### REGULAR MEETING CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NASHVILLE COUNTY OF BERRIEN OCTOBER 27, 2014 6:00 P.M.

**INVOCATION:** Assistant City Manager, Randy Lane

PLEDGE: Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Pro-Tem Billy Retterbush

WELCOME: Mayor Pro-Tem Billy Retterbush

**ROLL CALL:** Members of the City Council present included Mayor Pro-Tem Billy Retterbush, Aldermen Eric Gaither, Walter Steward, Antonio Carter, and Alderwoman Mellisa Watson.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Mandy Luke, John Reynolds, Randy Lane, Peter Schultz, and Chief Edwards.

**ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS-** Alderwoman Watson made the motion to adopt the minutes from the previous meeting. Alderman Carter seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

**ADOPTIONS OF FORMAL AGENDA-** Alderman Carter made the motion to adopt the formal agenda. Alderman Steward seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. Affidavit & Resolution for the October 14, 2014 Executive Session. –Alderman Gaither made the motion to adopt and approve the Resolution for the Executive Session held on October 14th. The motion was seconded by Alderman Carter and the motion carried unanimously.
- 2. RFP for the CDBG for the "Rawhide" sewer expansion project Randy Lane stated that we received eight (8) RFP's for engineering services for this project. All were opened and scored according to the scoring guidelines given to us by the Southern Georgia Regional Commission. Mr. Lane explained and gave some examples of the types of questions that were answered. He then explained the scores given to each engineer along with the costs each engineer included in their RFP. The one with the lowest cost was pointed out and the engineer has done work for us before. A motion was made by Alderman Gaither to go with the engineer with the lowest cost figure which was Coastal Engineering at 6.3% of the project cost. Alderman Steward seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

### REPORTS

- 3. City Manager's/Finance Director's Report– None.
- 4. City Attorney's Report None.
- 5. Department Head's Chief Edwards gave an update on the Nashville Police Department Tahoe's that we received. Chief Edwards also stated that there are people that watch the municipal courts to make sure that all rules and regulations are being followed. He has been asked about our courtroom capacity. The size of ours is small but if we need to we

can move court to the city hall council room until we can do something else. We have started keeping an officer posted at the doorway at the lobby so that we can keep that door open during court. Peter Schultz commented that the contractors should be starting on the repairs on Cherry Street the next day and it should be completed in three weeks.

# **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Alan Davis inquired about his mom making pork skewers at their home again for a short period of time. He asked John Reynolds if he would go out and look to see if they need to install anything.

Bryan Shaw stated that he has been working with a display company out of South Carolina to create a sign for the Bi-Lo office downtown. Bryan approved the COA and is waiting to hear back from Harvey's to be able to put up the sign.

None.

### **COUNCIL COMMENTS**

### ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to conduct, Alderman Carter made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:22 p.m. Alderman Gaither seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Travis Harper

Alderman Eric Gaither

Alderwoman Mellisa Watson

Alderman Antonio Carter

Alderman Billy Retterbush

Alderman Scott Stalnaker

Alderman Walter Steward

ATTEST:

Jackie Jordan, City Clerk