City of Whigham Council Meeting July 13, 2021

The Whigham City Council met in regular session Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at 6:00PM in the City Council Chambers at 105 W Broad Avenue, Whigham, Georgia with Mayor George Trulock presiding. The Mayor opened with a word of prayer and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Members of the Council present for roll call were: Dusty Brown, Jimmie Laing, and Jim Sellers. Others present were: Andrew and Gloria Walden, Archway Professional Whitney Brannen, Utility Director Josh Ausburn, Asst. City Clerk Rachel Rogers, and City Clerk Lisa Calhoun.

Agenda Adoption

A motion was made by Jimmie Laing to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion was seconded by Dusty Brown. Laing, Brown, and Jim Sellers voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Dusty Brown to approve the minutes of the June 15, 2021 minutes. Jim Sellers seconded the motion. Brown, Sellers, and Jimmie Laing voted in favor. Motion carried.

Council member Joel Singletary entered the meeting at 6:02 PM.

Public Participation

Gloria Walden – Ms. Walden requested the City's support of the Ebenezer Community Outreach Center's October 23, 2021 event. Walden said she would like Mayor Trulock to issue the welcome to those attending. Mayor Trulock indicated he would be glad to speak. Trulock also requested a schedule or outline of the event.

Reports

SPLOST Reports – Mayor Trulock presented the Council with a SPLOST update prepared by City Clerk Calhoun.

Mayor Trulock also told the Council he will have a paving update at the next Council meeting. He plans to talk with Bainbridge and Decatur County to see if Whigham can contract to use their paving crew.

City Clerk Lisa Calhoun told the Council an applicant has been chosen for the Assistant City Clerk position and is scheduled to begin work on July 29, 2021. Calhoun also reported that the septic system project for the City's Harden Avenue property has been presented to the UGA students. The students' will announce their chosen projects during Fall semester.

Council Matters of Interest

City of Whigham Council minutes July 13, 2021 Mayor Trulock took a moment to thank City Clerk Lisa Calhoun for her many years of service to the City of Whigham. Calhoun will be retiring August 3, 2021.

<u>Adjournment</u>

Motion to adjourn was made at 6:32 PM by Dusty Brown. Motion received a second from Joel Singletary. Brown, Singletary, Jimmie Laing, and Jim Sellers voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried.

Submitted

Approved