**KINGSTON CITY COUNCIL**

**KINGSTON, GEORGIA**

**COUNCIL MEETING**

**JULY 10, 2017**

The meeting began at 6:06 p.m. In attendance was Mayor Elbert “Chuck” Wise, council members Harold Posey, Mike Abernathy and Louise Howell. There were 12 attendees.

The meeting began with Mike Abernathy leading the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance followed.

**SIGN IN PERMISSION TO SPEAK**

Darryl Womack of Old Rome Road signed in to speak regarding the bleach in the water system. Where it has bleached their clothing and the smell was strong on entry of restrooms. Asked that the City reimburse him for the ruined new clothing a total of $155 and the possibility of the City purchasing a home water filtration system to prevent this from happening again. Rick Bundy, City water specialist spoke stating the Womack’s are at the end of the line at their address and the filtration system will help to save the City money in the long term.

Billy Moore also spoke to council to get added to the Kingston water system. He is willing to install the piping down Moore’s Spring Road if the City will agree to pay for the bore under the road.

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES**

Louise Howell made a motion to approve previous minutes. The motion was seconded by Harold Posey. Motion was carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA WITH AMEMDMENT TO ADD WOMACK CHLORINE PROBLEM**

Harold Posey made a motion to approve agenda. The motion was seconded by Louise Howell. Motion was carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL TO HAVE THE FINAL AMOUNT IN 2008 SPLOST MAILED TO THE CITY FOR DEPOSIT INTO USDA WATER FUND ACCOUNT**

Harold Posey made a motion to approve the final 2008 SPLOST money to be cut to the City and deposited into the USDA water fund account. The motion was seconded by Mike Abernathy. Motion was carried unanimously.

**DISCUSS AREA FOR WOOD CHIPS AND FREE TO PUBLIC**

Mike Abernathy approved the maintenance department to drop wood chips onto his property for a while to eliminate finding an area within the city to dump them.

**APPROVAL OF CREDIT FOR WOMACK CHLORINE PROBLEM**

Mike Abernathy mad a motion to approve a $155 credit to be given to the Womack’s on their water bill and the City to purchase a Water filtration system and the Womack’s have the system installed. Louise Howell seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously.

**COUNCIL COMMENTS**

None

**ADJOURNMENT**

Louise Howell made a motion to adjourn at 7:02 p.m. Mike Abernathy seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously.

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Mayor Elbert “Chuck” Wise, Jr. City Clerk, Kelly L. Ensley