

CITY OF PEACHTREE CORNERS
COUNCIL MEETING
July 16, 2013, @ 7:00PM

The Mayor and Council of the City of Peachtree Corners held a Council Meeting at City Hall, 147 Technology Parkway, Suite 200, Peachtree Corners, GA, 30092. The following were in attendance:

Mayor	Mike Mason
Council Member	Phil Sadd – Post 1
Council Member	James Lowe – Post 2
Council Member	Alex Wright – Post 3
Council Member	Jeanne Aulbach – Post 4
Council Member	Lorri Christopher – Post 5
Council Member	Weare Gratwick – Post 6
City Attorney	Bill Riley
City Manager	Julian Jackson
City Clerk	Kym Chereck
Director, Com. Dev.	Diana Wheeler

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Mason led the Pledge of Allegiance.

MAYOR’S OPENING COMMENTS: Mayor Mason introduced the City’s Summer Inter, Mary Kate Byrne, a senior at The Marist School.

MINUTES:

MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE JULY 2, 2013 COUNCIL MEETING.

By: Council Member Christopher

Seconded by: Council Member Gratwick

Vote: (6-0) (Christopher, Gratwick, Mason, Sadd, Wright, Lowe)

CONSIDERATION OF THE MEETING AGENDA:

There was no change in the agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT: There was no public comment.

REPORTS and PRESENTATIONS: Community Development Director, Diana Wheeler, a provided her report on staff activities that occurred during the period of July 1, 2013 – July 12, 2013. These activities included, among other items, a meeting with Partnership Gwinnett, meeting with representatives of a Senior Living project, working with Pond to finalize Comprehensive Plan goals, and responding to phone calls and e-mails from residents, business people and others.

OLD BUSINESS:

ACTION ITEM

Consideration of Intergovernmental Agreement with Gwinnett County for Hotel/Motel Tax.

MOTION TO APPROVE THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH GWINNETT COUNTY FOR HOTEL/MOTEL TAX.

By: Council Member Gratwick

Seconded by: Council Member Sadd

Vote: (6-0) (Gratwick, Sadd, Mason, Wright, Lowe, Christopher)

ACTION ITEM

Consideration of Agreement with the Gwinnett Convention & Visitors Bureau.

MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGREEMENT WITH THE GWINNETT CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU.

By: Council Member Gratwick

Seconded by: Council Member Christopher

Vote: (6-0) (Gratwick, Christopher, Mason, Sadd, Lowe, Wright)

(Councilwoman Aulbach now present)

NEW BUSINESS:

ACTION ITEM

Consideration of authorizing the Mayor to send a letter to the Department of Community Affairs requesting 'Less Developed Census Tract' designation for a specified area of the City in order to promote job growth and provide tax incentives for business development.

MOTION TO APPROVE THE MAYOR'S LETTER TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS REQUESTING LESS DEVELOPED CENSUS

TRACT DESIGNATION FOR A SPECIFIED AREA OF THE CITY IN ORDER TO PROMOTE JOB GROWTH AND PROVIDE TAX INCENTIVES FOR BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT.

By: Council Member Lowe

Seconded by: Council Member Sadd

Vote: (7-0) (Lowe, Sadd, Wright, Mason, Aulbach, Christopher, Gratwick)

ACTION ITEM

Consideration for approval of the amended and Restated Contract Agreement between the City of Peachtree Corners and CH2MHill Engineers, Inc. (CH2MHill)

MOTION TO APPROVE THE AMENDED AND RESTATED CONTRACT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF PEACHTREE CORNERS AND CH2MHill.

By: Council Member Sadd

Seconded by: Council Member Aulbach

Vote: (7-0) (Sadd, Aulbach, Mason, Lowe, Wright, Christopher, Gratwick)

EXECUTIVE SESSION: There was no Executive Session.

ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 7:15 PM.

By: Council Member Lowe

Seconded by: Council Member Sadd

Vote: (7-0) (Lowe, Sadd, Mason, Wright, Aulbach, Christopher, Gratwick)

Approved,



Mike Mason, Mayor

Attest:



Kimberly Chereck, City Clerk