## THE CITY OF DALTON MAYOR AND COUNCIL MINUTES MARCH 18, 2024

The Mayor and Council held a meeting this evening at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall. Present were Mayor Annalee Sams, Council members Dennis Mock, Nicky Lama, Tyree Goodlett and Steve Farrow, City Administrator Andrew Parker and City Attorney Jonathan Bledsoe.

#### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Sams called the meeting of the Mayor and Council to order.

# PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilmember Mock led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

On the motion of Councilmember Mock, second Council member Lama, the Mayor and Council approved the agenda. The vote was unanimous in favor.

#### PUBLIC COMMENTARY

Freddie Johnson came before the Mayor and Council requesting their assistance in dedicating a plaque at the Community Center honoring Henry (Hank) Anderson for his many accomplishments while working for the Recreation Department back in the late 1950's.

## DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Director of Tourism Margaret Thigpen presented a presentation to the Mayor and Council regarding the CVB's production for 2023 and increase revenue in hotel-motel taxes. Thigpen also updated the Mayor and Council on 2024 January and February potential events, projections and economic impact to the City of Dalton. Lastly, Thigpen previewed a video of the Taste of the Dalton to the Mayor and Council.

#### **MINUTES**

The Mayor and Council reviewed the Regular meeting minutes and Work Session minutes of March 4, 2024. On the motion of Council member Mock, second Council member Farrow, the minutes were approved. The vote was unanimous in favor.

## FY-2023 BUDGET AMENDMENT #7

Chief Financial Officer Cindy Jackson presented FY-2023 Budget Amendment #7 for the year end of 2023. On the motion of Council member Mock, second Council member Farrow, the Amendment was approved. The vote was unanimous in favor. A copy of this complete Amendment is a part of these minutes.

## FY-2024 BUDGET AMENDMENT #1

Chief Financial Officer Cindy Jackson presented FY-2024 Budget Amendment #1. On the motion of Council member Mock, second Council member Goodlett, the Amendment was approved. The vote was unanimous in favor. A copy of this complete Amendment is a part of these minutes.

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# RESOLUTION 24-10 - CONGREGANTS OF TEMPLE BETH EL

City Administrator Andrew Parker presented Resolution 24-10 to approve the acceptance of the property from the former congregants of Temple Beth El. Parker stated this resolution is a substitute compared to the one that was published in the agenda. Parker further stated this resolution only accepts the property from the remaining congregates of the Temple Beth El located at 501 Valley Drive. Parker stated the site will be converted to a stormwater improvement Memorial Park. On the motion of Council member Mock, second Council member Lama, the Resolution was approved. The vote was unanimous in favor.

### <u>ANNOUNCEMENT</u>

Mayor Sams announced the April 1st meeting of the Mayor and Council has been cancelled and the next regular meeting will be held April 15, 2024.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Mayor and Council, the meeting was Adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

Bernadette Chattam

City Clerk

Annalee Sams, Mayor

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