

AGENDA
GEORGETOWN-QUITMAN COUNTY, GEORGIA
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 14, 2020

CALL TO ORDER 6:30 PM

AGENDA AMENDMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Time allocated 10-minute's total)

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS
MONTH CHECK REGISTERS
APPROVAL OF BILLS

APPROVED
APPROVED

MINUTES
MONTH

Regular meeting minutes March 9, 2020 **APPROVED**

REPORTS

MANAGER'S REPORT

EMS
EMA DIRECTOR
FIRE
FAMILY CONNECTIONS

OLD BUSINESS

UPDATE

ACTION ITEM

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NEW BUSINESS

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

New Horizon appointment-Linda McElroy **APPROVED**
2020-02 Budget Amendment Exhibit A **APPROVED**

APPEARANCES

MEETING ADJOURN

**GEORGETOWN-QUITMAN COUNTY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 9, 2020
6:30PM**

CALLED TO ORDER The meeting was called to order at 6:34 p.m. with prayer followed by the pledge. Members present were Commissioners: Lewis, Blackmon, Hayes, Kinsey and Bussey. County Attorney Tracy Cary, County Clerk Carolyn Wilson, and Financial Officer Teri Odom. (County Manager Jason Weeks was absent due to repair of road.)

AGENDA AMENDMENTS-

Motion made by Kinsey to accept the agenda. Second by Hayes. Voting Yes- Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis. (Bussey was not present at this time.)

PUBLIC COMMENT- Tax Commissioner Mindy Ward and Superior Clerk of Court Becky Fendley chose to run as independent elected officials so the funds that they pay in will stay here in Georgetown-Quitman County.

PREVIOUS MONTH CHECK REGISTER- **Motion made by Hayes to approve previous month check register. Second by Kinsey.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Motion made by Blackmon to approve the bills as presented. Second by Hayes. Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon and Lewis.

MINUTES

February 11, 2020 Regular meeting minutes. **Motion made by Kinsey to approve the minutes of the Regular meeting minutes. Second by Bussey.** Voting Yes- Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

February 17, 2020 Called meeting minutes. **Motion made by Blackmon to approve the minutes of the Called meeting. Second by Kinsey.** Voting Yes-Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

March 4, 2020 Called Meeting Minutes. **Motion made by Blackmon to approve the minutes of the called meeting. Second by Hayes.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis. (Kinsey and Weeks were not present at this meeting.)

MANAGER'S REPORT-This was omitted due to the County Manager being absent. Weeks was with the Road Dept. repairing County Line Road that was completely washed out.

LIBRARY-

FAMILY CONNECTIONS- Family Connections Coordinator Sara Lee Crumbs explained to everyone that they received the Sandra Deal grant to support literacy. She is working with Columbus State and County Agent Kayla Wall to add a program where children will learn healthy cooking and eating. Georgia Care is coming on March 31, 2020 to the Community Center to answer questions for seniors about Medicare and benefits. Health Fair will be held on March 24, 2020 at the Community Center from 8:30-10:00 a.m. to help address health issues within the community. Farmers Market to give out fresh produce. The date and time will be announced for the Farmers market as soon as Ms. Crumbs gets this information. Crumbs wanted to let everyone know about an Employer ID program that will be held by the Dept. of Labor on April 23, 2020. Transportation will be provided to Albany Tech. site in Cuthbert. This is for persons that need a job, or transitioning from a job or trying to keep a job.

Fire Dept. Report- Fire Chief Pate was present at the meeting and gave an update on the Fire Dept. They had 9 calls for the month of February. Pate reported that they have been working with the school more and will be attending career day on Wednesday at the school. They have had some special training from the Georgia Public Safety training council came here and did some training with them. It was very thorough and detailed. Pate and EMA Director Taylor are working on a Wal-Mart grant. He also announced that he and Odom have completed a grant for a new fire truck.

OLD BUSINESS-

ORDINANCE 01-2020 ELECTION QUALIFICATIONS- Chairman Lewis read Ordinance 01-2020 to the audience. This was the second reading of Ordinance 01-2020. **Motion made by Blackmon to approve Ordinance 01-2020 Election Qualifications. Second by Kinsey.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

ORDINANCE 02-2020 GENERAL PREREQUISITES FOR APPROVAL OF

ALCOHOLIC BEV. LICENSE- Chairman Lewis read ordinance 02-2020 to the audience. This was the second reading of ordinance 02-2020. **Motion made by Hayes to approve Ordinance 02-2020 General Prerequisites for approval of Alcoholic Bev. License. Second by Kinsey.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

ORDINANCE 03-2020 MOBILE HOME PERMIT FEE-Chairman Lewis read ordinance 03-2020 to the audience. This was the second reading of ordinance 03-2020. **Motion made Kinsey to approve Ordinance 03-2020 Mobile Home Permit fee. Second by Hayes.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

NEW BUSINESS-

EXECUTIVE SESSION-

Motion made by Blackmon to close regular session. Second by Kinsey. Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis. **Motion made by Hayes to go into Executive Session to discuss negotiation to purchase, dispose of or lease property at 7:32 p.m. Second by Blackmon.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

Motion made by Kinsey to close Executive Session. Second by Hayes. Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis. **Motion made by Bussey to return to Regular Session. Second by Blackmon.** Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

Motion made by Hayes to go into an intergovernmental agreement with the Local Economic Development Authority on the lease of the blue building located at 845 US Hwy 82 Georgetown, Ga. Second by Bussey. Voting Yes-Bussey, Kinsey, Hayes, Blackmon, and Lewis.

APPEARANCES –

MEETING ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn 7:57 p.m.

Carvel Lewis, Chairman

Danny Blackmon, Vice Chairman

Willie H. Bussey, Jr., Commissioner

David Kinsey, Commissioner

Jim Hayes, Commissioner

NOT PRESENT
Attest: Jason Weeks, County Manager