

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EAST DUBLIN MAYOR AND COUNCIL

August 10, 2015

The regular meeting of the East Dublin Mayor and Council was called to order by Mayor George H. Gornito.

Invocation was led by Councilman Brown followed by pledge to the flag.

A motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Jackson. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion to approve the bills was made by Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilman Brown. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Bids for the Solid Waste Collection were presented. They are as follows:

Evans Disposal
Ryland Contracting, Inc.

Once the bids were opened, it was found that the bid from Ryland would not be considered due to them not qualifying with the number of years' experience in the collection of residential solid waste, which the City set as a minimum of 3 years' experience. Therefore the only bid for consideration was from Evans Disposal.

After discussion on the bid, a motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Jackson to accept the bid from Evans Disposal. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Councilman Jackson and seconded by Councilman Young to adopt the Resolution name Cherie Smith as Election Superintendent and Melissa Bassett as Absentee Ballot Clerk. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

During Recognition of Citizens, Councilman Brown introduced three citizens that were in attendance; Albert McClendon, Natalie Mitchell, and Detta Walker from District #1. These citizens addressed the Council with complaints on the Daniel Apartments located at 401 Daley Street, East Dublin. Councilman Brown advised the citizens that he had a petition for them to circulate around their neighborhood. Mayor Gornito also advised them that the City has been working with the City's Attorney on getting the apartments either renovated or demolished, but, that the legal process was slow. Mayor Gornito encouraged them to have their neighbors sign the petition to indicate that the neighborhood was in agreement that the apartments were in need of being demolished.

City Administrator Larry Drew advised the Mayor and Council that the City had 2 full time police officers leave and that 2 new full time police officers have been hired to replace the ones that left.

Being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Jackson and seconded by Councilman Williams. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Approved: 9/14/2015

George H. Gornto
Mayor

Melissa E. Bassett
City Clerk

Attending:

Mayor George H. Gornto
City Administrator Larry Drew
City Clerk Melissa Bassett
City Attorney Emily Kight

Council Members:

Braxton Brown, Jr.
Dent Jackson, Jr.
Len Tanner, Jr.
Al Williams
Zilmon Young