

MINUTES
WAYCROSS CITY COMMISSION MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2020
5:00 PM

The Commission of the City of Waycross held their Regular City Commission Meeting on Tuesday, May 19, 2020 in the Commission Chambers of City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by the Honorable Mayor Michael-Angelo James. Members in attendance were: Mayor Michael-Angelo James, Commissioners Marian Solomon-Gaines, Diane Hopkins, Henry Strickland, and Norman Davis. Mayor Pro Tem John Threat was absent.

Mayor Michael-Angelo James introduced Reverend Kit Brinson who offered the opening invocation. The Invocation was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Michael-Angelo James.

During Executive Duties, Mayor Michael-Angelo James announced the Recommendation of Housing Authority Appointment of Carol Reed.

Chief Cox introduced Officer Gage of Waycross Police Department as the April Employee of the Month.

Human Resource Director Ed Lastinger introduced Maddox Hall of the Waycross Fire Department as the May Employee of the Month.

There were no public remarks on office action.

Mayor James presented the Consent Calendar as read by City Clerk Michelle Love for consideration of official action as follows:

Approval of Minutes: Planning and Information Session, Monday, May 04, 2020; Waycross City Commission Meeting, Tuesday, May 05, 2020.

There were no Ordinances presented for second readings.

There were no Consent Resolutions or Privilege License renewals.

The Consent Calendar was approved by motion from Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines, second by Commissioner Diane Hopkins; and approved with a 4-0 vote.

One Privilege License was presented for approval by the Commission. A new owner for the Bella's Wellness & Body Shop, Lisa Hornsby, 424 Hicks Street, Consumption On Premises, Wine Only. The Privilege License was approved by motion from Commissioner Diane Hopkins; seconded by Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines and approved with a 3-0 vote.

Finance Director China Williams presented the following bids:

1. Bid FY19-16 Mosquito Control Chemical Extension. It is the recommendation to approve Mosquito Extension to Adapco for one year. Staff recommends

extending the Mosquito Control Chemical for FY19-16. Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines made the motion to approve the extension of the mosquito control chemical bid; seconded by Commissioner Diane Hopkins; and approved with a 4-0 vote.

2. Bid #FY20 Bid FY20 Fire Uniforms, Police Uniforms and Police Leather Goods Gas Extension was presented to the Commissioners. Purchasing recommended for an Extension to be awarded to Patrick Uniforms until June 30. Patrick's Uniforms has agreed to keep our pricing firm for another year for FY20. Extension of the annual uniform bid to Patrick's Uniforms was approved by motion from Commissioner Norman Davis; seconded by Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines and approved with an affirmative vote of the Commission.

No Ordinances were presented for first reading.

A Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Resume Holding City Commission Work Session and City Commission Meetings at City Hall was presented to the Commission for approval.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-47

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO RESUME HOLDING CITY COMMISSION WORK SESSIONS AND CITY COMMISSION MEETINGS AT CITY HALL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 21 of the Waycross City Charter, “on the first Tuesday in January in each year next following the regular municipal election at which the commissioners are elected, the commission shall meet at the usual place for holding meetings of the legislative body of the city ... and [t]hereafter the commission shall meet at such time as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution; provided, that it shall hold at least two regular meetings each month”; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-60 of the Waycross Code of Ordinances, meetings of the city commission “shall be held in the commission chambers located in the city hall unless otherwise provided by resolution and approved by the commission” and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 20-32, approved by the City Commission on March 26, 2020, retroactive to March 24, 2020, the City Commission resolved that City Commission work sessions and City Commission meetings, albeit regular or called, shall be held

at the C.C. McCray City Auditorium until the threat of COVID-19 is abated and/or further Resolution of this City Commission; and

WHEREAS, said matter having been considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commission of the City of Waycross that the City Commission shall resume all meetings, albeit Commission work sessions or Commission meetings, both regular and called meetings, in the Commission Chambers located at City Hall, 417 Pendleton Street, starting with the Monday, May 18, 2020, Work Session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk be authorized and directed to do all the acts and things necessary in order to carry out the purposes of this Resolution, hereby ratifying and confirming all actions taken and to be taken .

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020, *nunc pro tunc* to 05/18/2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:

MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines made the motion to approve a Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Resume Holding City Commission Work Session and City Commission Meetings at City Hall as presented to the Commission for approval. Commissioner Diane Hopkins seconded the motion and the motion was approved with a 4-0 vote.

A Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Excuse the Absences of John Threat, City Commissioner for District 2, Due to Surgery and Rehabilitation was presented for approval.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-48

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO EXCUSE THE ABSENCES OF JOHN THREAT, CITY COMMISSIONER FOR DISTRICT 2, DUE TO SURGERY AND REHABILITATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 22 of the Waycross City Charter, “[a]bsence of any member of said commission from four consecutive regular meetings thereof shall operate to vacate the seat of said commissioner so absent, unless the absence is excused for legitimate cause by the commission by resolution setting forth the reason thereof and entered upon the journal”; and

WHEREAS, John Threat, City Commissioner in District 2, had major surgery on March 27, 2020, and was resting and rehabilitating until he was released by the doctor to return to regular activities; and

WHEREAS, Commission Threat has been absent from the following consecutive regular meetings of the City Commission on Tuesday, March 17, 2020; Tuesday, April 7, 2020 (although by Resolution actually held on April 3, 2020); Tuesday, April 21, 2020; Tuesday, May 5, 2020; and May 19, 2020; and

WHEREAS, said matter having been considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commission of the City of Waycross that the absences of District 2 City Commissioner John Threat from five (5) consecutive regular meetings as set out above are excused for legitimate cause, to wit: surgery, medical causes, rest and rehabilitation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to do all the acts and things necessary in order to carry out the purposes of this Resolution including the entry upon the journal, hereby ratifying and confirming all actions taken and to be taken.

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:

MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

The Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Excuse the Absences of John Threat, City Commissioner for District 2, Due to Surgery and Rehabilitation was approved by motion from Commissioner Norman Davis; seconded by Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines and approved with a 4-0 vote.

A Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Approve an Intergovernmental Agreement with Ware County Board of Commissioners for the James E. Blackburn Sr. Public Safety Training Center was presented to the Commissioners.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-49

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO APPROVE AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH WARE COUNTY BOARD OF

**COMMISSIONERS FOR THE JAMES E. BLACKBURN SR. PUBLIC SAFETY
TRAINING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the Waycross City Commission and the Ware County Board of Commissioners both believe that, in order for fire, police and emergency medical services to be effective, it is necessary to provide public safety training, encompassing both joint training activities as well as individualized training, in a local setting; and

WHEREAS, the James E. Blackburn Sr. Safety Training Center is owned by Ware County and is located at 3801 Scapa Road, Waycross, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the City of Waycross desires to enter into this Intergovernmental Agreement with Ware County Board of Commissioners to memorialize the understanding between the City of Waycross and Ware County reference the funding of the James E. Blackburn Sr. Public Safety Training Center in the form of the Intergovernmental Agreement attached hereto and incorporated herein as if fully set forth; and

WHEREAS, said matter having been considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commission of the City of Waycross that the City of Waycross enters into the Intergovernmental Agreement with the Board of Commissioners of Ware County, Georgia, in reference to the funding of the James E. Blackburn Sr. Public Safety Training Center, in the form of the Intergovernmental Agreement attached hereto and incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk be empowered, authorized and directed to execute the Amended Intergovernmental Contract on behalf of the City of Waycross, and do all the acts and things necessary in order to carry out the purposes of this Resolution, hereby ratifying and confirming all actions taken and to be taken.

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS
BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:
MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines made the motion to approve the Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Approve an Intergovernmental Agreement with Ware County Board of Commissioners for the James E. Blackburn Sr. Public Safety Training Center as presented to the Commissioners. Commissioner Marian Diane Hopkins seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion carried.

A Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia, to Approve a Loan Agreement with the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund, Administered by Georgia Environmental Finance Authority, To Construct New Groundwater Withdrawal Well was presented for approval.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-46

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO APPROVE A LOAN AGREEMENT WITH THE DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND, ADMINISTERED BY GEORGIA ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCE AUTHORITY, TO CONSTRUCT NEW GROUNDWATER WITHDRAWAL WELL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Recipient: CITY OF WAYCROSS

Loan Number: DW2020009

WHEREAS, at a duly called meeting of the City Commission of the City of Waycross (hereinafter the “Borrower”) held on the 19th day of May, 2020, the following Resolution was introduced and adopted; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Borrower has determined to borrow a sum but not to exceed \$1,600,000.00 from the **DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING FUND, ADMINISTERED BY GEORGIA ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCE AUTHORITY** (hereinafter the “Lender”) to finance a portion of the costs of acquiring, constructing, and installing the environmental facilities described in Exhibit A to the hereinafter defined Loan Agreement (thereinafter the “Project”), pursuant to the terms of a Loan Agreement (hereinafter the “Loan Agreement”) between the Borrower and the Lender, the form of which has been presented to this meeting and incorporated herein as if fully set forth; and

WHEREAS, the Borrower’s obligation to repay the loan made pursuant to the Loan Agreement will be evidenced by a Promissory Note (hereinafter the “Note”) of the Borrower, the form of which has been presented to his meeting and incorporated herein as if fully set out; and

WHEREAS, said matter having been considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Commission of the City of Waycross that the forms, terms and conditions and the execution, delivery and performance of the Loan Agreement and the Note are hereby approved and authorized.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Waycross that the terms of the Loan Agreement and the Note (including the interest rate provisions, which shall be as provided in the Note) are in the best interests of the City of Waycross for the financing the Project as set out above, and the City of Waycross designates and authorizes the following persons, to wit: the Mayor, City Manager, City Clerk, City Finance Director and City Attorney to execute and deliver, and to attest, respectively, the Loan Agreement, the Note and any related documents necessary to the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Loan Agreement, and do all the acts and things necessary in order to carry out the purposes of this Resolution, hereby ratifying and confirming all actions taken and to be taken.

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:

MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines made the motion to approve a Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia, to Approve a Loan Agreement with the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund, Administered by Georgia Environmental Finance Authority, to Construct New Groundwater Withdrawal Well as presented for approval. Commissioner Norman Davis seconded the motion; all voted positively and the motion carried.

A Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia, to Establish a Policy Requiring Face Coverings in City Buildings was presented to the Commissioners for approval.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-50

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO ESTABLISH A POLICY REQUIRING FACE COVERINGS IN CITY BUILDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus, an infectious virus known to cause the respiratory disease “COVID-19” can spread from person to person, and can result in no symptoms, minor symptoms, or serious illness causing permanent organ damage and death; and

WHEREAS, individuals age 65 or over or living with certain medical conditions identified by the CDC (members of Vulnerable Populations) and members of other populations identified by the CDC (“Other Populations at Risk”) are at risk of severe and lasting harm to health or death from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 also has been reported to cause severe and permanent damage to some children; and

WHEREAS, there is presently no vaccine or approved treatment for COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 14, 2020, Governor Brian Kemp declared a Public Health State of Emergency in Georgia, and renewed this declaration on April 8, 2020 and again on April 30, 2020, so that it will remain in effect at least through June 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, according to the Georgia Department of Public Health, 35,858 Georgians have tested positive for the novel coronavirus as of May 19, 2020, and 1527 Georgians have died from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) has noted that COVID-19 spreads very easily and sustainably when an infected person (who may have no symptoms at all or minor symptoms) talks, sneezes, or coughs in close proximity with others (within six feet); and

WHEREAS, one Georgia community experienced an outbreak of COVID-19 due in part to an infected person being present in a public building without face coverings, with the result being the infection of many persons and the death of a judge and other individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Governor, through Executive Orders 04.30.20.01 and 05.12.20.02 recognized the need to take extra precautions to protect certain vulnerable populations who meet the criteria for higher risk of severe illness as defined by the CDC and identified in Section III of the Governor’s Executive Order 05.12.20.02 (“Vulnerable Populations”); and

WHEREAS, Executive Orders 04.30.20.01 and 05.12.20.02 require Vulnerable Populations to continue to shelter in place, with exceptions that include participating in essential services and working, through June 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, many City employees and many members of the public who visit City Hall and other City buildings may be members of Vulnerable Populations; and

WHEREAS, some City employees and many members of the public who visit City Hall and other City properties are members of the following “Other Populations at Risk” identified by

the CDC: pregnant women, individuals experiencing homelessness, people with disabilities, and racial and ethnic minorities; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commission desire to protect individuals in said Vulnerable Populations and Other Populations at Risk, in a reasonable manner and as recommended by the CDC and by the Georgia Department of Public Health, while such individuals are working in, conducting business in, or visiting City Hall and other City buildings; and

WHEREAS, the CDC¹, Dr. Kathleen Toomey (Georgia’s Commissioner of Public Health), and Governor Kemp through Executive Order 05.12.20.02 recommend that individuals wear face coverings over the nose and mouth to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 when they are in public places where they cannot practice social distancing (i.e., stay at least six feet away from other individuals who do not share the same household); and

WHEREAS, the CDC states that wearing a face covering over the nose and mouth is a recommended precaution designed to prevent symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals who have contracted COVID-19 from spreading it to other individuals; and

¹ CDC recommends wearing cloth face coverings in public settings where other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain (e.g., grocery stores and pharmacies), especially in areas of significant community-based transmission.

“In light of new data about how COVID-19 spreads, along with evidence of widespread COVID-19 illness in communities across the country, CDC recommends that people wear a cloth face covering to cover their nose and mouth in the community setting. This is to protect people around you if you are infected but do not have symptoms.”

A cloth face covering should be worn whenever people are in a community setting, especially in situations where you may be near people. These settings include grocery stores and pharmacies. These face coverings are not a substitute for social distancing. Cloth face coverings are especially important to wear in public in areas of widespread COVID-19 illness.

Yes. Wearing cloth face coverings is an additional public health measure people should take to reduce the spread of COVID-19. CDC still recommends that you stay at least 6 feet away from other people (social distancing), frequent hand cleaning and other everyday preventive actions. A cloth face covering is not intended to protect the wearer, but it may prevent the spread of virus from the wearer to others. This would be especially important if someone is infected but does not have symptoms.

WHEREAS, to be an effective precaution, it is necessary to require all City employees and members of the public to wear a face covering over the nose and mouth while in public areas in the City building and while meeting in the City building; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Toomey and Governor Kemp have modeled the behavior of wearing face coverings as examples for Georgians to follow; and

WHEREAS, having City Hall and other City offices open and accessible to the public as necessary to conduct in-person business that cannot be conducted by other means is important for the economic vitality of the City; and

WHEREAS, certain activities, such as discussing and reviewing construction and other permits, benefit from or require face-to-face interactions between City employees and other individuals; and

WHEREAS, City Hall and the C.C. McCray City Auditorium were closed on or about March 26, 2020, and the City is in process of reopening City Hall to the public; and

WHEREAS, if a City employee is exposed to the novel coronavirus, by an individual visiting a City building or otherwise, in accordance with CDC guidance² such employee will need to quarantine at home for at least 14 days; and

WHEREAS, if a City employee is diagnosed with COVID-19 or develops COVID-19 symptoms, such employee will be required to isolate at home³ in accordance with CDC guidance; and

WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. §36-35-3 allows city governments to establish rules for use of and access to its own property for which no provision has been made by general law and which are not inconsistent with the Constitution or any charter provision applicable thereto; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized to establish policies for how the public can access City buildings during the Public Health State of Emergency and thereafter, including closing City buildings, or opening City buildings to the public but placing restrictions on public access; and

² <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine-isolation.html>

³ <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine-isolation.html>

WHEREAS, the City has made and continues to make efforts to reduce the need for members of the public to physically visit City Hall and other City buildings to interact with City employees, pay bills, and conduct other business with the City; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to assist its employees and the public with mitigating the spread of COVID-19 in City buildings by providing hand sanitizer, designating an entrance door and an exit door, disinfecting common surfaces regularly, prohibiting handshaking, and encouraging social distancing of non-cohabitating persons, as well as other mitigating measures described in Executive Order 05.12.20.02; and

WHEREAS, despite these precautions, the City recognizes that it is not possible to ensure social distancing within the City buildings; and

WHEREAS, the following actions are necessary and appropriate to balance the public's interest in having access to City buildings for the conduct of business and other purposes with the compelling public interest of providing for the health, safety and welfare of the City's employees and individuals who visit City Hall and other City buildings and preventing an outbreak of COVID-19 in the City and the surrounding community;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that for the protection of members of the public and other City employees, including members of Vulnerable Populations and members of Other Populations at Risk, City employees are required to wear face coverings over the nose and mouth, which face coverings are cloth face coverings as defined by the CDC or are face coverings designed to protect others from infection by the wearer, when in public areas of City buildings and when participating in physical meetings with other individuals within non-public areas of City buildings.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that for the protection of members of the public and City employees, including members of Vulnerable Populations and members of Other Populations at Risk, members of the public are required to wear face coverings over the nose and mouth, which face coverings are cloth face coverings as defined by the CDC or are face coverings designed to protect others from infection by the wearer, when entering and while inside City buildings except as expressly stated in a separate policy, if any, that applies to certain uses of portions of City buildings, such as courtrooms and polling locations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City will communicate ways to perform city business that do not require entry into a City building.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that for City business that must be done in person, the City will take reasonable steps to provide such in-person service to members of the public who affirm they cannot wear a face covering because they are physically unable to remove such a face

covering, have trouble breathing, or must be accompanied by children under age two (CDC states that children under age two should never wear face coverings).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City will communicate the types of acceptable face coverings required for entry into City buildings and instructions by the CDC about how to make such face coverings easily and inexpensively.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City will display information from the CDC explaining or illustrating the proper way to wear and remove face coverings.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City will provide face coverings to individuals visiting City buildings who do not otherwise have a face covering that meets these requirements.

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:
MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines made the motion to approve a Resolution of the City of Waycross, Georgia, to Establish a Policy Requiring Face Coverings in City Buildings as presented to the Commissioners for approval. Commissioner Diane Hopkins seconded the motion and all voted yes to approve the motion.

A Resolutions of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Modify the City of Waycross Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax Priority List was presented to the Commission.

RESOLUTION NO. R20-51

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WAYCROSS, GEORGIA, TO MODIFY THE CITY OF WAYCROSS TRANSPORTATION SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PRIORITY LIST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Waycross receives funds from the imposition of a 1 percent Single County Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (hereinafter referred to as "TSPLOST") and

WHEREAS, the City Commission created a TSPLOST Priority List, attached hereto as an Exhibit and incorporated herein as if fully set out; and

WHEREAS, the TSPLOST Priority List is also subject to modification based on logistics and changes in field conditions; and

WHEREAS, such logistics and changes in field conditions now exist requiring that Marion Street, being number 58 on said attached Exhibit, be given more priority on the TSPLOST Priority List; and

WHEREAS, said matter having been considered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commission of the City of Waycross that the City of Waycross hereby modifies the TSPLOST Priority List as follows: Marion Street, being Priority Number 58 on said Exhibit, shall become Priority Number 5; and Morningside Drive, Coral Road and City Boulevard, being Priority Number 5 on said attached Exhibit shall become Priority Number 58.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, City Manager and City Clerk be empowered, authorized and directed to do all the acts and things necessary in order to carry out the purposes of this Resolution, hereby ratifying and confirming all actions taken and to be taken.

SO RESOLVED, this 19th day of May, 2020.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:

MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk

A Resolutions of the City of Waycross, Georgia to Modify the City of Waycross Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax Priority List presented to the Commission was approved by motion from Commissioner Marian Solomon-Gaines. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Henry Strickland and approved with a 3-1 vote. Commissioner Norman Davis opposed.

Carlos Nelson, 502 Samuel Street, Waycross, Georgia spoke about the voting process. A Saturday mandatory voting day will be May 30, 2020 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Board of Elections has voted to temporarily close the Rivers of Life voting precinct, and the voters may vote at the C.C. McCray City Auditorium precinct. Voters will be notified of changes taking place by signs posted and newspaper ads. Citizens can still do absentee voting although early voting is going on. If a voter decide not to stand in the long lines, the absentee ballot can be handed in. Mr. Nelson encouraged the community to get out and vote.

After last call, Commissioner Norman Davis made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Diane Hopkins seconded the motion. All voted in favor and Mayor James adjourned the meeting.

CITY OF WAYCROSS

BY: 
MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor

ATTEST:

MICHELLE LOVE, City Clerk