

CITY OF MACCLENNY
Regular Hearing
September 9, 2013
6:00 p.m.

The City Commission met in a regular session, Monday, September 9, 2013 with the following present: Mayor Gary Dopson, City Manager Phil Rhoden, Commissioners Floyd V. Bennett, Dr. Richard Johnson and Mark Bryant. Commissioner Johns was not present.

Mayor Dopson called the meeting to order.

Mayor Dopson recognized City Attorney Frank Maloney to read the final reading of Ordinance 13-11 by title only. A bill to be entitled an ordinance relating to annexation; providing for the annexation of certain contiguous property to the City of Macclenny; providing for acceptance of a voluntary annexation request from Audrey M. Snelson of a portion of parcel 08-3S-22-0000-0000-0750; providing for an effective date. There were no comments from the Commissioners. Commissioner Bennett made a motion to accept the final reading of Ordinance 13-11. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. Voting was unanimous.

New Business, Mayor Dopson asked for the approval of Interlocal Agreement between the City of Jacksonville and the City of Macclenny. Chief Buddy Dugger addressed the questions asked about this agreement. He stated it was a yearly agreement between four county fire departments requesting automatic response aid. Jacksonville would send a unit at no charge to the City. The City of Macclenny can deny any call if our firemen are on a call in our City or County. This agreement will not be used to cause harm to our local people. The City's fire trucks might roll to 8-10 calls per year to the west end of Baldwin or Maxville. Commissioner Bennett was concerned on Pg.6 Para 6 with the wording, and requested changing it to the City of Macclenny or its employees. There were no other comments or questions from the commissioners. Commissioner Bennett made a motion to accept the agreement once the change was made. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. Voting was unanimous.

Mr. Mike Walker updated the council on the progress on the Wells home which is located at 234 S 4th St. He stated the permit to remodel the house had been pulled. The shed had been moved, a licensed electrician wrote a letter stating current wiring was safe in the home, and the property had been nicely cleaned up. Mr. Walker suggested giving them a little more time to complete the work. Mr. Walker then spoke about Sus Austill whose address is 137 E Barber Rd. There is meeting scheduled for September 9, 2013 to discuss the progress of the home. He stated the chimney had been removed. Mr. Walker has an agreement with Ms. Austill to secure the doors and windows, and keep it clean around the house so the condemnation doesn't go any further.

In other business was approval of the Minutes from the regular city council meeting on August 13, 2013 and the First Budget Workshop August 20, 2013. Commissioner Bennett made a motion and was seconded by Commissioner Johnson to approve the minutes. Voting was unanimous. Motion carried.

In other business was the review of the bills for August. Motion to approve the August bills was made by Commissioner Bennett and was seconded by Commissioner Johnson. Voting was unanimous. Motion carried.

Mayor Dopson complimented Mrs. Thompson as far as the great job she has done with the budget. He also complimented the rest of the staff for doing such a great job for the City.

With no further comments from the audience, Mayor Dopson adjourned the regular meeting.


MAYOR GARY DOPSON

ATTEST: 
CITY MANAGER/ CLERK Phil Rhoden

