



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION

Monday, May 02, 2022 at 7:00 PM
Council Chambers and YouTube Livestream

MISSION STATEMENT

It is the mission of the City of Forest Park to enhance, strengthen, and grow our city by collaborating with our community to provide the highest level of service. Striving to be recognized as a diverse community that values and respects all members. We will strive to provide fair, professional, and courteous service through transparency and open communication. As we work to achieve this mission, we will have integrity beyond reproach while employing fiscal discipline and innovation. In this work there are no praises and raises for mediocrity.

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FOREST PARK CITY HALL
745 Forest Parkway
Forest Park, GA 30297

The Honorable Mayor Angelyne Butler, MPA

The Honorable Kimberly James
The Honorable Hector Gutierrez
The Honorable Allan Mears

The Honorable Dabouze Antoine
The Honorable Latresa Akins-Wells

Dr. Marc-Antonie Cooper, City Manager
S. Diane White, City Clerk
Mike Williams, City Attorney

AGENDA

VIRTUAL MEETING NOTICE

DISCLAIMER: For in-person attendance, all CDC requirements of Masks and Social Distancing is recommended.

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The Council Meetings will be livestream and available on the City's

YouTube page - "**City of Forest Park GA**"

CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME:

INVOCATION/PLEDGE:

ROLL CALL - CITY CLERK:

PRESENTATIONS:

1. **Swearing in of Planning Commission Board Member Andy Porter**– Planning & Community Development Department
2. **Proclamation - Recognizing Municipal Clerks Week** – Executive Office

Background/History:

To recognize the vital and appreciated services performed by Municipal and Deputy Clerks in serving the changing needs of their communities.

This May will be the 53rd Annual Professional Municipal Clerks Week, initiated in 1969 by IIMC and is endorsed by all of its members throughout the United States, Canada and 15 other countries. In 1984 and in 1994, Presidents Ronald Reagan and Bill Clinton, respectively, signed a Proclamation officially declaring Professional Municipal Clerks Week the first full week of May and recognizing the essential role Municipal Clerks play in local government.

IIMC is a professional association of City, Village, Town, Township, Borough and County Clerks, Secretaries and Recorders. IIMC prepares its members to meet the challenges of the diverse role of the Municipal and Deputy Clerk by providing services and continuing professional development opportunities to benefit members and the government entities they serve. Founded in 1947 in French Lick, Indiana, IIMC has 14,700 members throughout the United States, Canada and 15 other countries.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

3. **Approve Conditional Use Permit at 5370 Ash Street - PUBLIC HEARING** – Planning & Community Development Department

Background/History:

The applicant, Kelvin Waters, is requesting a Conditional Use Permit to operate a church, school, and associated offices at 5370 Ash Street. This property is in the Single-Family Residential District (RS). Places of worship, private schools, and daycares require conditional use permits to operate in the Single-Family Residential District. Currently, the property houses occasional worship services and a virtual learning school.

Staff recommended Approval of Conditional Use Permit to allow a church, school, and a daycare in the Single-Family Residential (RS) District with the following conditions:

The applicant and/or his tenants cannot operate a trucking or freight business in this location.

The applicant and/or his tenants may be allowed to operate a church, school, and a daycare and offices associated with those uses. However, no other offices or commercial uses will be permitted.

Storage of vehicles, trucks, and trailers is prohibited.

Violation of these conditions will result in the loss of the conditional use permit and associated business licenses.

The Planning Commission voted to approve the Conditional Use Permit with Conditions.

4. **Council Approval of Text Amendments - PUBLIC HEARING** –Planning & Community Development Department

Background/History:

In September 2021, the City Council approved the City of Forest Park's new Zoning Ordinance and Sign Ordinance. With these changes, the Planning & Community Development Department has discovered some areas of these ordinances that need to be amended for clarity. The requested text amendments will

not be injurious to the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the community, and the use will not be affected in a substantially adverse manner.

5. **Council Approval of Technical Map Amendments PUBLIC HEARING**– Planning & Community Development Department

Background/History:

The Planning & Community Development Department is proposing several map amendments. PC-2022-02 (MAP) includes changes to the zoning map.

In September 2021, the City of Forest Park City Council adopted a new Zoning Ordinance and new Zoning Map. Staff finds that certain zoning districts as shown on the zoning map are inconsistent with the existing character and development areas in the City. The proposed technical map amendment corrects technical errors to the zoning map that were adopted in September 2021. The requested map amendments will not be injurious to the public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the community, and the use will not be affected in a substantially adverse manner.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: (All Speakers will have 3 Minutes)

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA WITH ANY ADDITIONS / DELETIONS:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

6. **Council Approval of Council Work Session and Regular Meeting Minutes from April 18, 2022** - City Clerk

NEW BUSINESS:

7. **Council Approval to enter into an Agreement with Clayton County Summer Food Service Program Agreement** – Recreation & Leisure Services
8. **Council Approval of Citywide Janitorial Services Vendor**– Various Departments throughout the City

CLOSING COMMENTS BY GOVERNING BODY:

EXECUTIVE SESSION: (When an Executive Session is required, one will be called for the following issues: Personnel, Litigation or Real Estate)

ADJOURNMENT:

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