



City of
HAWTHORNE
Florida

MINUTES
CITY COMMISSION HYBRID MEETING
Tuesday, March 2, 2021
6:30 PM

A. CALL TO ORDER- Mayor Surrency

1. Invocation- Commissioner Randall
2. Pledge of Allegiance – Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved to approve the agenda.

Motion- Commissioner Howard Second- Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham

Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson	Yes
Commissioner Howard	Yes
Commissioner Randall	Yes
Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham	Yes
Mayor Surrency	Yes

Vote 5-0

C. RECOGNITIONS & GUESTS- None

D. COMMITTEE REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS/PROCLAMATIONS- None

E. CITIZEN COMMENTS

Mr. Eugene Lewis- In the process of opening a business and will need water and sewer. Is hoping the city is willing to work with him. Use to be a shed/car dealership there and is eager to get started. E&G Country Kitchen.

F. ROUTINE ITEMS

1. Commission Minutes (February 16, 2021)

Moved to approve the minutes.

Motion- Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson Second- Commissioner Randall

Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson	Yes
Commissioner Howard	Yes
Commissioner Randall	Yes
Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham	Yes
Mayor Surrency	Yes

Vote 5-0

2. Resolution- 2013 Hustler Mower

Moved to go with Lazenby-Starke to purchase a Hustler Super Z FX1000 72" cut for \$10,384.

Motion- Commissioner Howard Second- Commissioner Randall

City Attorney read the resolution by title only.

Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson	Yes
Commissioner Howard	Yes
Commissioner Randall	Yes
Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham	Yes
Mayor Surrency	Yes

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3. City of Hawthorne Project List

City Manager Vause gave an update on the activities with grants, and city funds on major projects in the City of Hawthorne.

G. PUBLIC HEARING

FIRST READING- None

SECOND READING

1. Ordinance- Utility Rate Ordinance- 2nd Reading

Moved to adopt Ordinance on 2nd reading as amended of 2.25%.

Motion- Commissioner Bouie Second- Commissioner Howard

Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson	Yes
Commissioner Howard	Yes
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H. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Sunrise Service

City Manager Vause informed the City Commission that staff was approached to have sunrise service at the Lindsey Phillips Park. The City Commission agreed but the Alachua County guidelines must be followed.

I. CITIZEN COMMENTS - None

J. REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS/INFORMATION

1. City Manager Vause gave her City Manager's Report.

2. City Attorney Hoehn- No Report

3. City Clerk McGruder- No Report

4. City Commissioners Report

Commissioner Randall- Is soliciting good vibes for the rural area rezoning meeting she will speak at.

Vice Mayor Roberts-Cheatham- No Report

Commissioner Bouie-Hutchinson- No Report

Commissioner Howard- No Report

5. Mayor Surrency Report- FLC doing more virtually meetings. Alachua County Fair begins this week. Only animals no rides. He is helping raise money for kids that do not have buyers for their animals. Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at the fair grounds on Saturday at 5:30PM.

K. ADJOURN @ 7:43PM.

These minutes are submitted for approval.

LaKesha H. McGruder, MMC
City Clerk

Matthew Surrency, Mayor