



CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCILMEMBERS

Mayor JB Burke
Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran
Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges
Councilman Larry Ferguson
Councilman Christopher Mills

Regular Council Meeting

May 12, 2015

Action Minutes

7:30 pm

At 5:38 pm. Approved to add and to convene into the Executive session to discuss personnel and real estate matters during the Work Sessions.

At 5:53 pm. Approved to adjourn the Executive Session.

Mayor JB Burke called the Regular Council Meeting of the Morrow City Council to order at 7:30 pm on May 12, 2015. The meeting took place in the Council Chambers of the Morrow Municipal Complex located at: 1500 Morrow Road, Morrow, GA, 30260.

Mayor JB Burke asked everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silent reflection.

ROLL CALL:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** to call the roll.

City Clerk Viet Tran called the roll and those present were **Mayor JB Burke, Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran, Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges, Councilman Larry Ferguson, and Councilman Christopher Mills**. He stated there was a quorum present.

Mayor JB Burke made a warm welcome to **Vietnamese Community President of GA Kim Hanh Dang, BPSOS President Trinh Pham, and GA Delegation and Leadership Summit Chairman Duong Vo**.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Approved May 12, 2015 Consent Agenda.



MEETING AGENDA:

Approved May 12, 2015 Meeting Agenda.

REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS:

Mayor JB Burke and Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran presented a 40-year Vietnamese American Experience Proclamation to Vietnamese GA Delegation and Vietnamese Community.

FIRST PRESENTATIONS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** to read the item on this section

City Clerk Viet Tran read the following item:

1. Ordinance No. 2015-02 Fire Marshal Fee.

AN ORDINANCE TO ADD TO TITLE 3 FINANCE, CHAPTER 4, SCHEDULE OF FEES TO BE PAID TO THE CITY OF MORROW; TO PROVIDE FOR CODIFICATION; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. *1st Reading*

Presented by City Manager Sylvia Redic

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** to read the next item on this section

City Clerk Viet Tran read the following item:

2. Ordinance No. 2015-04 Employee Compensation.

AN ORDINANCE TO ADD TO THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF MORROW, GEORGIA; TO ADD SECTION 2-3-30 TO TITLE 2, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE D OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE FOR A PROCESS FOR ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION FOR APPOINTED DEPARTMENT OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS; TO PROVIDE FOR CODIFICATION; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; TO PROVIDE AN ADOPTION DATE; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES ALLOWED BY LAW. *1st Reading*

Presented by City Manager Sylvia Redic

Approved to table the first reading of Ordinance No. 2015-04 until further notice.



PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS:

Mayor JB Burke read the decorum statement to Citizens and asked Citizens for comments on Agenda Items.

There was no comment.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **City Clerk Viet Tran** to read the item on this section

City Clerk Viet Tran read the following item:

Approval of Morrow Fire Department matching fund for Fire Act Grant.

Presented by Fire Chief Herendeen

Approved Morrow Fire Department matching fund for Fire Act Grant with 5% (five percent) of the reward amount, not exceed \$20,000.00 (twenty thousand dollars).

GENERAL COMMENTS:

Mayor JB Burke asked **Citizens and City Councilmembers** for comments.

Citizen Comments:

Pastor Joshua Dunn
Rev. Darryl Momon
V. Daine Jackson
Kevin J. Williams Jr.
Frederick L. Gordon
Jackie Lowe
Darrell Massey
Darrell Kelly
Dr. Patricia Manley
Rev. Joseph Wheeler
Deewanda Gates
Anthony White
Jamie Rodgers
Warren Gregory
Dorothy Dean
Theresa Kelly



Susie Kelly

Councilmember Comments:

**City Manager Sylvia Redic
Councilman Larry Ferguson
Councilman Christopher Mills
Councilwoman Jeanell Bridges
Mayor Pro Tem Hang Tran
Mayor JB Burke**

ADJOURNMENT:

Approved to adjourn the May 12, 2015 Regular Council Meeting.

The Regular Council Meeting was adjourned at 08:32 pm.

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