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MARCH 12, 2024
Council Meeting @6:00 PM
Council Chambers

PRESENT

Mayor Pro-Tem Ed Guinn
Councilperson Glenn Harris
Councilperson Jacob Hopkins
Councilperson Deborah Williams
Councilperson Rodrick Flowers
(Mayor Barry Whitley was absent)

MEDIA PRESENT

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INVOCATION: Councilperson Jacob Hopkins

OPENING STATEMENT: Vicki Wainwright

OLD BUSINESS:

Approval of the February 15, 2024 Regular Council Meeting:

A motion to accept and approve the minutes of the February 15, 2024 Regular Council Meeting Minutes was made by Councilmember Deborah Williams and a second was made by Councilmember Jacob Hopkins. The vote was unanimous.

NEW BUSINESS:

AGENDA AMENDMENT:

Mayor Pro-Tem Ed Guinn announced that there would be an amendment to the agenda, as the Flint Area Housing Authority has requested that the Council appoint a new member to their board to fill the vacancy of Ms. Angela Lance.



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Flint Area Housing Authority Appointment:

Mayor Pro-Tem Guinn stated that Ms. Maxine Allen has agreed to serve on the board. A motion to accept the appointment of Ms. Allen to the Flint Area Housing Authority was made by Councilperson Glenn Harris and a second was made by Councilperson Rodrick Flowers. The vote was unanimous.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Chief of Police Matthew Woodard gave the Council the report that shows the calls from February 2024.

Public Works Director David Windham informed the Mayor and Council that the 2021 CDBG/ARPA/LMIG combined project has almost come to a finish. There are just a few odds and ends to finish up. He said that the centerline striping of the streets will start soon.

He also reminded the council that the offices will be closed on March 29th for Good Friday. There will be no change in the trash pick-up day. He said that the City is aware of the issue with the water bills not making it to customers. He said that the City is mailing them out on time, however the local post office sends them out in bulk mail to Macon and some of them never make it back to the customers.

Councilperson Williams asked about the complaints in the Venus Street Area regarding the grassing and the rock. Mr. Windham stated that he has not forgotten about those issues and they have already been or will be corrected. (Jenkins and Richardson concerns)

Fire Coordinator Eddie Moulton stated that the Butler Fire Department responded to 22 calls in February. Those were one traffic accident with entrapment, six accidents with injuries, three structure fires, six wildland fires, three trouble unknown calls, and three fire alarm calls.

He said the fire department attended/hosted a pre-hospital trauma life support class with fifteen attending. He also said that on March 9th there was an Evaluator class held at the fire department with twenty-five attending from various departments.



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ADJOURN

There was no more business to discuss, so Mayor Pro-Tem Guinn announced there would be a short work session immediately following the regular meeting. A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Councilperson Jacob Hopkins and a second was made by Councilperson Glenn Harris. The vote was unanimous.

Mayor Barry Whitley

ATTEST

