



MINUTES

Mayor & Council Meeting

October 2, 2023

6:00PM



Council Chambers, 50 Booster Field Drive, Whitesburg, Georgia 30185

Elected Officials Present

Mayor, Amy Williford (AW)
 Councilmember, Chris Lewis (CL)
 Councilmember, Lucy Gamble (LG)
 Councilmember, Donna Whitley (DW)

City Staff Present

Water Superintendent, Robert Gamble (RG)
 Chief Of Police, Chris Gilliland (CG)
 Utility Clerk, Wendy Morris (WM)

The Mayor and City Council met for a regular meeting on October 2, 2023. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Amy Williford at 6:02 pm, stating we had a Quorum and requesting everyone to silence all electronic devices.

The first order of business was the Approval of the Meeting Agenda; Mayor Williford asked for a Motion to approve the Agenda. **Motion By:** Councilmember Lewis, to approve agenda and to table to GBI Rapid-ID. **Second By:** Councilmember Gamble, **Motion Approved** with No Objections.

Minutes For Approval:

- Mayor and Council Work Session August 29, 2023
- Mayor and Council Meeting September 8, 2023

Councilmember Lewis made a motion to approve minutes. **Second By:** Councilmember Gamble, Motion Approved with No objections.

Citizen Comments & Discussion On Agenda Items: None

Business Session:

Councilmember Whitley made a Motion to approve Wendy Morris and Donna Whitley to attend the City Clerks Development Class on October 17-19, 2023, located in Tifton, GA. **Second By:** Councilmember Lewis, **Motion Approved** with No objection.

Councilmember Gamble ask to table the new set up for the handicap swing set, as there are other improvements that need to be completed before we start that project.

Councilmember Gamble made a motion to obtain handicap swing from Korkat for \$896.00 to be paid from the 2013 SPLOST fund, this will replace our current handicap swing. **Second By:** Councilmember Whitley. **Motion Approved** with No Objections.

Councilmember Lewis made a Motion to purchase a Refurbished Toughbook for \$649.00 to be paid from Redspeed funds. **Second By:** Councilmember Whitley, **Motion Approved** with No objections.

Citizen Comments:

Imogene Frazier – Main Street – Did we approve Donna and Wendy to attend class? What will Sutton be over if he wins?

Mayor Williford: It was approved for Donna and Wendy to attend the necessary Clerk class. The Council will go over each councilmember’s duties in January. We all work together.

Margery Bouris – Library – Meet and Greet on Thursday at the Library @ 6pm. Pete Gamble will be speaking.

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Mayor / Council / City Staff Comments:

Councilmember Gamble – Trunk or Treat will be held on the ballfield on October 31. Sunday November 19 we will have the Whitesburg Community Thanksgiving dinner held by the churches. This dinner is to help the Whitesburg Care Fund. On Saturday December 2 @ 8am, Breakfast with Santa. We will have a festival of trees if anyone wants to participate. These trees will be fully decorated and given away at Breakfast with Santa.

Chief Gilliland – Car Show on October 28, 2023 at Whitesburg Elementary School. Vendors will be set up in gym. We are also participating in Red Ribbon Week at school. School Resource Officer Lieutenant Salazar has been working on getting items together for the students for that week.

Mayor Williford – Friday December 1, 2023 @ 6:30pm we will have the Christmas Tree Lighting with Santas arrival.

Mayor Williford, If there are no other comments, I need a motion we adjourn. **Motion By:** Councilmember Lewis made a motion to adjourn., **Second By:** Councilmember Whitley, **Motion Approved** with No Objections.

Mayor & Council Meeting ended at 6:22 pm.

Amy R. Williford, Mayor

ATTEST: Clerk

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