

CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA

Stonecrest Charter Commission

Joel Thibodeaux Lori Brown Kirby Clements II Tanya Anderson Delores Washington Aundre Stanton LaShawnda Walker City Attorney, ex-officio

STONECREST CHARTER COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

July 17, 2024, 6:00 p.m.

Citizen Access: In-Person @ City Hall (3120 Stonecrest Blvd Stonecrest) (meeting will be recorded and uploaded to the Stonecrest YouTube page)

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:12pm.

II. ROLL CALL

All members were present with members Lori Brown, and Tanya Anderson absent and Member Kirby Clements arriving after roll call. It was confirmed that four members equal a quorum.

III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Overall limit in public comments is 20 minutes. Limited to 2 minutes per speaker. Speaker can only speak once in public comments. Public comments are restricted to topics regarding the Stonecrest Charter Commission.

1. Bernard Knight

V. AGENDA ITEMS

a. Adoption of May 14, 2024, meeting minutes

This item was postponed to the next meeting.

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b. Adoption of Bylaws

There was a general discussion mentioning DeKalb County's bylaws were used to create Stonecrest's bylaws. Presented was a suggested guideline to follow, which is open for amendments. It was agreed that the passage regarding officers coordinating publicity could be stricken. There was additional discussion of suggested edits, to be brought back to the next meeting for adoption.

c. Election of Officers

Introduction of and by committee members. There was one nomination for the position of Chair. Kirby Clements nominated Joel Thibodeaux.

Motion was made and adopted 4-1 with Joel Thibodeaux abstaining.

There was one nomination for the position of Vice Chair. Joel Thibodeaux nominated **Motion** was made and adopted 4-1 with LaShawnda Walker abstaining.

There was one nomination for the position of Secretary. Delores Washington nominated Kirby Clements II. **Motion** was made and adopted 4-1 with Kirby Clements abstaining.

d. Review of Ordinance of Creation

Preamble of Ordinance was read by the Secretary.

LaShawnda Walker mentioned the misspelling of her name and the correction was made.

e. List of charter concerns from Mayor and Council

The report was not ready for discussion and this item will be discussed at a later date.

f. Release to independently deliberate on charter review

Chair authorized to take control of the meeting. Commission released to deliberate individually.

g. Set next meeting date

The suggested date for the next meeting is August 7, 2024.

VI. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion – made by Kirby Clement II to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Delores Washington. Motion passed unanimously.

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As approved on the 22nd day of October, 2024.

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Jazzmin Cobble, Mayor

ATTEST: Sony Door City Clerk

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