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P3 – William Malcom
P4 – John Robison, Jr.
P5 – David Mullis, Jr.

Good Hope City Council Minutes August 2, 2021

1. **Call to order:** Mayor Randy Garrett called the meeting to order at 6:32 pm, the invocation was led by Mayor Randy Garrett and Councilmember Kelsey Malcom led the pledge.
2. **Roll Call:** Performed by City Clerk Missy Daigle, Council Members David Mullis, Keith Prather, William Malcom and Kelsey Malcom were in attendance.
3. **Approval of agenda:** Mayor Randy Garrett called to make amendments to the agenda, 6C Appointment of Safety coordinator and 8C Other, under new business. Councilman William Malcom made a motion to approve the amendments to the agenda and Councilman David Mullis seconded, all approved.
4. **Approval of previous meeting's minutes:** Councilmember Kelsey Malcom made a motion to accept July Council minutes. Councilmember William Malcom seconded, all approved, motion passed and minutes were recorded.
5. **Public Forum:** There was no public forum at the August council meeting.
6. **Committee Reports/Updates:**
 - A. **Budget Update:** The council was presented with a year-to-date report. Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to accept the budget report and Councilmember William Malcom seconded the motion. All were in favor and the budget report was approved.
 - B. **SPLOST funds and City projects update:** DHI made repairs to the bench at the pavilion, these repairs were taken care of with SPLOST 4 funds. There was discussion of using SPLOST 4 funds to replace the water damaged ceiling tiles. We will be receiving \$32,000.00 from ARPA that will have to be used in a 2-year span, there was discussion to possibly use some of these funds to put touchless soap and paper towel dispensers, and faucets in the bathrooms.
 - C. **Appointment of Safety Coordinator:** Mayor Randy Garrett brought William Malcom before the council to be appointed as the safety coordinator. Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to accept William Malcom as the safety coordinator Councilmember David Mullis seconded the motion and was passed 100% to accept Councilmember William Malcom as the safety coordinator.
7. **Unfinished business:**
 - A. **Community Event Review:** There was a great turn out and great reviews from the community, special thanks to Councilmember Kelsey Malcom for cutting the field for parking.
8. **New Business:**
 - A. (1). **Land Development Ordinance:** Changes in the Walton Co. Land Development Ordinance were reviewed by the GH P&Z and recommendations to align the GH LDO with the County LDO were made. Changes are to be sent to the city attorney to structure.
(2). New fee schedule was approved by motion of Councilmember William Malcom, seconded by Councilmember Keith Prather and was passed 100% for the fees to be effective on September 13, 2021.
 - B. **Good Hope City Park:** Councilmember William Malcom made a motion that the city park should be renamed in Honor of former Mayor Jimmy Guthrie, the motion was seconded by Councilmember Keith Prather and was passed by the council 100%
 - C. **Other:** Mayor Randy Garrett open the floor for discussion on possibly getting a diaper changing station in one of the bathrooms and changing the bulbs in City Hall to LED bulbs, he presented the council with estimates of both projects provided by DHI. Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to contract with DHI to do both of these jobs, it was seconded by Councilmember David Mullis and was passed 100%, also a motion was made by Councilmember Keith Prather that on renovations costing \$2500.00 or less Mayor Randy Garrett would have authorization to do so without waiting on a vote from the council, the motion was seconded by Councilmember David Mullis and was passed 100%.
9. **Council Discussion:**
 - A. **County and Municipal updated Comprehensive Plan:** A series of meetings will be set to update the Plan.
 - B. **Committee Taskings:** There was no new discussion at this time.

- C **America Rescue Plan Act:** Discussed in 6B
- D. **Other:** It was brought to our attention that the Councilmembers are not able to respond to emails, the City Clerk, Missy Daigle will contact Windstream and try to resolve this issue.
10. **Adjourn:** Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Councilmember David Mullis seconded, all approved and the meeting was adjourned at 7:34 pm

Mayor

Clerk