

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Conyers, Georgia, City Council was held at 7:05 p.m. on June 19, 2013, in the City Council Chambers at 1194 Scott Street, Conyers, GA.

**Roll Call** – Present: Mayor Randy Mills, Council Members Chris Bowen, Vince Evans, John Fountain, Gerald Hinesley and Cleveland Stroud.

**Invocation** – The invocation was given by Council Member John Fountain.

**Pledge of Allegiance** – Mayor Randy Mills led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Mayor’s Communication** – Mayor Mills welcomed everyone.

**Citizens’ Communication** – Ms. Gerre Byrd addressed the Council regarding opposition to the Four A Development.

**Agenda Revisions:** There were no agenda revisions.

**Minutes** – Council Member Chris Bowen made a motion to approve the minutes of the June 5, 2013 regularly scheduled City Council meeting. Council Member Cleveland Stroud seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

### **Old Business:**

1. **Ordinance No. 930 adopting the annual budget for the City of Conyers for fiscal year 2013-2014.** Chief Financial Officer Isabel Rogers presented the second reading of Ordinance No. 930 adopting the annual budget for the City of Conyers for fiscal year 2013-2014, and asked for Council’s approval. Council Member Gerald Hinesley made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 930 adopting the annual budget for the City of Conyers for fiscal year 2013-2014. Council Member Vince Evans seconded the motion. After discussion, Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

### **New Business:**

1. **Public hearing: Request approval of Resolution No. 613 pursuant to the Georgia Emergency Telephone Number “911” Service Act imposing wireless enhanced 911 charge of \$1.50 on wireless telecommunications connections within the City of Conyers.** Chief Financial Officer Isabel Rogers presented the request to the Council and asked Mayor Mills to open the public hearing.

Mayor Mills opened the public hearing at 7:16 p.m.

There was no one wishing to address the Council.

Mayor Mills closed the public hearing at 7:16 p.m.

Council Member Vince Evans made a motion to approve Resolution No. 613 pursuant to the Georgia Emergency Telephone Number “911” Service Act imposing wireless enhanced 911 charge of \$1.50 on wireless telecommunications connections within the City of Conyers. Council Member Gerald Hinesley seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

2. **Public hearing: Request approval of Resolution No. 614 regarding Emergency Telephone Number “911” Service Act as amended by HB 1422 in 1990. This resolution provides for the imposition of \$1.50 for landline subscribers.** Chief Financial Officer Isabel Rogers presented the request to the Council and asked Mayor Mills to open the public hearing.

Mayor Mills opened the public hearing at 7:17 p.m.

There was no one wishing to address the Council.

Mayor Mills closed the public hearing at 7:17 p.m.

Council Member John Fountain made a motion to approve Resolution No. 614 regarding Emergency Telephone Number "911" Service Act as amended by HB 1422 in 1990, and stated that this resolution provides for the imposition of \$1.50 for landline subscribers. Council Member Chris Bowen seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

3. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 932 to amend Title 8, Chapter 7 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees for amendments to the Zoning Map and Comprehensive Plan.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 932 and waive the second reading. Council Member Chris Bowen seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

4. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 933 to amend Title 8, Chapter 6, Subdivision Regulations and Chapter 2, Title 12, Erosion Sedimentation Pollution Control of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 933 and waive the second reading. Council Member Chris Bowen seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

5. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 934 to amend Title 8, Chapter 2, Building Regulations and Code Enforcement of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 934 and waive the second reading. Council Member Cleveland Stroud seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

6. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 935 to amend Title 8, Chapter 7, Zoning Ordinance of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 935 and waive the second reading. Council Member Vince Evans seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

7. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 936 to amend Title 8, Chapter 5, Sign Ordinance of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 936 and waive the second reading. Council Member Cleveland Stroud seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

8. **Request to approve Ordinance No. 937 to amend Title 8, Chapter 7, Zoning Ordinance of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Conyers to amend established fees.** Council Member John Fountain presented the request to the Council and made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 937 and waive the second reading. Council Member Vince Evans seconded the motion. Mayor Mills called for a vote of the Council. All members voted aye. Mayor Mills declared the motion carried.

**Committee Reports:**

- Council Member Gerald Hinesley, Co-Chairman of the *Finance Oversight Committee* and Chairman of the *Transportation and Stormwater Committee*, reported that the utilities at Sigman/Sarasota will be moved soon. He also reported that the Railroad Street project is waiting on Comcast and AT&T to get permits from CSX. Council Member Hinesley reported that the PATH Foundation has verbally agreed to pay all the engineering costs estimated at \$1.1 million. He also reported that the Pratt transfer station is moving along.
- Council Member Chris Bowen, Chairman of the *GIHP, Cherokee Run, BHCNC, and Cemetery Committee* reported that this is the last week for the Atlanta Summer Classics (Bob Bell) horse show.
- Council Member Cleveland Stroud, Chairman of the *Public Safety Committee*, had nothing to report.

- Council Member Vince Evans, Chairman of the *Economic Development Committee*, reported that two businesses, Alli Roberts Salon and a gym, will be locating in the Bumper to Bumper Building
- Council Member John Fountain, Chairman of the *Community Development Committee*, reported that Four A work continues.

**City Manager's Update** – City Manager Tony Lucas commended Marvin Flanigan, Director of Planning & Inspection Services, for the diligent work of his department regarding various established fees. He also commended Jennifer Bexley for her work with the Atlanta Summer Classics horse show. City Manager Lucas addressed the Council and stated that Isabel Rogers, Chief Financial Officer, has received the GFOA CAFR Award for Financial Reporting for the 19<sup>th</sup> year.

**Executive Session** – City Manager Tony Lucas stated that there was not a need for an Executive Session.

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.



Randal S. Mills, Mayor

Attest:



Patricia I. Smith, City Clerk

