



City of Smyrna

Meeting Minutes - Final Pre-Council Meeting

City of Smyrna
A.Max Bacon City Hall /
Council Chambers
2800 King Street
Smyrna, GA 30080
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Monday, August 1, 2022

6:30 PM

City Hall / Admin Conference Room

Roll Call

- Present** 6 - Mayor Derek Norton, Councilmember Glenn Pickens, Councilmember Latonia P. Hines, Councilmember Travis Lindley, Councilmember Susan Wilkinson, and Councilmember Lewis Wheaton
- Absent** 2 - Councilmember Charles Welch, and Mayor Pro Tem / Councilmember Tim Gould
- Also Present** 1 - Scott Cochran
- Staff** 5 - Joe Bennett, Jill Head, Mary Jordan, Russell Martin, and Eric Randall

1. Call to Order

Mayor Derek Norton called to order the August 1, 2022 Pre-Council Meeting held at A. Max Bacon City Hall in the Administration Conference Room at 6:27 PM.

2. Review of the August 1, 2022 Mayor and Council Agenda

A. [PRE2022-11](#)

Review of the current Mayor and Council meeting agenda

Ward/ Citywide

1. Invocation and Pledge:
- Pastor Brian Downing, Oakdale Church of God (1631 Cooper Lake Rd)
2. Agenda Changes: None
3. Mayoral Report:
6. Formal Business:
-A. 2022-350 Public Hearing and adoption of the 2022 Millage rate and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.
Ward / Citywide
There was no discussion on this item.
-B. 2022-396 Authorization to offer Interim Public Works Director/ City Engineer Mr. Eric Randall the position of Public Works Director effective Monday, August 1, 2022 and to authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.
Ward / Citywide
There was no discussion on this item.
-C. CON2022-10 Authorization to enter into a contract (CON2022-11) with Labor Finders (Judicy, Inc., P.O. Box 271508, Tampa, Florida 33688-1508) for Sanitation employee recruitment for the Public Works Department at the bill rate amount of \$22.05 per hour per laborer and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.
Ward / Citywide
Councilmember Wilkinson asked how many sanitation employees the City was short. Erica Randall, City Engineer/Interim Public Works Director, stated that it is anywhere between 18 to 20 people.

-D. CON2022-11 Authorization to enter into a General Services Contract (CON2022-11), with Croy Engineering LLC. (P.O. Box 6097, Marietta, Georgia 30065-0097) and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.

Ward / City Wide

There was no discussion on this item.

-E. CON2022-06 Authorization to enter into a contract (CON2022-06) with Verra Mobility (American Traffic Solution, Inc., 1150 North Alma School Road, Mesa, AZ, 85201) in the amount of \$3,995.00 per month/per camera, contract pricing under the HGAC Buy cooperative, for the installation and maintenance of a red-light safety camera system for traffic control in specified intersections within the City (Spring Road at Cumberland Blvd. and South Cobb Drive at East West Connector) with funds generated to be used for Public Safety and held in the Donations and Special Fees Fund and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

4. Land Issues/Zonings/Annexations:

-A. CVY2022-03 Approval of abandonment of public right-of-way for the dead end segment of Corn Road just east of Elmwood Drive to Arlowe TH, LLC. This segment of Corn Road right-of-way is approximately 347'x 33' (12,210 square feet) and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.

Ward 2 / Councilmember Hines

There was no discussion on this item.

5. Privilege Licenses: None

7. Commercial Building Permits: None

8. Consent Agenda:

-A. MIN2022-50 Approval of the July 14, 2022 Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes.

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-B. MIN2022-51 Approval of the July 18, 2022 Pre-Council Meeting Minutes.

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-C. MIN2022-52 Approval of the July 18, 2022 Mayor and Council Meeting Minutes

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-D. POL2022-04 Approval of updates to Personnel Policies and Procedures - EMP 17 - Termination of Employment

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-E. 2022-376 Approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Cobb County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Sub Recipient Agreement No: CD22-C22SA to increase the total award by \$14,571.51 for a total amended PY2022 allocation of \$45,576.59 and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-F. 2022-377 Approval of Amendment No. 1 to the Cobb County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Sub Recipient Agreement No: CD22-C22S8 to decrease the total award by \$8,347.22 for a total amended PY2022 allocation of \$222,306.37 and authorize the Mayor to sign and execute all related documents.

Ward / Citywide

There was no discussion on this item.

-G. 2022-378 Approval to use Council Chambers for a Ward 7 Neighborhood Meeting, August 18, 2022, 6:30pm at A. Max Bacon City Hall, 2800 King Street SE, Smyrna Ga. 30080.

Ward 7 / Councilmember Wheaton
There was no discussion on this item.

3. Other Business

4. Executive Session (As Needed)

5. Adjournment

Mayor Derek Norton adjourned the August 1, 2022 Pre-Council Meeting at 6:35 PM.