

MINUTES OF BUDGET WORKSHOP OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANFORD  
SANFORD, NORTH CAROLINA

The City Council reconvened the budget workshop meeting at the Sanford Municipal Center, 225 E. Weatherspoon Street, on Monday, June 1, 2015, at 5:00 p.m., in the West End Conference Room. The following people were present:

Mayor Pro Tem James Williams  
Council Member Sam Gaskins  
Council Member Charles Taylor  
City Clerk Bonnie Davis  
City Manager Hal Hegwer

Council Member Byron Buckels  
Council Member Jimmy Haire  
Council Member Rebecca Wyhof  
City Attorney Susan Patterson

Absent:

Mayor T. Chet Mann

Council Member Norman Charles Post, Jr. <sup>III</sup> Typo - vrc

Mayor Pro Tem Williams called the meeting to order and opened the floor for discussion.

City Manager Hal Hegwer explained that several issues from the prior work session had been researched. A summary of changes to the Budget Ordinance (Exhibit A) was included in the material packet. A summary of questions presented at or after the Budget Workshop meeting, along with answers provided by staff was also included in the material packet (Exhibit B).

The following topics were among those discussed:

- Overgrown lots
- Abandoned and foreclosed properties
- Street paving and resurfacing
- Funds reserved for park improvements
- Potential construction of additional fire department facility
- Potential reconfiguration of Municipal Center facility re: police and revenue departments
- Request from Brick Capital for additional funding
- Solid Waste Department (recycling and leaf/limb pickup programs)
- Capital Outlays

Mayor Pro Tem Williams recessed the meeting at 6:20 p.m. and reconvened the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

The following topics were among those discussed after the meeting was reconvened:

- Community Development (personnel, Youth Council program)
- Capital expense projections (including Fire Departments, non-funded requests)
- Researching and updating technology for recording meetings

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**OTHER BUSINESS**

Council Member Taylor noted that construction on the roundabout at the Hawkins Avenue/Highway 1 interchange was proceeding and business appears to have increased at local businesses which had been negatively impacted by the construction.

Mayor Pro Tem Williams informed Council that he had attended a baseball tournament recently at the County complex on Tramway Road where all three fields were utilized. It was well attended (including his grandson who played in one of the games).

**ADJOURNMENT**

Council Member Taylor made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Council Member Wyhof, the motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
JAMES WILLIAMS, MAYOR PRO TEM

ATTEST:

  
BONNIE DAVIS, CITY CLERK