

City of Mansfield

Council Meeting Minutes

November 12th, 2024– 7:00 p.m.

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PRESENT: Blair Northen, Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis, Helen Robertson, Brandon Hays

OTHERS: Vicki & Scott Cowan, Elsie Smith and Brittany Ring

ABSENT: Scott Colyn

Mayor Northen called the meeting to order at 7:09 PM. Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis gave the invocation. Mayor Northen then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Northen presented the agenda. Mayor Pro Tem Fred Purvis moved to make a motion to accept the agenda as presented, Council member Hays seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented minutes from the regular meeting, October 14th. Hays moved to a motion to accept the minutes for October 14th, 2024 and Robertson seconded. No discussion. All in favor.

No citizen comments on agenda items.

Old business:

Mayor Northen presented the Sewer Treatment Plant Update, bill from Turnipseed engineering for work August- today for \$6525.00 and All South Constructors for \$7920.00 being paid with Old SPLOST funds. No motion needed, just making the residents and the council aware of bills being paid.

Mayor Northen presented an update for the Enforcement of NO PARKING ordinance. Hwy 213 to Kellogg is NO PARKING. DOT Commissioner has approved it, and Mrs. Lester will be contacting us soon with dates for the NO PARKING signs to be put up. We have spoken with Sheriff Brown and once the signs are placed, they will be enforcing it with warnings for the first 30 days then citations following. The safety of Mansfield Residents is our top concern.

Mayor Northen presented the rezoning of commercial district to mixed use. No action is needed currently. Our attorney asked for more time to prepare for this. Citizen input is appreciated.

New Business:

Mayor Northen presented Newton County Fusus Project, The Cities commitment will be to permit cameras on the city poles of our choosing. They do have recommendations for locations but we don't have to agree to those. Camera will help make Mansfield safer. 1 amp of power will be used per camera. City of Mansfield would have access to those cameras as well. No motion, as request for more details on locations of cameras.

Citizen Comments:

None

No further business to discuss. Mayor Pro Tem Fred Purvis moved to make a motion to adjourn at 7:26. Hays seconded the motion. All in favor.



Blair H Northen, III, Mayor



Helen Robertson, Post 2



Brandon Hays, Post 3



Fred Purvis, Post 5