City of Mansfield Council Meeting Minutes

January 13th,2025– 7:00 p.m. Page 1 of 2

PRESENT: Blair Northen, Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis, Helen Robertson, Brandon Hays

OTHERS: Vicki & Scott Cowan, Elsie Smith, Josh & Howard Culbreth and Brittany Ring

ABSENT: Scott Colyn

Mayor Northen called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis gave the invocation. Mayor Northen then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Northen presented the agenda. Councilman Hays moved to make a motion to accept the agenda as presented, Mayor Pro Tem Purvis seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented minutes from the regular meeting, December 9th, 2024. Hays moved to a motion to accept the minutes for December 9th, 2024, and Purvis seconded. No discussion. All in favor.

Citizen comments on agenda items.

Howard Culbreth, owner of HJC Construction & Painting, introduced himself as a new business owner and hoped to be approved of an Occupational Tax License.

Old business:

None

New Business:

Mayor Northen presented Work Session & Council Meeting Schedule Calendar for 2025. Hays moved to make a motion to accept the Work Session and Council Metting Calendar for 2025. Purvis seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented the appointments for the year 2025. Hays moved to make a motion to appoint Fred Purvis as Mayor Pro Tem. Robertson seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor. Purvis moved to make a motion to appoint Brittany Ring City Clerk/ Treasurer. Robertson seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor. Purvis moved to make a motion to appoint Mayor Blair Northen as Director of Public Safety. Hays seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor. Purvis moved to make a motion to renew Joe Reitman as City Attorney. Hays seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented Alcohol Licenses for 4 businesses: Mansfield Marketplace, Mansfield Shell, Ms. Sally's and Roosters. Purvis moved to approve all 4 licenses. Hays seconded the motion. Vote 2/1 with Helen Robertson voting no.

Mayor Northen presented Business Licenses renewals for 23 businesses: American Structures, American Tire & Wheels, Beaver Manufacturing, Georgia Water & Environmental Services, Glanton Cattle Company, HWMFG, LLC, Love is Love Cooperative Farm, Mansfield Marketplace, Mansfield Shell, Ms. Sally's, R.S Jones Building Services, Ruff House Pet Boutique, Southcoast Magnolia Properties, LLC, Steve Bishop Taxidermy, Talmadge Oaks, LLC, The Building Superstore, Turf And Tree Wizards, Vintage on 1st, Westridge MHP, LLC, Your Perfect Cup, TW Blackwell, The NNT Experience,

Northen Auto. Purvis moved to make a motion to accept all 23 business licenses renewals. Hays seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented two new applications for business license, Sweet Things Georgia, and HJC Construction and Painting. Both applicants are residents are the City of Mansfield. Purvis moved to make a motion to approve the business license for Sweet Things Georgia and HJC Painting and Construction. Hays seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented the complaint on Pine Street. Hays moved to make a motion to let Code Enforcement pursue the lot on Pine Street. Purvis seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Citizen Comments:

None

No further business to discuss. Hays moved to make a motion to adjourn at 7:18. Mayor Pro Tem Fred Purvis seconded the motion. All in favor.

Blair H Northen, III, Mayor

Helen Robertson, Post 2

Brandon Hays, Post 3

Fred Purvis, Post 5