

**AGENDA
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MUNICIPAL ANNEX
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2023
6:00 P.M.**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER BY MAYOR ROPER WITH INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE LED BY REV. CARL WARDLAW, III, CENTRAL VALLEY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.**

- 2. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

- 3. PUBLIC COMMENTS** Sherry Carnes – Issue in Vidalia & water company
Matthew Bright – Water issue(s)
Frank Champion – Yard debris/curbside pickup

- 4. INTRODUCTION OF NEW EMPLOYEES BY CHIEF JAMES JERMON**

Officer Matthew Roberts

- 5. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**

- 6. FINANCIALS** Patricia Glover, Finance Director

- 7. TOURISM / CHAMBER UPDATES**

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| a. Downtown Vidalia Association (DVA) | Tonya Parker, Director |
| b. Vidalia Convention & Visitors Bureau (VCVB) | Alexa Britton, Director |
| c. Greater Vidalia Chamber | Michele Johnson, Director |
| d. Vidalia Onion Festival | Jake Cleghorn, Chair |
| e. Sweet Onion Golf Authority | |

- 8. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF ADDING A MONTHLY SERVICE FEE OF \$4.10 TO OR-OFFICE/RESIDENTIAL ZONED AREAS TO PICKUP LIMBS/LEAVES ON A WEEKLY BASIS FROM THE CURB.**

Note: A public hearing was held on Tuesday, October 3, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers to receive comments regarding the service and additional fee.

- 9. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF GAME ROOM LICENSE FOR “THE CAGEZ” SUBMITTED BY MAGGIE SNELL. ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS LICENSE HAVE BEEN MET.**

- 10. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION FOR “VIDALIA PORCHFEST” SUBMITTED BY WES CHAPMAN, ALTAMA MUSEUM. DATE OF THE EVENT IS NOVEMBER 18, 2023, FROM 10:00 AM UNTIL 10:00 PM. FULL STREET CLOSURE HAS BEEN REQUESTED FOR 6TH STREET, FROM CHURCH TO JACKSON, AND 6TH STREET FROM JACKSON TO DURDEN. PARTIAL CLOSURE FROM 11:00 AM UNTIL 6:00 PM ON DURDEN FROM 2ND STREET TO PINECREST.**
- 11. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF SPECIAL EVENTS APPLICATION FOR “FALL FESTIVAL” SUBMITTED BY NEW VISION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH. DATE OF THE EVENT IS OCTOBER 14, 2023, FROM 9:00 AM UNTIL 4:00 PM. THERE WERE NO ROAD CLOSURES REQUESTED.**
- 12. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF SPECIAL EVENT APPLICATION FOR “DOWNTOWN SPOOKTACULAR” SUBMITTED BY DVA DIRECTOR, TONYA PARKER. DATE OF EVENT IS OCTOBER 26, 2023, FROM 4:00 PM UNTIL 7:30 PM. MAP IS ATTACHED WITH REQUESTED STREET CLOSURE OF EAST MEADOWS STREET FROM CHURCH TO JACKSON, CHURCH STREET FROM HWY. 280 TO HWY. 280, JACKSON STREET FROM HWY. 280 TO HWY. 280, AND LEADER STREET FROM HWY. 280 TO HWY. 280.**
- 13. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF SPECIAL EVENT APPLICATION FOR “TRUNK OR TREAT” SUBMITTED BY MANDY SMITH, HCA PSG. DATE OF THE EVENT IS OCTOBER 26, 2023, FROM 4:00 PM UNTIL 6:00 PM. NO ROAD CLOSURES HAVE BEEN REQUESTED.**

STREET & SANITATION COMMITTEE MET ON OCTOBER 3, 2023:

NOTE: Committee recommendation is the first motion, only a second motion is needed.

- 14. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL TO AWARD SIKES BROTHERS, INC FOR TIA 2, BAND 1, RESURFACING OF STREETS. THE RECOMMENDATION OF COMMITTEE IS TO APPROVE OPTION B OF THE ATTACHED PROPOSAL. THE LOCAL MATCH IS \$51,780.22 FROM SPLOST. (See attached proposal from Hofstadter & Associates, Inc.)**
- 15. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL OF 2024 LMIG AS LISTED.**

COMMUNITY CENTER COMMITTEE MET ON OCTOBER 3, 2023:

- 16. DISCUSSION / APPROVAL TO AWARD BID TO MMI CONSTRUCTION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$124,550.00 FOR RENOVATIONS/IMPROVEMENTS AT THE VIDALIA COMMUNITY CENTER. THE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED NOT TO INCLUDE THE ALTERNATE BID TO INSTALL 6” GUTTERS AT THIS TIME.**

<u>BIDDER</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
MMI Construction Uvalda, GA	\$124,550.00
Harry Moses Construction Vidalia, GA	\$127,750.00

RECOMMENDED VENDOR: MMI Construction
FUND SOURCE: SPLOST (Approved in 2023 budget)

17. DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

- a. Brian Sikes, Fire Chief
- b. James Jermon, Police Chief
- c. Tony Hall, ESG Project Manager
- d. Scott Strickland, Recreation Director
- e. Billy Ragan, Airport Manager
- f. Chad Phillips, City Marshal/Code Enforcement

18. CITY MANAGER’S REPORT

**19. EXECUTIVE SESSION PER O.C.G.A. §50-14-3(b)(1)(D) – REAL ESTATE
§50-14-3(b)(2) - PERSONNEL**

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