

Minutes from the Commission Meeting held on

August 10, 2009

The Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of Englewood met in regular session on Monday, August 10, 2009 at 6:00 pm in the community center.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Roach called the meeting to order with commissioners Tony Hawn, Neal Moses and Amos Brock present. Todd Brown was not present at this time.

INVOCATION

Invocation was given by Amos Brock.

OLD BUSINESS

WATER TANKS

The Board agreed to have a work session on Monday, August 17, 2009 at 6:00pm in the community center to discuss the water tanks.

STOP SIGNS ON SUNSET

Brock addressed the Board concerning stop signs being stolen in the Sunset vicinity. Brock further stated that he did not know if this was a problem throughout the town, or just in that area.

Todd Brown arrived at this time.

NEW BUSINESS

JULY 2009 MINUTES

Motion was made by Hawn, seconded by Brock to approve the July 2009 Minutes. Hawn Aye, Brown Aye, Moses Aye, Brock Aye and Roach Aye.

COURT JUDGE

Due to the untimely death of City Court Judge Don Reid, **motion** was made by Hawn, seconded by Brock to appoint Winder & Green Law Firm to decide which one of the two will be the acting judge. Hawn Aye, Brown Aye, Moses Aye, Brock Aye and Roach Aye.

CHECKING ACCOUNTS

Denton addressed the Board concerning the checking accounts at BB&T Bank. Denton stated that the accounts had been accruing .02% interest rates. While addressing the issue; Sissy Riggs (the Branch Manager of the Englewood BB&T Bank) and Bo Perkinson discussed changing the rate to .30%, but would charge a service fee of \$25.00

monthly. Jim McDonald (Branch Manager of the Peoples Bank in Englewood) said they could offer .50% interest rate and waive all fees associated with the accounts. **Motion** was then made by Moses, seconded by Hawn to close the checking accounts at BB&T and move them to Peoples Bank. Hawn Aye, Brown Aye, Moses Aye, Brock Aye and Roach Aye. Mayor Roach then advised Denton- that anytime there were extra funds in the accounts-, she should open certificate of deposits for a five to six month term.

FIRE HYDRANTS

The Board agreed to discuss the fire hydrants at the next work session.

SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PLAN

The Board agreed to discuss the sidewalk replacement plan at the next work session.

ALLEY BETWEEN WEST ATHENS STREET AND HAMILTON STREET

Discussion was made concerning an alley between West Athens Street and Hamilton Street. Cass stated that there were two houses along this alley and if an emergency arose at those residences, then the emergency personnel would not know where to respond. The residents are listed as Shady Grove, but are not actually on Shady Grove. The Board then requested for Cass to contact the 911 Addressing Center to discuss this issue.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Neal Moses read the July 2009 Fire Department report.

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Police Chief Wright read the July 2009 Police Department report.

LINDA DAVIS

Linda Davis addressed the Board concerning the use of dumpsters near her residence. Mayor Roach said that he would contact the owner of the dumpsters, Wayne Covington regarding the complaints.

GENERAL DISCUSSION

Cass stated that due to the death of Planning Committee Member Stephen Legend, the Mayor would need to look into filling the empty seat. Cass further stated that the Board would need to decide about the swimming pool drain covers. Moses then stated that he would like to see a five (5) year plan in place regarding replacing the play equipment at the park. The Board then instructed Cass to drain the pool and begin the sandblasting project.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Hawn, seconded by Brown to adjourn the meeting. Hawn Aye, Brown Aye, Moses Aye, Brock Aye and Roach Aye.

Raymond Roach
Mayor

Sondra Denton
Recorder