quorum was present. He welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Councilmembers Present:

Mayor Trey King
Councilmember Sean Williams
Councilmember Jason Shelton
Councilmember Ann Mitchell
Councilmember Denis W. Haynes, Jr.

City Staff Present:

Brittni Nix, City Administrator
Courtney Mahady, Assistant City Clerk
Dana Stump, Administrative Assistant for Planning & Zoning
Amy White, Chief Marshal
James Ross, City Marshal
Renee Cooke, Front Desk Clerk

II. INVOCATION:

Pastor Jeff Rogers gave the invocation.

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor King led the Pledge of Allegiance.

IV. OATHS OF OFFICE:

1. Mayor Trey King

City Administrator, Brittni Nix, administered a Ceremonial Oath to Mayor Trey King.

2. Councilmember Denis W. Haynes, Jr.

City Administrator, Brittni Nix, administered a Ceremonial Oath to Council Member Denis W. Haynes, Jr.

3. Councilmember Jason Shelton

City Administrator, Brittni Nix, administered a Ceremonial Oath to Council Member Jason Shelton.

V. CONSENT AGENDA:

4. Approval of the Minutes from the Special Called Meeting on November 19, 2025
5. Approval of the Minutes from the Worksession Meeting on December 4, 2025
6. Approval of the Minutes from the Budget Public Hearing on December 4, 2025
7. Approval of the Minutes from the Regular Meeting on December 4, 2025
8. Appointment of Mr. Jack Wilson (\$250/hr.) for legal services
9. Appointment of Mr. Jack Wilson (\$250/hr.) as City Prosecutor
10. Appointment of Judge Bill Brogdon and Judge Jammie Taire (\$250/hr.) as City Magistrate(s)
11. Amendments to Purchasing Policy

Motion to approve the consent agenda items as listed made by Councilmember Haynes, Jr., Seconded by Councilmember Shelton.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

None

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

12. Election of Mayor Pro Tem

Mayor King requested a nomination for Mayor Pro Tem for 2026.

Motion to nominate Jason Shelton made by Councilmember Williams, Seconded by Councilmember Haynes, Jr..

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

City Administrator, Brittni Nix, administered a Ceremonial Oath to Mayor Pro Tem Jason Shelton.

13. Appointment of Planning Commission Members

Mayor King called for each councilmember's appointments for the Planning Commission for 2026

Councilmember Williams appointed Myra Montalbano
Councilmember Shelton appointed Lisa Bradberry
Councilmember Mitchell appointed Keith Hedgpeth

Councilmember Haynes, Jr. appointed Gene Greeson
Mayor King appointed Trannon Thomas

Mayor King then requested a motion to ratify the appointments

Motion to ratify the appointments made by Councilmember Shelton, Seconded by Councilmember Williams.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

14. City Council oversight appointments

Mayor King called for a motion to appoint the Mayor and Council as a whole to oversee all the departments in the City for 2026.

Motion to appoint the oversight of all departments by Mayor and Council made by Councilmember Mitchell, Seconded by Councilmember Williams.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

15. Appointment of City Chaplain

Mayor King requested a nomination for the City Chaplain for 2026.

Motion to nominate Pastor Jeff Rogers as City Chaplain for 2026 made by Councilmember Haynes, Jr., Seconded by Councilmember Williams.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

VIII. STAFF COMMENTS:

None

IX. MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENT(S):

Councilmembers Williams, Shelton, and Mitchell thanked City staff for their hard work.

Councilmember Haynes, Jr. thanked the citizens for attending the meeting and encouraged them to invite their neighbors to help keep the community informed.

Mayor King also thanked City staff for their hard work.

X. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Josh Maddox, 2549 Majestic Circle, Dacula, Georgia 30019, requested the City consider a tax exemption for disabled residents of Dacula. Mr. Maddox stated concerns about the City's proposed annexation.

Jimmy Phen, 1404 Filigree Place, Dacula, Georgia 30019, referenced and spoke regarding an item from a previous meeting related to data centers.

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Personnel, real property, and legal matters

Motion to exit regular session and enter into executive session made by Councilmember Shelton, Seconded by Councilmember Haynes, Jr. for the purposes of personnel, real property, and legal matters at 7:22 p.m.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

Motion to exit executive session and reconvene regular session made by Councilmember Mitchell, Seconded by Councilmember Haynes, Jr. at 7:43 p.m.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

City Administrator, Brittni Nix, gave a report that no actions were taken during executive session.

XII. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn made by Councilmember Williams, Seconded by Councilmember Haynes, Jr..

Voting Yea: Councilmember Williams, Councilmember Shelton, Councilmember Mitchell, Councilmember Haynes, Jr.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 p.m.

Minutes approved _____

Date

Signature