

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EAST DUBLIN MAYOR AND COUNCIL

June 10, 2024

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 Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilman Brown to approve the minutes as read of the previous meeting. All voted in favor with none opposed.

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

A motion to add to the agenda "Speed Breaks" was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Williams. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Mayor Gornto advised the Council that the City has purchased some speed breaks from the City of Adrian and with Council's approval, three would be placed on Jordan Street and two will be placed on Attaway Street. Mayor Gornto also advised that there will signs placed on each road to warn drivers about the speed breaks. After discussion, a motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Tanner. All voted in favor with none opposed.

The public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2025 budget was opened. There was no one present who spoke in favor or against the proposed budget; therefore, the hearing was closed. A motion to adopt the Fiscal Year 2025 budget that will begin 7/01/2024 was made by Councilman Brown and seconded by Councilman Williams. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

A motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Tanner to approve the Fiscal Year 2024 Amended Budget. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Copy)

A motion was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Sheppard to approve spending up to \$25,000 in SPLOST funds for the repairs of three trucks in the public works department. All voted in favor with none opposed.

At this time Mayor Gornto opened the floor for Recognition of Citizens. There was no one present during this time.

At this time Mayor Gornto opened the floor for Council Comments.

Mayor Gornto stated that he will invite Brenda Smith from the Dublin Housing Authority to attend the August 12th Council meeting in order to get more information on the Jordan Street Apartment complex.

Councilwoman Roberson asked for an update on work being done at Warnock Park. Mayor Gornto stated that the concession stand roofing material has come in and will be installed soon. The big field lights are up and running and an electrician has been scheduled to come to install a new electrical box for the lights at the field next to the water plant.

Mayor Gornto advised the Council that the Jet Food convenience store located across from the East Laurens Middle School has petitioned to be annexed into the city limits of East Dublin in order to hook up to city sewer. Mayor Gornto stated that the process for them to be annexed into the city has begun.

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

Approved: 7/08/2024

Mayor

City Clerk

Attending:

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

Council Members:

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