

City of Nahunta

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Barbara Maefield, Mayor Bruce Davis, Mayor Pro-Tempore Richard Johns, Council Member Crystal Johns, Council Member Deloise McFadden, Council Member Tom Wirth, City Manager Brent Hyde, City Attorney

Meeting Agenda

To be held on March 7, at 7:00 PM

CITY HALL COURTROOM

9911 MAIN STREET NORTH

NAHUNTA, GA 31553

Type of Meeting: Regular

- I. Call to order
- II. Invocation
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Approval of Agenda
- V. Proclamation Signing
- VI. Approval of Minutes-Regular Meeting Minutes February 7, 2022
- VII. Public Participation (Citizens are limited to 5 minutes)

VIII. Old Business

- a. Pricing for limb pickup
- b. Update on beaver catcher
- IX. New business
 - a. New Police Hire & Pay Rate
 - b. Take home patrol cars
 - c. Pricing quotes for employee health insurance
- X. Department Reports
 - a. Police Department Monthly Report
 - b. Public Works Department Monthly Report
 - c. City Clerk Report Monthly Report
- XI. Executive Session
 - a. Personnel
 - b. Real Estate

c. Legal Matters

XII. Adjournment

The City of Nahunta, Georgia met in regular session meeting call to order at 7:00 pm Monday, March 7, 2022, in Council Chambers of City Hall located at 9911 Main Street North, Nahunta, Georgia 31553.

- ♦ Mayor Maefield called the meeting to ordet at 7:00 pm and welcomed everyone present
- ❖ Invocation said by Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis, pledge said by all in attendance
- ❖ A quorum was present
- ❖ In attendance are Mayor Barbara Maefield, Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis, Councilmember Deloise McFadden, City Manager Tom Wirth, Police Chief Darin Jennings, City Clerk Angela Wirth, City Attorney Brent Hyde was on Zoom Call, various residents, and the press. Councilman Richard Johns and Councilmember Crystal Johns were not in attendance due to illness.
- Items to Consider for approval:
 - Approval of agenda-Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis made the motion to approve tonight's agenda. Councilmember Deloise McFadden seconded the motion. Mayor Maefield called for a vote. Motion carried by 3-0 vote with Mayor Maefield voting.
 - ➤ Approval of February 7, 2022, minutes-Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis made the motion to approve the February 7, 2022, minutes. Councilmember Deloise McFadden seconded the motion. Mayor Maefield called for a vote. Motion carried by 3-0 vote with Mayor Maefield voting.

VII. Public Participation

Samantha Monroe and her son Jim Davis was in attendance to ask the Mayor and Council if Mr. Davis signs a contract stating he would access the sewer once the new plant is built can he install a septic tank at his new home he has purchased and closed on. After a brief discussion Mrs. Monroe thanked the Mayor and Council for their time.

Mr. Tommy Tucker was in attendance and asked the Mayor and Council when the new sewer plant goes online is there anyway the home he owns on Eloise St and the home at 43 Dude Cir can be added to the sewer system. Mr. Tucker also thanked City Manager Tom Wirth, Mayor, and Council for all they do.

Mrs. Linda Collins was in attendance and had a brief discussion on why the city does not mail water bills with a credit and she would like hers mailed and added up manually, so she knows what was charged and what balance she has left on her credit.

VIII. Old Business

- a. Pricing for limb pickup-tabled until next month
- b. Update on beavers-tabled until next month

IX. New Business

a. New Police Hire and pay rate

Police Chief Darin Jennings introduced Emilio Quintana to the Mayor and Council and after a brief discussion the Mayor and Council asked for Mr. Quintana come back in April 2022 Council meeting to be introduced and hired by a full attending Council. This subject was tabled until next month

- b. Take home patrol cars-tabled until next month
- c. Pricing Quotes for employee's health insurance City Manager Tom Wirth let the Mayor and Council know the health insurance through Anthem-BCBS was rising by a 48.9% increase and our representative found a plan with Cigna Health comparable in pricing and coverage we have now. Mayor Maefield asked for a motion to approve the employee health insurance to be moved to Cigna Health. Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis made the motion to approve the employee health plan through Cigna Health. Councilmember Deloise McFadden seconded the motion. Mayor Maefield called for a vote. Motion carried by 3-0 with Mayor Maefield voting.

X. Department Reports

- a. Police Report- 127 calls
- b. Public Works report-502 work orders, resubmitting for the 2020 CDBG grant for downtown water lines, taking bids for paving of Paloma St, Cannon St water tower was painted and completed, GMA convention in Savannah
- c. City Clerk report-end of the month balances in the back of your books, Water Clerk Natalee Boatright received her Deputy Court Clerk Certificate, and please if you want to attend the GMA Conference in Savannah, please let us know asap due to classes filling up fast.

XI. No Executive Session

XIII. Mayor Maefield asked for a motion to adjourn tonight's meeting. Mayor Pro-Tem Bruce Davis made the motion to adjourn. Councilmember Deloise McFadden seconded the motion, motion carried by 3-0 vote with Mayor Maefield voting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm	
Mayor Barbara Maefield	City Clerk Angela Wirth