

**City of New Ellenton
Regular Meeting of City Council
New Ellenton City Hall
MINUTES**

Monday, June 24, 2019

7:15 PM

WELCOME: Mayor Vernon Dunbar

INVOCATION: Pastor Elijah McDaniel

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: All Stood

ROLL CALL FOR THE RECORD:

Council present – Vernon Dunbar, David Dunbar, Sr., Ron Reynolds, Eartha Rogers, Crystal Bing Smith, Terence Williams (after roll call)

Others present –Zorayda El, Maria Tamimi-Bush, Roger Leduc, David Alexander, Geneva Jackson, Patricia Sullivan, Rex Nordeen, Alqueena Bey, Shawn Middleton

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

***Rasheeka Gaines-** How many baseball teams were there this year? (Question posed to Councilman Sammie McDuffie, III. Reply: T-ball had 3 teams and baseball had 3 teams. Between 70-80 children.)

APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MINUTES

May 20, 2019- Regular Meeting

Motion to approve: Sammie McDuffie, III

2nd to the motion: David Dunbar

There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Selection of Election Commission Members (2 needed)-Rex Nordeen has volunteered for Commission.

2. 2nd Reading of 2019-2020 Millage Rate

Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds

2nd to the motion: Terence Williams

There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval

3. 2nd Reading of 2019-2020 Budget

Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds

2nd to the motion: Terence Williams

There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval

NEW BUSINESS:

1. 1st Reading of an Ordinance Establishing Requirements for the Attendance of Member of the City Council at Regular Monthly Meetings of the City Council

Motion to approve: Ron Reynolds

2nd to the motion: David Dunbar

There was a vote; 4 in favor of approval and 3 in opposition

COMMENTS FROM MAYOR & COUNCIL:

***Sammie McDuffie, III-**All-Star was a success. End of season banquet will be held during a weekday. Before football season the gate will be taken down. Will put in work order to have goal post put up at field.

***Chief Alesia Parks-** On May 28th Sergeant Mitchell, dressed up as the Crime Dog and donated the food from The Snack Shack, Maria, Officer Ayres, Councilwoman Rogers, and Zorayda went to Greendale to feed 465 students lunch. On June 24th the police department spoke at Career Day at Stepping Stones.

ADIJOURNMENT:

Motion to approve: Eartha Rogers

2nd to the motion: David Dunbar

There was a unanimous vote in favor of approval

EXECUTIVE SESSION: To discuss personnel matters

Enter @ 8:27pm

Exit @9:18pm

INFORMATION:

Back to School Giveaway – Saturday, August 17th at New Ellenton Community Center-sponsored by “Crowing Lupus”.

Free Transportation for New Ellenton Residents through Aiken Senior Life Services (803)508-7033

Supporting materials attached:


Memo: City Budget 2019/2020

2019-2020 Budget

Ordinance No. 06242019-1

Ordinance No. 06242019-2


City Clerk Signature/Date


Mayor/Date