



City of Hogansville
City Council

Public Hearing & Regular Meeting Agenda

Monday, June 20, 2022

**Meeting will be held at Hogansville City Hall,
111 High Street, Hogansville, GA 30230**

Mayor: <i>Jake Ayers</i>	2025	City Manager: <i>Jonathan H. Lynn</i>
Council Post 1: <i>Michael Taylor, Jr</i>	2025	Assistant City Manager: <i>Lisa E. Kelly</i>
Council Post 2: <i>Matthew Morgan</i>	2025	City Attorney: <i>Alex Dixon</i>
Council Post 3: <i>Mandy Neese*</i>	2023	Chief of Police: <i>Jeffrey Sheppard</i>
Council Post 4: <i>Mark Ayers</i>	2023	
Council Post 5: <i>Toni Striblin</i>	2023	* Mayor Pro-Tem

Public Hearing – 7:00 pm

1. Public Hearing to Hear Citizen Comments Regarding the Proposed Budget

Regular Meeting – Immediately Following Public Hearing

1. Call to Order – Mayor Jake Ayers
2. Invocation & Pledge

Consent Agenda

All items listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be approved by one blanket motion.

1. Approval of Agenda: Regular Meeting June 20, 2022
2. Approval of Minutes: Public Hearing & Regular Meeting June 6, 2022
3. Approval of Minutes: Work Session Meeting June 6, 2022

Presentation

1. Recognition of Gina Turner for her service as Hogansville Elementary School Principal

Citizen Appearance

1. Paul Darden to Discuss Resignation of Officer Ryan Loubet

New Business

1. Pursuit Policy Amendment

Discussion Items

1. Troup County Parks & Recreation – Meeting Update

Executive Session

1. Personnel Exemption

City Manager's Report

Council Member Reports

1. Council Member Taylor
2. Council Member Morgan
3. Council Member Neese
4. Council Member Ayers
5. Council Member Striblin

Mayor's Report

Adjourn

Upcoming Dates & Events

- June 21, 2022 – 6:30 pm | Meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission at Hogansville City Hall
- June 28, 2022 – 6:30 pm | Meeting of the Downtown Development Authority at Hogansville City Hall
- June 30, 2022 – 6:00 pm | Special Called Meeting of the Mayor and Council at Hogansville City Hall
- June 30, 2022 – 6:30 pm | Town Hall Meeting at Hogansville City Hall
- July 5, 2022 – 7:00 pm | Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Council at Hogansville City Hall



PERMANENT RECORD

06/20/2022

Meeting held at Hogansville City Hall, 111 High Street, Hogansville GA 30230

Public Hearing

Mayor Jake Ayers called the Public Hearing to Order at 7:00 pm to hear citizen comments on the budget. Jason Miles of 816 Askew Ave was concerned about the 10% increase in pay for the City Manager that is in the proposed budget. City Manager Jonathan Lynn explained that the pay increase for City Manager would only come with Council approval after the required evaluation.

The Public Hearing was adjourned at 7:03 pm.

Regular Meeting

Call to Order: Mayor Jake Ayers called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm. Present were Mayor Jake Ayers, Council Member Michael Taylor, Jr., Council Member Matthew Morgan, Council Member Mandy Neese, Council Member Mark Ayers, and Council Member Toni Striblin. Also present were City Manager Jonathan Lynn and Assistant City Manager Lisa Kelly and City Attorney Alex Dixon.

City Attorney Alex Dixon gave an invocation and Mayor Ayers led the Pledge of Allegiance.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion: Mayor Ayers requested to move the Executive Session to last on the agenda. Council Member Striblin moved to approve the Consent Agenda, with the change to move the Executive Session to the last item on the agenda. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers.

Motion carries 5-0

PRESENTATION

1. Recognition of Gina Turner for her service as Hogansville Elementary School Principal

Mrs. Gina Turner is retiring after four years as principal of Hogansville Elementary School. The City recognized Mrs. Turner for her years of service as Hogansville Elementary School's principal. Council Member Neese spoke on her experiences with Mrs. Turner and thanked her for all she has done for the school. Melanie Baswell spoke about her gratitude for Mrs. Turner and thanked her for her service to the school and the kids.

CITIZEN APPEARANCE

1. Paul Darden to Discuss Resignation of Officer Ryan Loubet

Paul Darden of 701 East Main St spoke in favor of former Officer Ryan Loubet. He presented a change.org petition with 114 signatures asking for an investigation into the resignation of Ryan Loubet.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Pursuit Policy Amendment

Motion: Motion was made by Council Member Morgan to approve the amendment to the Police Pursuit Policy to allow discretion by supervisors to use alternate measures to assist in chases in an attempt to stop vehicles and better protect our citizens. The motion was seconded by Council Member Taylor.

Discussion:

Motion carries 5-0

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Troup County Parks & Recreation – Meeting Update

Council Members Michael Taylor, Jr and Matthew Morgan, along with City staff, met with Parks & Recreation members to discuss ways to encourage participation, issues at hand, and the need to coordinate projects with the county going forward. Mayor Ayers stated it was a good meeting and trying to figure out how the City can better support Parks & Recreation. Council Member Striblin asked how our board members can be brought into discussions. She said Council would like to know what Hogansville would like to see in the future.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Personnel Exemption

Council Member Striblin made a motion to enter into Executive Session under the Personnel Exemption. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers. The Regular Meeting reconvened at 11:13pm.

Motion: Council Member Mandy Neese made a motion to accept the resignation of City Manager Jonathan Lynn. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

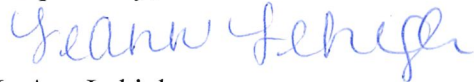
Discussion:

Motion carries 5-0

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion made by Council Member Neese and duly seconded, Mayor Jake Ayers adjourned the meeting at 11:14pm.

Respectfully,



LeAnn Lehigh
Deputy City Clerk