



CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION

Monday, September 18, 2023 at 6:00 PM
Council Chambers and YouTube Livestream

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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

Ricky L. Clark Jr, City Manager
Randi Rainey, City Clerk
Mike Williams, City Attorney

AGENDA

VIRTUAL NOTICE

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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:

ROLL CALL:

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. Council Discussion and Approval of Resolution Terminating Authorization for Double-Time Overtime Pay for Public Works – Executive Offices**

Background/History:

At the August 7, 2023, Council meeting, the City Council temporarily authorized "double-time" pay for Public Works employees for a period of 90 days to assist with catching up with grass-cutting around the city. The city has since caught up with the grass-cutting. Accordingly, it is proposed that the City Council now terminate the authorization for "double-time" overtime pay.

- 2. A Review of Chief Criss 1st 100 Days as Police Chief - Police Department**

Background/History:

Chief Criss assumed his role as the Forest Park Police Chief on May 1, 2023. He has now completed his first 100 days in office and wishes to offer a concise overview of his initial achievements and activities during this period.

3. COVID Update - Forest Park Fire Department

With the ongoing conversation relative to an uptick in COVID cases, members of the Forest Park Fire Department have requested to provide an update to the 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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File Attachments for Item:

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City Council Agenda Item

Subject: Council Approval of Resolution Terminating Authorization for Double-Time Overtime Pay for Public Works – Executive

Submitted By: City Attorney

Date Submitted: September 13, 2023

Work Session Date: September 18, 2023

Council Meeting Date: September 18, 2023

Background/History:

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Cost: \$ variable

Budgeted for: Yes No

Financial Impact: No further expenditures would be made.

Action Requested from Council:

Approval of the resolution.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION TO TERMINATE DOUBLE TIME OVERTIME PAY FOR PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEES

WHEREAS, the City of Forest Park (“City”) is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia and is charged with being fiscally responsible concerning the use and expenditure of all public funds;

WHEREAS, at the August 7, 2023 Council meeting, the City Council temporarily authorized “double-time” pay for Public Works employees for a period of 90 days to assist with catching up with grass-cutting around the City;

WHEREAS, the City has since caught up with the grass-cutting; and

WHEREAS, having met its goals of getting caught up the grass-cutting, the City proposes to terminate the authorization for “double-time” overtime pay;

THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FOREST PARK HEREBY RESOLVES:

SECTION 1. Termination of Double Time Overtime Pay. The City Council hereby terminates the authorization for “double-time” overtime pay for public works which was approved on a temporary basis at the August 7, 2023 City Council meeting.

SECTION 2. Public Record. This document shall be maintained as a public record by the City Clerk and shall be accessible to the public during all normal business hours of the City of Forest Park.

SECTION 3. Authorization of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents, including the contract with such changes and modifications as recommended by the City Attorney, necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

SECTION 4. Attestation. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any documents which may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Forest Park as provided in the City Charter.

[SIGNATURES APPEAR ON FOLLOWING PAGE]

SO RESOLVED this 18th day of September, 2023.

Mayor Angelyne Butler

ATTEST:

City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

File Attachments for Item:

2. A Review of Chief Criss 1st 100 Days as Police Chief - Police Department

Background/History:

Chief Criss assumed his role as the Forest Park Police Chief on May 1, 2023. He has now completed his first 100 days in office and wishes to offer a concise overview of his initial achievements and activities during this period.



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City Council Agenda Item

Title of Agenda Item: A review of Chief Criss 1st 100 days as Police Chief

Submitted By: Chief Brandon Criss

Date Submitted: September 14, 2023

Work Session Date: September 18, 2023

Council Meeting Date: September 18, 2023

Background/History:

Chief Criss assumed his role as the Forest Park Police Chief on May 1, 2023. He has now completed his first 100 days in office and wishes to offer a concise overview of his initial achievements and activities during this period.

Action Requested from Council: None

Cost: 0

Budgeted for: _____ **Yes** _____ **No**

Financial Impact: Not applicable
