



CITY OF KINGSLAND, GEORGIA

CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES • JANUARY 24, 2022

Regular Meeting

City Council Chamber

6:00 PM

107 South Lee Street - City Hall, Kingsland, GA 31548

I. CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME GUESTS

II. ROLL CALL

James W Galloway	Councilman	(Remote)
Farran Fullilove	Councilman	(Remote)
Kristy Chance	Councilwoman	(Absent)
Alex Blount	Mayor Pro Tem	(Remote)
Charles Grayson Day Jr.	Mayor	(Remote)

III. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

Councilman Fullilove gave the Invocation and led in the Pledge to the Flag.

IV. CONSENT DOCKET

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Farran Fullilove, Councilman
SECONDER:	James W Galloway, Councilman
AYES:	Galloway, Fullilove, Blount
ABSENT:	Chance

- A. Approve the Council Minutes of the last regular Council Meeting
- B. Approve the Agenda as Presented
- C. Approve the Payments of Accounts Payable as Due and Funds Available

V. PRESENTATION

- 1. Presentation: TrueBlue Speed Enforcement - School Zone -

Mr. Ryan Moore with TrueBlue Speed Enforcement gave a presentation on their Photo Speed Enforcement Program for school zones. Mr. Moore stated they had done a five day baseline study of seven schools in Kingsland. This baseline is based on Georgia Code §40-14-18, which states a violation is in excess of ten miles over the

speed limit. This study showed over 1100 cars going 10-14 miles over the speed limit and 159 cars going 21+ miles over during this five day study. TrueBlue would provide information to the public before this program would be implemented via social media, insert in utility bill, and visiting PTA meetings at the schools. Councilman Blount asked how these tickets are processed. Mr. Moore stated that the system uses a laser beam, which is more accurate than radar. A picture is taken of both the car and the license plate. This information would then be reviewed by one of Kingsland's officers, and once approved, TrueBlue's office would then mail out the ticket. Councilman Galloway asked if the company provided a representative for our court should the ticket be challenged. Mr. Moore stated that they do have a liaison that would come to court. Councilman Blount and Councilman Fullilove both asked for clarification on the percentage of the ticket funds that the city would receive. Mr. Moore stated that the city would receive 65%.

VI. GRANTING AUDIENCE TO THE PUBLIC

No one came forward to speak.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

1. Approval Of: Contract for Services Between City of Kingsland and Camden Community Crisis Center, Inc. for 2022 -

The City is in need of a safe shelter to provide food, lodging, clothing and other valuable services for victims and potential victims of family violence when the Police Department finds it necessary to remove these persons from an unsafe environment for their safety. This service contract shall be for an initial period of one (1) year commencing on January 1, 2022 and terminating on December 31, 2022. The City shall pay to the Center for its services to victims of family violence the sum of \$7,500.

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Alex Blount, Mayor Pro Tem
SECONDER:	Farran Fullilove, Councilman
AYES:	Galloway, Fullilove, Blount
ABSENT:	Chance

2. Bid Award: David L. Rainer Elementary School Storage Lanes -

Scope of work includes all labor, materials, equipment, incidentals and appurtenances to reconstruct approximately 2500 SY of graded aggregate base and pavement to provide an additional 1500 LF of vehicle storage for student drop off and pick up. Construction includes removal of 120 SY of existing base and pavement and construction of a 12 FT wide storage lane from Keith Dixon Way to the existing storage lane near Southeast Community Church. Construction also includes miscellaneous grading, erosion and sediment control, striping and testing. All construction will be in accordance with the current GDOT specifications. *Engineer recommends sole bidder, Seaboard Construction, for a total cost of \$115,266.70.*

Councilman Galloway asked City Manager Lee Spell when this additional lane would be completed. Mr. Spell stated that the principal of the school had asked for it to be completed as soon as possible. Councilman Fullilove asked Mr. Spell how long this project was expected to take to complete. Mr. Spell stated he wasn't sure.

RESULT: **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Alex Blount, Mayor Pro Tem
SECONDER: James W Galloway, Councilman
AYES: Galloway, Fullilove, Blount
ABSENT: Chance

3. Bid Award: Purchase of Equipment and Installation on Police Vehicle -

Staff recommends sole bidder, West Chatham Warning Devices, up to a total cost of \$19,643.54 (includes labor). Some items included in the itemized bid that do not require installation may be omitted.

RESULT: **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
MOVER: Alex Blount, Mayor Pro Tem
SECONDER: James W Galloway, Councilman
AYES: Galloway, Fullilove, Blount
ABSENT: Chance

IX. MAYOR AND COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

Councilman Blount stated that last July or August the city went out for bid for our telecommunications. While the city stayed with the current provider, council asked that each department go through their services and eliminate what was not needed. With all departments doing this, the city has had an annual savings of \$45,000.

Mayor Day acknowledged the passing of Jimmy McCollum on January 24, 2022. Mr. McCollum was a long time resident of Kingsland and was very involved with the city, especially with the Downtown Development Authority. Mayor Day offered continued thoughts and prayers to the McCollum family.

X. ADJOURNED

Councilman Fullilove made a motion to adjourn the meeting.
Councilman Blount seconded the motion.
The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:29 PM.