

**MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE MONTEZUMA  
CITY COUNCIL**

May 8, 2007

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Willie J. Larry called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.

**INVOCATION:** The invocation was given by Council Member Lester

**PRESENT:** Mayor Willie J. Larry; Council Members; Charles Glover, Charles Ivey, Frank Lester, Roy Barker, Cordel Jackson and James Trask; City Clerk, Joyce Hardy; Police Captain, Charley Cannon; Student Worker, Felicia Respress and City Attorney, Jon Coogle.

**ABSENT:** None

**ACTIONS**

**MOTION #1** TO ACCEPT MINUTES OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF APRIL 10, 2007 AND SPECIAL CALLED MEETINGS OF APRIL 23 AND APRIL 26, 2007 AS RECEIVED BY ALL MEMBERS.

MOTION BY: Mr. Lester  
SECOND BY: Mr. Barker  
VOTE: Unanimous in Favor Of

**MOTION #2** TO AUTHORIZE PURCHASE OF A DRUG DOG FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM SOUTH GEORGIA K-NINE AT A TOTAL COST OF \$6,800. *Funds for this purchase will come from grant received from Flint Energies (\$5,000) and Police Department FY07 Budget (\$1,800).*

MOTION BY: Mr. Trask  
SECOND BY: Mr. Ivey  
VOTE: Unanimous in Favor Of

**MOTION #3** TO AUTHORIZE INSTALLATION OF A FENCE AROUND THE JOINT USE SEWER FLOW METER AT ALLEN'S AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$1,500.

MOTION BY: Mr. Trask  
SECOND BY: Mr. Lester  
VOTE: Unanimous in Favor Of

**MOTION #4**

**TO GIVE CITY CLERK THE AUTHORITY TO CONTRACT FOR INTERNAL AUDITS AND TO ISSUE A “REQUEST FOR PORPOSAL” TO INTEREST FIRMS FOR THE ANNUAL INDEPENDENT, EXTERNAL AUDIT OF CITY FINANCES PROVIDE THAT TOTAL COST FOR BOTH DOES NOT EXCEED THE BUDGET FOR ANY FISCAL YEAR.**

MOTION BY:  
SECOND BY:  
VOTE:

Mr. Lester  
Mr. Barker  
Unanimous in Favor Of

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**MAYOR’S REPORT**

Mayor Larry read a statement aloud in support of Allen’s and against any “Union”. Mayor Larry’s statement is attached to and made a part of these Minutes. Attachment #1.

**FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER JACKSON**

No Report

**POLICE COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER IVEY**

No Report.

**WATER & SEWER UTILITIES COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER TRASK**

No Report.

**STREETS, SANITATION CEMETERY & PARKS COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER GLOVER**

No Report

**FINANCE, PERSONNEL & BUDGET COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER LESTER**

No Report

## PUBLIC PROPERTIES COMMITTEE – COUNCIL MEMBER BARKER

No Report

**ADJOURN:** With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

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Willie J. Larry – Mayor

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Joyce H. Hardy – City Clerk