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**CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA**  
**MAYOR AND CITY COUNCILMEMBERS**

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar**  
**Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges**  
**Councilwoman Hang Tran**  
**Councilman Larry Ferguson**  
**Councilman Christopher Mills**

**Regular Meeting**

**April 12, 2016**

**Minutes**

**7:40 pm**

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**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called the Regular Council Meeting of the Morrow City Council to order at 7:40pm on April 12, 2016. The meeting took place in the Council Chambers of the Morrow Municipal Complex located at: 1500 Morrow Road, Morrow, GA, 30260.

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silent reflection.

**ROLL CALL:**

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** asked **Interim City Clerk Yasmin Julio** to call the roll.

**Interim City Clerk Yasmin Julio** called the roll and those present were **Mayor Jeffrey DeTar, Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges, Councilman Christopher Mills, Councilman Larry Ferguson, and Councilwoman Hang Tran**. She stated there was a quorum present.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to approve the consent agenda.

1. Approval of March 22, 2016, Regular Meeting Minutes
2. Approval of March 22, 2016, Work Session Minutes
3. Approval of March 22, 2016, Executive Session Minutes
4. Approval of attorney- Fincher Denmark & Minnifield invoice # 2944 dated March 10, 2016 in the amount of \$8,551.67 for period February 5, 2016- February 29, 2016
5. Approval of attorney- L. F. Barnes invoice #100 dated March 1, 2016 in the amount of \$2,720.00 for period February 11, 2016- February 29, 2016

**MOTION AND VOTE:** **Councilman Larry Ferguson** made the motion to approve the consent agenda, seconded by **Councilman Christopher Mills**. The motion passed unanimously.

**MEETING AGENDA:**

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to approve April 12, 2016 Meeting Agenda.

**MOTION AND VOTE: Councilman Larry Ferguson** made the motion, seconded by **Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges**. The motion passed unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS:**

There were no public comments on agenda items.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Interstate Lighting Proposal

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to approve this item.

**MOTION AND VOTE: Councilman Larry Ferguson** made the motion, seconded by **Councilman Christopher Mills**. The motion passed unanimously.

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**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to approve this item.

**MOTION AND VOTE: Councilman Larry Ferguson** made the motion, seconded by **Councilman Christopher Mills**. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Siemens Contract

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to approve this item.

**MOTION AND VOTE: Councilman Larry Ferguson** made the motion, seconded by **Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges**. During discussion **Councilwoman Hang Tran** wanted the records to reflect that the updated Siemens contract includes the 1% escalation rate. The motion passed unanimously.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** asked **Interim City Clerk Yasmin Julio** to read the item in this section.

**Interim City Clerk Yasmin Julio** read the following item:



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1. Second Reading of the Ordinance 2016-03- Environmental Protection Division

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA TO PROVIDE FOR NEW STANDARDS RELATING TO THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF STREETS, PARKING SPACES, AND BUFFERS; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Mayor Jeffrey DeTar called for a motion to approve this item.

**MOTION AND VOTE:** Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges made the motion, seconded by Councilman Larry Ferguson. The motion passed unanimously.

**GENERAL COMMENTS:**

**Citizen Comments:**

Bob Huie  
Wayne Collins  
Lara Labay  
Bonita Crawford  
Michelle Anderson  
Dorothy Dean  
Danny Rudd  
Cherie Crisp  
Joanne Allen

**Staff Comments:**

Captain Jeff Moss  
-5th Annual Torching the Trails 5k Run April 23, 2016  
City Manager Sylvia Redic  
- Yard Sale & Backyard BBQ April 16, 2016, 8:00am-3:00pm  
- URA Meeting April 14, 2016, 6:30 pm  
- MHA Meeting April 14, 2016, 2:00pm  
- DDA Meeting April 14, 2016, 2:30 pm

**Council members Comments:**

Councilwoman Hang Tran  
Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges  
Councilman Christopher Mills

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**Councilman Larry Ferguson**  
**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar**

**ADJOURNMENT:**

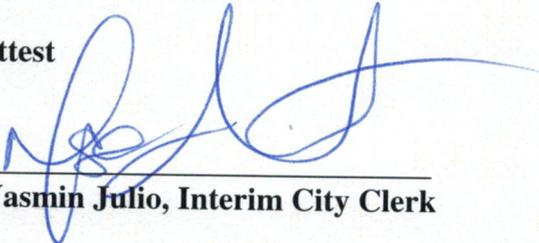
**Mayor Jeffrey DeTar** called for a motion to adjourn the April 12, 2016 Regular Council Meeting.

**MOTION AND VOTE: Mayor Pro Tem Jeanell Bridges** made a motion, seconded by **Councilman Larry Ferguson**. The motion passed unanimously.

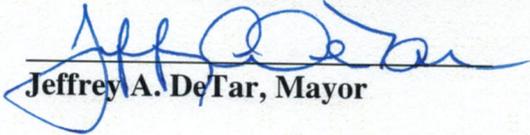
The Regular Council Meeting was adjourned at 8:23 pm.

Approved this 26nd day of April, 2016.

Attest

  
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**Yasmin Julio, Interim City Clerk**

**CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA**

  
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**Jeffrey A. DeTar, Mayor**

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