

CITY OF COMER REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
May 8, 2017 - 6 PM
MAYOR BLACKMON PRESIDING

Council Members Present: Beth Johnston, Jason Luke and Jimmy Yarbrough

Assistant City Clerk: Katie Crane

Public Works Superintendent: Willis Gabriel

City Attorney: Jim Roberts

Mayor Blackmon called the meeting to order and reported that Council Member Bridges was recently admitted into the hospital and Police Chief Roberts would not attend because of the death of his grandfather.

1. Minutes: Motion by Council Member Johnston to approve the minutes of the April 3, 2017 City of Comer Regular Council Meeting. Motion second by Council Member Luke. Motion approved by unanimous vote of Council.

Motion by Council Member Yarbrough to approve the minutes of the April 20, 2017 City of Comer Called Council Meeting. Motion second by Council Member Johnston. Motion approved by unanimous vote of Council.

2. Department Reports: Public Works Superintendent Gabriel reported that the spring algae bloom was being treated. He also reported that Dodd Construction was making good progress on the water line replacement project.

Police Chief Roberts was not in attendance to issue a report due to the death of his grandfather.

3. GEFA Water Line Replacement Project: Mayor Blackmon reported that he had authorized the first pay request for the contractor on the project.

4. Unknown Alley on Plat off Laurel Ave: Mayor Blackmon reported that a recorded plat of a parcel on Laurel Ave indicated an alley through the property but there are no deed records at the county indicating that it is a city alley and no records at city hall indicating that it is a city alley. Motion by Council Member Luke to authorize Mayor Blackmon to execute an owner provided Quit Claim Deed to the property owner. Motion second by Council Member Johnston. Motion approved by unanimous vote of Council.

5. June and July 2017 City of Comer Regular Council Meetings: General Consensus of Council was to change the June and July to June 12th and July 10th respectively.

6. Use of Travel Museum: General Consensus of Council was to not approve the use of the Museum for a proposed Zumba Class.

7. Executive Session: Motion by Council Member Yarbrough to go into executive session for the purpose of discussing personnel. Motion second by Council Member Johnston. Motion approved by unanimous vote of Council.

Executive Session adjourned and Council returned to the Regular Meeting.

Motion by Council Member Yarbrough to adjourn. Motion second by Council Member Johnston.
Motion approved by unanimous vote of Council.

_____ Jody Blackmon, Mayor

_____ Stephen H. Sorrells, City Clerk

_____ Date Approved

Subject to Council Approval