City of Stone Mountain
Planning Commission and Historic Preservation Commission
Mayor & Council Update 11/17/26

Comprehensive Plan Update – Staff has sent the executed Resolution for the newly adopted comprehensive Plan update to the Atlanta Regional Commission. As a result, staff has received confirmation from the Georgia Department of Community Affairs that the city has completed the process of updating the Comprehensive Plan.

Digital Application Platform Implementation – Staff Continues to implement the Govwell software for business licensing. It is anticipated to have the complete implementation of business licensing software by January of 2027. Once fully implemented, the Planning module will proceed with onboarding the software for application submission, review, and payment.

Committee Appointment Applications – Openings for both the Planning Commission and Historic Preservation Commission have been posted on the city website. Applications will be accepted up until November 18 at 11:59pm. Both new and current members must apply to serve on either committee. Once applications have been reviewed by staff for the adequate requirements, the Mayor and City Council will appoint the applicants to the vacant seats.

Seats up for Appointment:

Planning Commission: 4

Historic Preservation Commission: 4

Planning Department Application Submissions

- Zoning verification letters - 3
- Certificate of Appropriates – 8
- Special / Conditional use - 1
- Rezoning - 2
- Annexation - 1