City of White, GA City Council Meeting Jan 4th, 2021

Present at the meeting were Mayor Kim Billue, Councilmember Dennis Huskins, Councilmember Ryan Evans, Councilmember Charles Buttrum, City Attorney Leslie Simmons and City Clerk Robin Deal.

The meeting was called to order by our Mayor Billue at 7:00 p.m. Councilmember Dennis Huskins opened the meeting with an invocation following a moment of silence for all lives lost in 2020. Mayor Billue lead us in the saying of the pledge.

The minutes from the meeting on Dec 7, 2020 were read. Councilmember Evans made a motion to approve the minutes. Councilmember Huskins seconded the motion. Motion carried with a 3-0-0 vote.

Jimmy Nichols reported for the water department stating the city had used 2,849,900 gallons of water in Dec. Nichols reported the monthly meter reading went well and that the city only had one bad leak of a 2" galvanized pipe on Hendrix Rd.

Robin Deal reported for City Hall. She presented qualifying fees of \$29.25 for general election in 2021. Motion made by Councilmember Huskins and seconded by Councilmember Evans. Motion passed with a 3-0-0 vote. Deal also presented qualifying fees of \$29.25 for special election in 2021. Motion made by Councilmember Huskins and seconded by Councilmember Evans. Motion passed with a 3-0-0 vote. Deal then presented a resolution calling for the Special Election to be held March 16, 2021 and the qualifying days be Jan 19th, 20th and 21st. Motion made by Councilmember Evans and seconded by Councilmember Huskins. Motion passed with a 3-0-0 vote. Deal continued with a resolution for approval of qualifying days for the general election during the third week of August. Motion made by Councilmember Huskins and seconded by Councilmember Evans. Motion passed with a 3-0-0 vote. Deal concluded by presenting a resolution to approve the contract for Site Engineering to do the work on the Richards Rd Project. Motion made by Councilmember Evans and seconded by Councilmember Huskins. Motion passed with a 3-0-0 vote.

Billy Baker reported on the Richards Rd project stating the contract for the engineer had been approved. Baker continued his report by saying the dumpster used for extra Christmas trash was packed. Baked stated that the city the trash pickup had been maxing out on each load and reminded folks do not put trash by your cans.

Chief Blake Davidson reported for the police department. Davidson stated he has just completed Chief School. Chief stated that Officer Holcombe is now working his swing shift. Chief also reported that the K-9 equipment will be sold to the Floyd County Police. Davidson spent the rest of his reporting time reminding folks that if you need the police, please call 911. Chief reminded our councilmember Charles Buttrum that if he is the witness of any type of domestic violence to call 911. Buttrum repeated the story spoken at the last meeting. Davidson again reminded Buttrum and everyone present to call 911 if they need help or they see someone that needs help.

Eddie Billue local citizen spoke about an event he participated in with the police department in handing out toys to the kids for Christmas. Billue stated the police department is doing good and we need to support them.

Councilmember Huskins made a motion to end the meeting. Councilmember Evans seconded the motion. Motion carried with a 3-0-0 vote. The meeting ended at 8:07.

Respectfully submitted,

Robin Deal City Clerk

Approved:

Kim D. Billue, Mayor