

City of Bowdon
Mayor and Council Meeting
May 11, 2015
7:15PM

I.-IV. Agenda Items:

The Mayor and City Council met during a regular session on Monday, May 11th, 2015, in the Mayor and Council Chambers, 136 City Hall Avenue, Bowdon Georgia. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Keith Crawford at 7:15PM. Roll call was conducted by City Clerk Susan Pierce.

Members present: Mayor Keith Crawford
Councilmember Marty Johnson
Councilmember Jan Johnson
Councilmember Wes McEntyre

Members absent: Mayor Pro-tem Jim Chaffin

Staff present: City Manager Bobby Elliott
City Clerk Susan Pierce
Police Chief Mark Brock

The Invocation was led by Councilmember Wes McEntyre, and was followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

V. Presentation of Historic Photograph

Councilmember Jan Johnson presented to the City a framed photograph of the Mayor, Council, City Clerk and two businessmen from 1941, who were active in bringing the Textile Rubber Plant to Bowdon. The photograph includes Mayor V. D. Whatley, City Clerk Ben Martin, Councilman S. Clyde Rowland, and Councilman W. O. Downs, businessman Bruce Cumbie, businessman Will Roop, Councilman Martin L. Johnson Sr., and Councilman C. C. Bean. Mayor Crawford thanked Jan and her family on behalf of the City.

VI. Approval of Minutes:

Minutes of Mayor & Council Meeting of April 13th, 2015 were read and presented for approval.

Motion by Councilmember Wes McEntyre to approve the minutes; second by Councilmember Jan Johnson; motion carried unanimously.

VII. Public Comment

Miss Fannie Sullivan is back from a trip to Ohio, and said she is glad to be back in Bowdon.

Paul Aust said he attended a Carroll County meeting with Three Rivers concerning a plan for a public transportation system for the county. Coweta County already has a plan. Mayor Crawford expressed his thanks to Paul for attending the meeting and informing Council.

VIII. Business Session

A. Board Appointments:

Housing Authority has 2 renewals and one open position. Karleen Williams and Shanna Ward are up for renewal, and Jill Wilkinson Richards was recommended to fill the open position formerly held by Thomas Hannon.

Motion by Councilmember Wes McEntyre to approve Housing Authority recommendations; second by Councilmember Marty Johnson; motion carried unanimously.

- B. City Manager Bobby Elliott gave an update on the equipment for the two new police cars, and said the other two vehicles are on back order.
- C. Department Head reports were reviewed.

IX. Financial Session

- A. Property tax unpaid balance summary was reviewed.
- B. April 2015 General and Water Fund Financial Reports were provided to Mayor and Council.
- C. Mayor Crawford noted that the cash balances as of 05/08/2015 were included with the packages.

Motion by Councilmember Wes McEntyre to adjourn Council meeting; second by Councilmember Marty Johnson; motion carried unanimously.

X. Adjournment

Mayor Keith Crawford

City Clerk Susan Pierce