

The regular meeting of the Grovetown City Council was held on Monday, October 10, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. Those present were Mayor Gary Jones, Councilwoman Vickie Cook, Councilwoman Sylvia Martin, Councilman Dennis Trudeau, and Councilman Eric Blair. Also present were Public Works Director Michael Woods, Water and Sewer Department Operations Manager Raymond Fulcher, Public Safety Director Scott Wheatley, Acting Director of Planning and Community Development John Waller, Human Resources Manager Elaine Matthews, Events Coordinator Janet Wheatley, City Accountant Richard Matthews, City Administrator Shirley Beasley, City Attorney Brendan Fleming and Acting City Clerk Roxanne Brown. .

1.

Call Meeting to Order

Mayor Gary Jones called the meeting to order and acknowledged a quorum.

2.

Invocation

Councilwoman Sylvia Martin led the invocation.

3.

Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Gary Jones led the Pledge of Allegiance.

4.

Approval of Agenda

Councilwoman Martin made the motion to approve the agenda. Councilman Blair seconded the motion, all in favor and motion carried.

5.

Approval of Minutes

Councilman Blair made a motion to approve the minutes from the September meeting. Councilwoman Martin seconded the motion, all in favor and motion carried.

6.

Financial Statement

Councilwoman Martin made the motion to approve the Financial Statement. Councilwoman Cook seconded the motion, all in favor and motion carried.

OPERATING FUNDS

General Fund- Regions	\$ 425,699.10
General Fund – Queensborough	\$ 119,627.94
Water/Sewer Regions	\$ 409,423.12

Water Sewer Queensborough	\$1,313,852.13
Stormwater Queensborough	\$ 273,904.91
Renewal & Extension	\$ 604,101.68
Total	\$3,146,608.88
o/s bills	\$ 103,332.71
Total	\$3,249,941.59

NON OPERATING FUNDS

Certificates	\$2,400,000.00
SPLOST	\$1,515,455.76
Money Market	\$ 315,885.94
W/S Reserves	\$ 350,578.22

TOTAL ALL FUNDS **\$7,831,861.51**

7.

Public Announcements

There were none.

8.

Legal Matters

There were none.

9.

General Business: Unfinished

9A.

Contract for Municipal Court Judges

Councilwoman Cook made a motion to approve the contract. Councilman Blair seconded the motion, all in favor and the motion carried.

10.

General Business: New

10A.

Updated Probation Agreement between the City of Grovetown and Grovetown Municipal Court

Councilwoman Martin made a motion to approve the contract. Councilwoman Cook seconded the motion, all in favor and the motion carried.

10B.

Surplus Property Resolution

Councilman Trudeau made a motion to adopt the resolution. Councilman Blair seconded the motion, all in favor and the motion carried.

10C.

Approve Newman Lane as One-Way Street

The council agreed to table this matter.

10D.

Pamela Stewart Property/Eminent Domain

The council agreed to not move forward with this matter.

11.

Citizens Comments

Mr. Peter Lee inquired into the opening of package shops on Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. It was determined that they can open.

Mr. Wallace England inquired into the traffic study on Adams Lane. Mayor Jones informed him that the study did not meet the county's standards as far as speed bumps. Mr. England was told that the council will discuss this matter and hopefully resolve by the end of the year.

12.

Adjourn

Councilman Trudeau made the motion to adjourn. Councilman Blair seconded the motion, all in favor and motion carried.

Gary Jones, Mayor

Dennis Trudeau, Mayor Pro-tem

Vickie Cook, Council

Sylvia Martin, Council

Eric Blair, Council

Roxanne Brown, Acting City Clerk

Shirley Beasley, City Administrator