

Called Council Meeting
Thursday, August 18, 2022 (6:16 p.m.)
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At the Called Council Meeting held on the above date the following members were present:

Mayor Pro tem: Steven Hudson
City Council: Mona Paulk, Lemora Moses,
and Claire Clayton-Stone
City Clerk: Lucile Middlebrooks
Police Chief: Billy Hancock
Public Works Director: Corneilus Hall
City Attorney: Warren Mixon
Absent: Mayor Horace Hudgins and Councilwoman Patrice Y.W. Manley

- First: Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson called the meeting to order and determined a quorum, prayer by Police Chief Billy Hancock, and then the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was pledged and spoken by everyone.
- Second: Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson called for a motion to adopt the Agenda for Called Council Meeting, Thursday, August 18, 2022
Motion by Councilwoman Mona Paulk and 2nd by Councilman Lemora Moses to adopt the Agenda for Called Council Meeting, Thursday, August 18, 2022
All in favor say I – Voted 3 yes; Opposes None - Motion carries.
Councilwoman Patrice Y.W. Manley is absent.
- Third: Setting the Proposed 2022 Taxes Millage Rate
A public Hearing was held preceding this Called Council Meeting and there were no public comments in reference to setting the millage rate at 17.00
Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson called for a motion.
Motion by Councilwoman Mona Paulk and 2nd by Councilwoman Claire Clayton Stone to set the millage rate for the 2022 taxes at 17.00 which will be 16.05 City and .95 Industrial Authority
All in favor raise your hand – Voted 3 yes; Oppose None - Motion carries.
- Fourth: Proclamation for Irwin County 10U Boys – DYB World Series
Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson read the Proclamation for Irwin County 10U Boys who made it to the DYB World Series.
Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson called for a motion.

Motion by Councilman Lemora Moses and 2nd by Councilwoman Claire Clayton Stone to adopt the Proclamation for Irwin County 10U Boys – DYB World Series. All in favor raise your hand – Voted 3 yes: Opposes None – Motion carries.

A PROCLAMATION

FOR THE PURPOSE OF: Recognizing the achievement of the Irwin County Youth League, ages 10 and under as the Georgia 2022 DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL STATE CHAMPIONS AND THEIR REPRESENTATION OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA IN THE DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL WORLD SERIES IN CLEMSON, SOUTH CAROLINA.

WHEREAS, The following boys from Ocilla and Irwin County participated in the Georgia Dixie Youth Baseball Championship which was held in Wrens, Georgia, July 6th through July 9th, 2022: Brayden Arnold, Weston Tucker, McCoy Gibbs, Jude Davis, Fain Pate, Dixon Law, Landon Reeves, Whit Walters, Shaw Hopkins, Cole Wilson and Brady Carroll; and

WHEREAS, The coaches of the team were Todd Pate, Head Coach, Andrew Tucker, Assistant Coach and Jake Walters, Assistant Coach; and

WHEREAS, The team won the Dixie Youth Baseball State Championship in Wrens, Georgia on July 6th through July 9th, 2022, and advanced to the Dixie Youth Baseball World World Series, held in Clemson, South Carolina on July 28th through August 4, 2022; and

WHEREAS, The players and their coaches are to be congratulated on their success in this accomplishment for the citizens of Ocilla and Irwin County, Georgia.

NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE PROCLAIMED, That the City of Ocilla, acting by and through the Mayor and Councilpersons of said City, does hereby recognize and congratulate each of the hereinabove named young boys and their coaches for the achievement accomplished by their skill, dedication, hard work and good sportsmanship;

THAT A COPY OF THIS PROCLAMATION be presented to the herein above named coaches and delivered to the IRWIN COUNTY YOUTH LEAGUE.

SO PROCLAIMED THIS 18TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2022.

ATTEST: 
LUCILLE MIDDLEBROOKS
CITY CLERK


HORACE HUDGINS, MAYOR
CITY OF OCILLA

(CITY)



Fifth: Executive Session if necessary
No Executive Session called.

Tenth: Reports from Committees

District 1 Councilwoman Mona Paulk – no comments

District 3 Councilman Lemora Moses – no comments

District 5 Councilwoman Claire Clayton-Stone – no comments

Police Chief Billy Hancock – he is preparing for retirement.

Public Works Director Corneilus Hall – no comments

City Clerk Lucile Middlebrooks – no comments

Eleventh: Mayor Pro tem Steven Hudson called for a motion to adjourn the meeting.
Motion by Councilwoman Mona Paulk and 2nd by Councilwoman Claire Clayton Stone to adjourn the meeting.
All in favor say I – Voted 4 yes; Opposes none – Motion carries unanimously.

MEETING ADJOURNED:

MAYOR HORACE HUDGINS

CITY CLERK LUCILE MIDDLEBROOKS