

Date: June 12, 2014
Meeting of: Locust City Council
Time: 7:30 pm
Members Present: David Walker, Harry Fletcher, Larry Baucom, JC Burris, and Roger Hypes
Members Absent: Michael Hinson and Michael Haigler
Order: Mayor Huber
Pledge: Mayor Huber
Prayer: Mayor Huber

2nd PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE 2014-2015 BUDGET – No one spoke for or against

Call to order at 7:33 pm

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Roger Hypes **(5-0)**
Motion to excuse Council Member Michael Hinson and Michael Haigler

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Harry Fletcher **(5-0)**
Motion to adopt agenda

M/S/A Council Members Harry Fletcher and Roger Hypes **(5-0)**
Motion to approve May minutes

Financial Reports accepted – Capital Project Ordinance was discussed for the 200N Sidewalk project that is required to close out the project.

M/S/A Council Members Harry Fletcher and David Walker **(5-0)**
Motion to adopt 200N Sidewalk Capital Project Ordinance

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Roger Hypes **(5-0)**
Motion to approve the following purchase orders

Smith Turf and Irrigation	\$1070	011-005-06000-53113
Trophy Heaven	\$350	011-005-06000-53114
Northern Tool & Equip.	\$1985	011-005-04400-53108
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Admin/HR – 2014-2015 Budget was reviewed. This has been the 17th year with no property tax increase. Budget amendments were reviewed.

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Harry Fletcher **(5-0)**
Motion to approve 2014-2015 Budget

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Harry Fletcher **(5-0)**
Motion to adopt 2014-2015 Budget Ordinance

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Larry Baucom **(5-0)**
Motion to approve budget amendments for the General Fund

M/S/A Council Members Roger Hypes and David Walker **(5-0)**
Motion to approve budget amendments for the Waste Water Fund

Parks – Irrigation system had several repairs. Police Memorial was well attended and very successful. Park will be closed to public beginning Monday June 16th for about 2 weeks or so for repairs.

PW – Kings Heights Sewer is complete and successful. Residents can start hooking up if they choose. The County has officially purchased the Oakboro sewer treatment plant. Sidewalks up 200N are complete and being used daily. First week in July the City will be smoking the sewer lines.

ABC/Zoning – Sales are up over this time last year

PD – Oakboro has sent a mutual aid request for assistance during the 4th of July festivities.

M/S/A Council Members David Walker and Harry Fletcher **(5-0)**
Motion to approve mutual aid request

Senior Services/RPO – The Senior Center is in full swing and they have extended their activities to Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays. A request for a CTP delay has been written to include

an amendment to include the Town of Red Cross and the City of Locust. The TAC corridor has been dropped from the strategic plan. The City needs to adopt a resolution to make the City's wishes known.

M/S/A Council Members Harry Fletcher and David Walker (5-0)
Motion to approve letter for CTP delay

M/S/A Council Members Harry Fletcher and David Walker (5-0)
Motion to adopt TAC Corridor Resolution

Public Comment – County Commissioner Peter Aschutto spoke on the sewer plant purchase and the benefits of the 800 radio systems. Buddy Harrington also spoke on the Cruise-in's. He is requesting that they be moved back to Friday nights instead of Saturday's.

Board Closing Comments – Thanks to all citizens for coming out and participating. Thanks to all City staff for all their continued hard work.

M/S/A Council Members Harry Fletcher and David Walker (5-0)
Motion to adjourn at 8:12 pm

Stephen Huber, Mayor

Amy Meachum, City Clerk