Council Work Session
September 15, 2020

Meeting called to order by Mayor Harley at 5:00pm.

Invocation given by Councilman Wright.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Councilman Evans.

Welcome extended to all by Mayor Harley.

Present were Mayor John R. Harley, Councilman Cameron Andrews arrived at 5:09pm, Councilman Justin Wright, Councilman J. Micheal Evans, Councilman Edward Armijo and City Attorney Rebecca Tydings.

Public Comments
None

Old Business
None

New Business

Vason’s Landscaping & Pressure Washing (owner: Stephen & Lafonda Vason-102 Misty Ct, Centerville, Ga. 31028): Councilman Evans made motion to table item until the Regular Council meeting October 6; seconded by Councilman Armijo. Motion carried.


Memorandum of Understanding-Houston County Sheriff’s Department: Councilman Evans read the MOU. Motion made by Councilman Evans to approve and authorize Mayor Harley as signatory; seconded by Councilman Wright. Motion carried. A copy of agreement is attached and made part of official minutes.

Comments from Council
Post 1, Councilman Andrews, no comment.
Post 2, Councilman Wright, no comment.
Post 3, Councilman Evans, no comment.
Post 4, Councilman Armijo, no comment.

Mayor Harley, stated he was honored to attend the GA Air National Guard-Purple Heart Ceremony for TSgt Franklin Wetmore on Sunday afternoon. It was very moving, have attended several Purple Heart ceremonies. Major General Thomas Carden whom was appointed by
Governor Kemp in January 2019 as the 43rd Adjutant General of the Georgia Department of Defense was presiding official at the ceremony.

Mayor Harley reminded everyone the importance of the Census. The current rate is 74%, have until the end of this month to get to 100%. This impacts all of us, asking all citizens to please sign up for the census. Everyone needs this, if they need help, ask, willing to assist anyone.

Mayor Harley recognized Councilman Andrews.

Executive Session- Personnel Matters & Potential Pending Litigation: Councilman Andrews made motion to enter executive session at 5:11pm; seconded by Councilman Evans. Motion carried.

Mayor and Council reconvened at 6:26pm.

Affidavit & Resolution: City Attorney Tydings read resolution. Councilman Evans made motion to approve; seconded by Councilman Andrews. Motion carried. Affidavit executed by Mayor Harley and notarized by City Clerk Bedingfield. Affidavit and Resolution attached and made part of official minutes.

Meeting adjourned at 6:27pm.

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Mayor John R. Harley

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Attest by City Clerk Krista Bedingfield

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Date