

Minutes of Regular Meeting
Mayor and Council
City of Fitzgerald, Georgia
April 12, 2021
6:00 pm

Mayor and Council of the City of Fitzgerald, Georgia, met in a **Regular** meeting in the City Hall Council Chambers, located at 302 East Central Avenue, with Mayor Puckett presiding and with Council members Brown, Griffin, D. Jefferson, S. Jefferson, J. Johnson, K. Johnson, Peavey, Roberts, and Webb being present.

Mayor Puckett welcomed everyone.

Roll Call

Regular meeting minutes for March 8, 2021, were presented.

Motion: Roberts

Second: A. Webb

With no discussion: Roll Call Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No. All in favor, motion approved.

Administrative report was brought to everyone's attention. Mayor Puckett noted Tourism Arts and Council report and they have been very busy. Mayor Puckett wanted to thank Public Works for all their hard work for cleaning the streets after the chicken festival and the hard work they put in. The police department and the install of the FLOCK system. Chief Smallwood said the FLOCK system became operational last Friday with 5 of the 8 cameras in operation. During the first day 46,700 plus vehicles came through 1 camera and spotted over 240 expired tags. So far, the cameras are doing their job.

Report of standing committees was presented.

Reports of Special Committees presented by Councilman Tommy Roberts.

- Beer only application for 1941 BP, dba Food Mart at 514 E Roanoke Drive was presented.
- This application has been through the proper channels of the Sheriff and Police departments, zoning and administration.

Motion to accept this application: T. Roberts.

Second Webb

With no discussion: Roll Call Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No. All in favor, motion approved.

City Attorney, Kyle Cook, presented the following Ordinance and Ordinance Captions:

- Ordinance 21-1562: An Ordinance to amend Chapter 17 "Motor Vehicles and Traffic" of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fitzgerald, Georgia, specifically Article I "In General" regarding establishment of designated motorized cart and/or personal transportation vehicle crossings of Georgia State Routes.
 - **Dispense** with full reading: Roberts
 - **Second:** Griffin
 - **With no discussion: Roll Call Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No. All in favor, motion approved.**

Mayor Puckett asked for approval of Ordinance 21-1562.

Motion to approve: Webb

Second: J. Johnson

With no discussion: Roll Call Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No. All in favor, motion approved.

- Ordinance Caption: An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 18, "Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions" of the Code of Fitzgerald, Georgia, Specifically Article III, "Miscellaneous" Regarding the regulation of the Sale of Tobacco to under age persons.
- Ordinance Caption: An Ordinance to close to vehicular traffic that portion of the public alley between city lots 4 and 5 in Square 1, Block 12, in the City of Fitzgerald, Georgia.
- Ordinance Caption: An Ordinance to amend the City of Fitzgerald zoning district map with respect to five (5) acres, more or less, in five-acre tract 1258 in land lot number 91, in the third land district of Ben Hill County, Georgia, located at 714 W. Roanoke Drive, Fitzgerald, GA 31750, in the City of Fitzgerald, Ben Hill County, Georgia; to rezone said property from C-C (city) to R-15 (city).
- Ordinance Caption: An Ordinance to amend the City of Fitzgerald zoning district map with respect to 4.3 acres, more or less, in five-acre tract 927 in land lot number 150, in the third land district of Ben Hill County, Georgia, located at 172 Wilson Avenue, Fitzgerald, GA 31750, in the City of Fitzgerald, Ben Hill County, Georgia; to rezone said property from R-9 (city) to MHP (city).

Mayor Puckett asked for a motion on the approval to execute supplemental agreement for the airport project.

Motion to approve: J. Johnson

Second: Webb

With no discussion: Roll Call Vote: 9 Yes, 0 No. All in favor, motion approved.

Mayor Puckett thanked everyone for attending. Mayor Puckett called attention to Melissa Dark who is doing an amazing job at the Chamber.

With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'J. Puckett', is written over a horizontal line.

MAYOR