



City of Hogansville  
**City Council**  
Regular Meeting Agenda

**Tuesday, January 16, 2024 – 7:00 pm**

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

Mayor: <b>Jake Ayers</b>	2025	City Manager: <b>Lisa E. Kelly</b>
Council Post 1: <b>Michael Taylor, Jr *</b>	2025	Assistant City Manager: <b>Niles Ford</b>
Council Post 2: <b>Matthew Morgan</b>	2025	City Attorney: <b>Alex Dixon</b>
Council Post 3: <b>Mandy Neese</b>	2027	Chief of Police: <b>Jeffrey Sheppard</b>
Council Post 4: <b>Mark Ayers</b>	2027	City Clerk: <b>LeAnn Lehigh</b>
Council Post 5: <b>Kandis Strickland</b>	2027	* Mayor Pro-Tem

**Regular Meeting – 7:00 pm**

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 January 16, 2024
2. Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting January 2, 2023

**Executive Session**

1. Real Estate Exemption

**New Business**

1. Surplus of Motorola Police Radios
2. Statewide Mutual Aid and Assistance Agreement

**City Manager's Report**

**Chief of Police Report**

**Council Member Reports**

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

**Mayor's Report**

**Adjourn**

**Upcoming Dates & Events**

- January 18, 2024 – 6:00 pm | Meeting of the Planning & Zoning Commission at Hogansville City Hall
- January 23, 2024 – 6:30 pm | Meeting of the Downtown Development Authority at Hogansville City Hall
- February 5, 2024 – 7:00 pm | Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Council at Hogansville City Hall



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

**Regular Meeting**

**Call to Order:** Mayor Jake Ayers called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:02 pm. Present were Council Member Michael Taylor, Jr., Council Member Matthew Morgan, Council Member Mandy Neese, Council Member Mark Ayers, and Council Member Kandis Strickland. Also present were City Manager Lisa Kelly, City Attorney Alex Dixon, Police Captain Marcus Rakestraw, and City Clerk LeAnn Lehigh. Police Chief Jeff Sheppard was not present at tonight's meeting.

Council Member Taylor gave an invocation and Mayor Ayers led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to amend the Consent Agenda, adding Budget Amendment as item number 3 under New Business and moving the Executive Session to the last agenda item. The motion was seconded by Council Member Morgan.

**Motion Carries 5-0**

**Motion:** Council Member Ayers moved to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded by Council Member Taylor.

**Motion Carries 5-0**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**1. *Surplus of Motorola Police Radios***

**Motion:** A motion was made by Council Member Neese to surplus the old Motorola Police radios. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers.

**Discussion:** The old Motorola police radios had become obsolete due to the new police department radio system and new radios, so they are asking to surplus the old radios.

**Motion Passes – 5-0**

**2. *Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement***

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to approve the Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement. The motion was seconded by Council Member Taylor.

**Discussion:** The Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement is renewed every four years. This agreement allows assistance from other public safety entities, and also allows the City of Hogansville to help other jurisdictions as needed.

**Motion Passes – 5-0**

**3. *Budget Amendments***

**Motion:** Council Member Neese moved to approve budget amendments prepared by the City's auditors to close out fiscal year 2022/2023. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers.

**Discussion:** None

**Motion Passes – 5-0**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Motion:** A motion was made by Council Member Neese to enter into Executive Session under the Real Estate Exemption at 7:26pm. The motion was seconded by Council Member Ayers.

**Motion Passes – 5-0**

The Regular Meeting was reconvened at 9:22 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT**

On a motion made by Council Member Neese and duly seconded, Mayor Ayers adjourned the meeting at 9:23 pm.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "LeAnn Lehigh". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "LeAnn" being more prominent than the last name "Lehigh".

LeAnn Lehigh  
City Clerk