City of Byron Mayor and Council Minutes August 14, 2023

The City of Byron Mayor and Council met in regular session in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Complex. Mayor Michael Chidester, Council Members James Richardson, Rusty Adams, Michael Chumbley, Alan Dorsey, and Chris Hodges were in attendance. City employees that attended were City Clerk Telina Allred, City Administrator Tiffany Sandefur, Deputy Clerk Pam Flournoy, Police Chief Wesley Cannon, Major Bill Lavender, Investigator Melanie Bickford, Chief Court Clerk Dede Thibodeaux and Public Works Director Tiffany Bibb, And Fire Chief Josh Riley. City Attorney Brian Causey attended the meeting as did four (4) visitors. Representatives from the Leader Tribune and The Byron Buzz were also at the meeting.

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Mayor Michael Chidester called the meeting to order at 6:00pm, Asked James Richardson to give the invocation and led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

<u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>: Motion made by Michael Chumbley, seconded by Alan Dorsey to approve the minutes of the Mayor and Council Meeting held on July 10, 2023. Unanimous.

<u>REZONING REQUEST</u>: At 6:05pm, a public meeting was held regarding the request to rezone property located at Tax Map B01F 067 from R-3 to C-2-Downtown Business District. Those to speak in favor: None. Those to speak against the rezoning request: None. The public hearing closed at 6:07pm. Motion made by Rusty Adams, seconded by Chris Hodges to approve the rezoning request. Unanimous.

<u>PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION MINUTES</u>: Motion made by Michael Chumbley, seconded by James Richardson to approve the Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting minutes held on August 3, 2023. Unanimous.

<u>CITIZEN TIME TO ADDRESS COUNCIL</u>: No one to speak.

<u>RESOLUTION REGARDING EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT JOB DESCRIPTION</u>: Motion was made by Michael Chumbley, seconded by Chris Hodges to approve the following job description for an Executive Assistant to the City Administrator. Unanimous.

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A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BYRON, GEORGIA TO APPROVE A NEW CITY OF BYRON JOB DESCRIPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Byron, Georgia to approve a new City of Byron Job Description as set out in the Exhibit "A" which by this reference is made a part of this Resolution.

All Resolutions or portions of Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SO RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BYRON, GEORGIA ON THIS 14TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2023.

ORDINANCE (#2023-6) REGARDING ROADS APPROVED FOR SPEED DETECTION DEVICES: First reading was held of AN ORDINANCE (#2023-6) OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BYRON, GEORGIA, TO AMEND SUBSECTION 38.2 OF CHAPTER 38, TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF BYRON, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ORDINANCE (#2023-7) REGARDING CHAPTER 6, ANIMALS: First reading was held of AN ORDINANCE (#2023-7) OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BYRON, GEORGIA, TO AMEND CHAPTER 6 ANIMALS, ARTICLE 1-IN GENERAL, BY ADDING A SECTION 6-7, AND TO AMEND CHAPTER 6 ANIMALS, ARTICLE 2-DOGS, DIVISION 1-GENERALLY, BY REPEALING AND DELETING SECTION 6-41 IN ITS ENTIRETY AND MARKING SECTION 6-41 AS RESERVED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

<u>COVENANT TO ANNEX</u>: Motion made by Chris Hodges, seconded by Alan Dorsey to approve the covenant to annex property located at 9050 Peach Parkway for the purposes of acquiring water services. Unanimous.

<u>SURPLUS OF VEHICLE</u>: Motion made by Chris Hodges, seconded by Michael Chumbley to approve a request by the Police Department to surplus of a 2014 Ford Explorer. Unanimous.

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<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> Motion was made by Michael Chumbley, seconded by Chris Hodges to adjourn the meeting at 6:11 PM. Unanimous.

Telina Allred Clerk of Council