

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EAST DUBLIN MAYOR AND COUNCIL

December 14, 2020

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

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

A motion was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Sheppard to approve, as read, the minutes of the previous meeting. All voted in favor with none opposed.

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

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

A motion to amend the 2020-2021 budget to adjust the funds received for 2021 LMIG and funds received through the CARES Act on the revenue side and adjust the expenses to reflect the funds received for the 2021 LMIG, adjust the travel expense, and, to use the CARES Act funds to give the employees of East Dublin a cost of living raise. The motion was made by Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilwoman Roberson. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

A motion was made by Councilman Sheppard and seconded by Councilman Brown to give the City full-time employees a 2% cost of living adjustment to be retroactive back to December 1, 2020. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilwoman Roberson to accept the bid from Courtware Government Software Solutions for new municipal court software for the Police Department. The motion also included approving the City to enter into contract with Courtware Government Software Solutions. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

A motion was made by Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilman Brown to adopt the Municipal Court Resolution that authorizes the City of East Dublin to attach a \$20.00 administrative fee to each paid traffic violation to offset the fee that will be charged to the City by Courtware Government Software Solution. All voted in favor of the resolution with none opposed.

Ordinance # 2020-03 Recovery Residence was presented to the Mayor and Council. After discussion, a motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Sheppard to adopt Ordinance #2020-03 Recovery Residence. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

Alcohol license applications were reviewed for renewal for the year 2021 as follows:

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| Liquor, Beer and Wine (Packaged): | Eastside Package Shop Oconee Package Shop | Bobby R. Dollar Nirav Patel |
| Packaged Beer and Wine: | Amba Food Mart B & H Quick Stop Express 29 Flash Foods Jet Food Stores Super Mart | Ghanshyam Patel William R. Baggett Girish Patel Lisa Sorrow Charles E. Turner Vinod Kumar A. Patel |
| Packaged Beer: | Friendly Gus #6 Friendly Gus #19 | Angel S. NeSmith Angel S. NeSmith |
| Consumption on Premises: | Hideaway | James Chapman |

After discussion, a motion to approve the renewal of all alcohol licenses listed for the year 2021 was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Williams. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Early Clover addressed the Council with concerns about speeders on Attaway Street still have not been deterred even though Police Officers are patrolling the area more often. Mr. Clover asked the Mayor and Council could speed bumps be installed to help control speeding traffic in the area. Mayor and Council discussed the matter with Chief Luecke and agreed to have 2 3-way stops placed at two separate areas on Attaway. One will be placed at the intersection of Marion Street and Attaway and the second one will be placed at the intersection of Joyner and Attaway.

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

Approved: 1/11/2021

Mayor

City Clerk

12/14/2020

Attending:

Mayor George H. Gornto
City Clerk Melissa Bassett
Police Chief Bill Luecke

Council Members:

Braxton Brown, Jr.
Brenda Roberson
John Sheppard
Len Tanner, Jr.
Al Williams