

City Council Meeting  
552 MLK Jr. Dr. Lumpkin, GA 31815  
Tuesday, April 11, 2023  
6:00 p.m.

The mayor called the meeting to order.

All said the pledge to the flag.

House arrived at 6:06 p.m.

The Clerk did the roll call. All were present.

The mayor asked for approval of the agenda for April 11, 2023. In addition, the mayor asked to amend the agenda to add Resolution 2023-04.

Motion by F. Brown

To approve the agenda and to add Resolution 2023-04 to the agenda.

Second by C. Matthews

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The mayor asked for approval of the minutes for March 14, 2023.

Motion by B. Cullefer

To approve the minutes for March 14, 2023

Second by N. Seay

6/1 (B. Mallory)

Councilwoman Mallory stated that B. Cullefer did not vote on the club operation. Councilwoman Cullefer noted that she did vote against it. The motion carried.

**Public Appearances:**

Michael Green – Did not show

Teresa White – Rename St. John Street. Did not show

**Reports from Dept. Heads:**

1. Clerk – A. Holloway- The update is attached.

Motion by B. Cullefer

The council has received the bank

Second by M. House

reconciliations for all the checking accounts.

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The Clerk inquired about the park on Oak Street. Do you want to reopen with all the shootings, fighting, and sexual activities in the park? The Chief showed the council a video of a fight that happened last week. The mayor and council discussed the matter.

Motion by C. Matthews

To reopen the park on Oak Street.

Second by B. Mallory

4/2 (Cullefer & House)

If the customer requested a driveway, the Mayor and Council agreed that the customer would pay for the materials and the city would install it. If it is in the city right away, the city will maintain the property. The county asks that the city get the 1 ½ acres surveyed. The council requested that a survey be done.

Motion by M. House  
Second by C. Matthew

To survey the land that will be exchanged with the county. (Dog pound and land behind City hall.

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Motion by F. Brown  
Second by B. Cullefer

To start updating the city code book.

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The Clerk informed the mayor and council that the business City Limits owner called last week to have the utilities turned off to the building. The City Limits were open on Saturday, yet they requested the utilities to be turned off on the prior Wednesday.

2. Chief of Police – Matt Holloway – The Chief spoke to the mayor and council about a vicious dog in the city. There was a mean dog pickup on Broad Street due to not letting a child get out of the car. The dog bit one of the Police Officer in the thigh. Attorney Coleman looked up the ordinance; the owners must have a lease with a muzzle when walking the dog. The dog must have a rabies shot. A \$25.00 charge to the owners would be daily for keeping the animal. They must obtain a \$50,000.00 insurance policy and install a fence so their dog cannot get out in the neighborhood. They will have seven days to comply.

3. Public Works Supervisor – Willie G. Clark. The update is attached. Willie G. informed the Mayor and Council that there had been an update to the gas regulation. In addition, his training in Macon, Ga., was very informative. He asked the council if he and the Clerk could attend the upcoming Savannah, GA training from July 16-19, 2023.

Motion by B. Cullefer  
Second by M. House

For Willie G. Clark and City Clerk to attend the Gas training in Savannah, GA, on July 16-19, 2023

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3. Fire Chief - Greg Stewart- absent

#### **New Business:**

Ordinance 2023-02 - Service Fees were read by the mayor aloud.

Motion by M. House  
Second by B. Cullefer

To approve the Ordinance 2023-02 regulating fees for repairs of the utility line.

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Judicial Alternatives of Georgia – JAGG Our city attorney Tommy Coleman wrote a contract between JUGG and the City of Lumpkin Municipal Court.

Motion by B. Cullefer  
Second by M. House

To approve the contract between JUDD and the City of Lumpkin Municipal Court

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Resolution 2023-04 Set rates and increase fees associated with Solid Waste.

Motion by B. Mallory  
Second by F. Brown

To approve Resolution 2023-04 to set rates & increase fees associated with collection of Solid Waste within the city limits.

Old Business:

Dog Pound- Waiting on a survey of the land the city will exchange for county land.

Council Input:

F. Brown – None

B. Mallory –

B. Cullefer – None

N. Seay – None

C. Matthews – None

M. House - None

Executive Session (If needed):

Adjourn

Motion by M. House  
Second by C. Matthews

To Adjourn

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Jimmy Babb Mayor Jimmy Babb Date: May 9, 2023

[Signature]

Barbara Cullefer

Caro A. Matthews

Billie Mallory

Maty Stone

Hessie Brown

Anne Holloway  
Clerk Anne Holloway