

April 3, 2017  
Regular Session

The Regular Session of the Greensboro City Council was called to order by Mayor Glenn Wright. Members present were Mr. Miller, Ms. Wynn, Mr. Lewis, and Mr. Moore.

Ms. Wynn opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. Miller made a motion to approve the March 20, 2017 regular session minutes as presented, after a second by Mr. Moore the motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Miller made a motion to approve the March 20, 2017 executive session minutes as presented, after a second by Mr. Moore the motion passed 4-0.

Chief Bashore gave an update on the Fire Department. He stated that the department is doing good but they need more volunteers. He discussed the fire that took place at North American Pipe on Airport Road several days ago and thanked the Council for the new truck and equipment that was purchased. All equipment is operating good and there are not any problems to report within the department.

City Manager Postell discussed the Consolidation of Greensboro and Tri-County Natural Gas. The Public Service Commission (PSC) is recommending that Greensboro and Union Point combine their Gas Departments with Tri-County, this consolidation would be easier for the PSC to enforce and have less regulatory charges. Tri-County Board and Union Point City Council has already voted and approved the consolidation. After discussion of healthcare benefits, revenue costs, and the terms of the agreement Mr. Moore made a motion directing Legal Counsel to negotiate the contract with Tri-County regarding the consolidation, after a second by Ms. Wynn the motion passed 4-0.

**Unfinished Business**

None

**New Business**

None

**Public comments**

Derry Drake addressed his frustrations with the CHIP grant contractor that made renovations to homes on Richland Avenue. Although, his mother the recipient of the grant was satisfied he was not. He was also speaking on behalf of Mattie Stephens, a recipient of the Chip Grant. His concerns were that the contractor had Ms. Stephens to move out of her home at the end of November but did not began construction until several weeks later which stressed Ms. Stephens. She was able to move back into her home March 7. He was also felt that Cail Hammons should have monitored the contractors better. No action was taken.

Mr. Miller made a motion to adjourn the meeting, after a second by Mr. Lewis the motion was approved 4-0.

There being no further business Mr. Lewis closed the meeting with prayer.