

November 16, 2015
Regular Session

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Glenn Wright. Members present were Mr. Miller, Mrs. Wynn, Mr. Lewis, and Mr. Moore.

Mayor Wright opened the meeting with prayer.

Mr. Lewis made a motion to approve the November 2, 2015 regular session minutes as presented with corrections, after a second by Mr. Miller the motion passed 3-0-1 with Mr. Moore abstaining.

Mr. Miller made a motion to approve the November 2, executive Session minutes as presented with corrections, after a second by Mrs. Wynn the motion passed 3-0-1 with Mr. Moore abstaining.

Chief Bashore was not in attendance at the time to give his Supervisor's report.

Mr. Shannon Fryer made an appeal to the Mayor and Council concerning the colors of his building at 1230 East Broad Street. Rick Zeier, the Zoning Administrator addressed the Mayor and Council and stated that Mr. Fryer was issued a business license on August 27th to sell motorcycles. The building is located in the East Broad Street Overlay District. Mr. Zeier also stated that he advised Mr. Fryer that the color green he had chosen was not acceptable and if he received any complaints he would need to change the color. The Architectural Review Board voted 3-0 to deny the color green that was chosen.

Mr. Fryer addressed the Mayor and Council. He stated that he has lived in Greensboro for 8 years and invested in the building at 1230 East Broad Street. He said he was not advised of rules or what he needed to do to make improvements to the building, but was given permission by the owner of the store to paint the building.

Mr. Lewis made a motion to deny the appeal by Mr. Fryer and reject the green color that was chosen and to, agree with the Architectural Review Board that Mr. Fryer has to change his colors to white, black, silver, and grey that can be chosen from a list of color chips, after a second by Mr. Miller the motion passed 4-0.

Chief Bashore stated everything was good with the Fire Department and made a request that the firemen receive an incentive and Christmas Dinner. Mr. Miller made a motion to approve the request, after a second by Mrs. Wynn the motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Miller made a motion to approve a Special Events Alcohol Permit for OPAS for an event to be held at Festival Hall on December 10th, after a second by Mrs. Wynn the motion passed 4-0.

City Manager Postell explained that Athens Health Plan Select will be going out of business at the end of the year and the city has to find health insurance coverage for employees and is recommending new coverage under Humana (Humana Simplicity 3) which is close to price as the old plan. Mr. Lewis made a motion to accept the recommendation from the City Manager, after a second by Mr. Moore the motion passed 4-0.

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

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