

CITY OF DAHLONEGA

PUBLIC HEARING/SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES October 18, 2012

The Dahlonega City Council held a Public Hearing and Special Called Meeting on Thursday, October 18, 2012 at City Hall. Members present were Johnny Ariemma, Sam Norton, Terry Peters, Gerald Lord, Ralph Prescott and Bruce Hoffman. Also present were City Manager Bill Lewis and City Attorney Doug Parks.

Mayor McCullough informed Council before the meeting was called to order that City Manager Bill Lewis had requested to address Council at this time. Mr. Lewis read a letter announcing his retirement after thirty-five years of local government service. Copy of letter is attached.

Mayor McCullough called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Mayor McCullough asked for a motion to approve the amended agenda. A motion to approve the revised agenda was made by Councilman Peters, seconded by Councilman Lord. Mayor McCullough asked for all in favor to say aye, all opposed like sign, motion carried unanimously.

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City Attorney Doug Parks informed Council that some text amendments had been made to the sign and zoning ordinances. Mr. Parks asked if anyone was present to speak on these text amendment changes. Hearing no comments from the public, Mayor McCullough asked for a motion to approve these amendments. A motion to approve was made by Councilman Prescott, seconded by Councilman Norton. Mayor McCullough asked for all in favor to say aye, all opposed like sign, motion carried unanimously.

Mayor McCullough entertained a motion to move into executive session. A motion to go into executive session was made by Councilman Lord, seconded by Councilman Norton. Mayor McCullough asked for all in favor to say aye, all opposed like sign, motion carried unanimously.

City Council reconvened and Mayor McCullough informed that no action was taken in executive session.

Mayor McCullough asked for a motion to adjourn the executive session. A motion was made by Councilman Lord, seconded by Councilman Peters. Mayor McCullough asked for all in favor to say aye, all opposed like sign, motion carried unanimously.

Mayor McCullough asked for a motion to adjourn the Special Called Meeting. A motion was made by Councilman Prescott, seconded by Councilman Ariemma. Mayor McCullough asked for all in favor to say aye, all opposed like sign, motion carried unanimously.

APPROVED BY ME THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2012.

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk