



**CITY OF WALESKA
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
August 5, 2024**

Present: Mary Helen Lamb, Mayor
Dennis Cochran, Pro Tem
Michael Greene, Councilmember
Kristi Bosch, Councilmember
Logan Patrick, Councilmember
Eddie Blackwell, Councilmember
Peter Brown, Councilmember
Chris Lumpkin, Water Maintenance
Robyn Smith, City Clerk/Manager
Lamar Rogers, Turnipseed Engineers
John Meier, City Attorney

Item 1: Call to Order

Mayor Mary Helen Lamb called the meeting to order with a quorum present.

Item 2: Pledge of Allegiance/Innovation

Mayor Lamb led the Pledge to the Flag

Item 3: Consideration to Approve Regular Council Meeting Minutes July 22, 2024

Mayor Mary Helen Lamb asked for a motion to approve the Regular council minutes for July 22, 2024. A motion was made by Councilmember Cochran, seconded by Councilmember Greene, and approved by all members present.

Item 4: Discussion of Millage Rate

- Everyone is agreement to do revenue neutral

Item 5: Five Minute Public Hearing

- None

Item 8: Water System Report

- Chris Lumpkin reported that the PRV is locked.
- Chris Lumpkin reported that he opened the bypass at Preserve at Canyon Ridge and one homeowner told him it raised his pressure 10 psi.
- Sardis Rd leak has been fixed again

Item 9: City Manager Report

- None.

Item 10: City Attorney's Report

- Attorney John Meier mentioned that he received an email at 5:05pm from Catherine at Cherokee County that the deadline to submit for annexation was at 5pm today.

Item 11: Mayor's Report

- Mayor reported that gas company tore up the sidewalk on Reinhardt College Pkwy., will they come back out and fix it? Chris wasn't sure but he would keep an eye out for it.
- Chris reported to the council that he had called Russell Landscaping, and they came out today for him to show them what was to be cut. We will get a quote in a couple of weeks.
- Mayor asked Lamar if he had heard from Tim Stancil. He had not heard but would get back in touch with him.
- Mayor reported that the city clerk had received a call from GMA about the water outages we had been having. They had received a call from Charlice Byrd about the outage. The city clerk reported to them what had happened with the scada and the lighting and that we had everything under control and had also issued a boil water. GMA representatives said that the city clerk might receive a call from Jim Thorton or Mitchell Scoggins, and that the mayor and council needed to be aware. The mayor reported that she is waiting for Mitchell Scoggins to call her for a meeting.

Item 12: Council Remarks

- None

Item 13: Adjourn Regular Council Meeting

Item 14: Enter into Executive Session for Personnel

Item 15: Adjourn Executive Session

Item 16: Enter into Regular Council Meeting

- A motion was made by Councilmember Cochran to increase the pay for Chris Lumpkin and update his job description, seconded by Councilmember Greene, and approved by all members present.

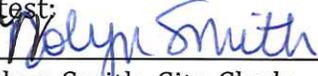
Item 17: Adjourn Regular Council Meeting

APPROVED THIS 19th DAY OF August, 2024.

Mary Helen Lamb

Mary Helen Lamb, Mayor

Attest:



Robyn Smith, City Clerk