

OFFICIAL MINUTES
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BRUNSWICK, GEORGIA
REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2020
VIRTUAL TELECONFERENCE VIA ZOOM
STREAMED LIVE AT THE BELOW WEB ADDRESS:
<https://www.facebook.com/COBMeetings>

PRESENT: Honorable Mayor Cornell Harvey, Mayor Pro-Tem Julie Martin - (entered teleconference meeting at 6:05), Commissioner John Cason III, Commissioner Felicia Harris, and Commissioner Vincent Williams

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Harvey - *meeting begin at 6:00 p.m.*

INVOCATION: Commissioner Williams

ADDENDUM TO AGENDA

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Commissioner Williams made a motion to defer item number six (6) under the City Attorney's item "Consider Approval of Recreational License Agreement Between the City of Brunswick and Coastal Outreach Soccer"; until the June 3, 2020 Commission meeting; seconded by Commissioner Harris.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason	Yes
Commissioner Harris	Yes
Commissioner Williams	Yes
Mayor Harvey	Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 4 to 0.

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RECOGNITION(S), PRESENTATION(S), & AWARD(S)

1. Proclamation Presentation to Will Worley, Chairman of the Brunswick Historic Preservation Board, Recognizing the Month of May 2020 as National Historic Preservation Month.
- 1a Reading of Resolution, Honoring the Life and Legacy of Ahmaud Arbery. (*Mayor Harvey*)

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Mayor Harvey opened the floor for the Commissioners to speak regarding the Ahmaud Arbery shooting.

Each commissioner expressed their sentiments regarding the Ahmaud Arbery shooting.

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ITEM(S) TO CONSIDER FOR APPROVAL

2. Consider Approval of May 6, 2020 Regular Scheduled Meeting Minutes. (*subject to any necessary changes.*) (*N. Atkinson*)

Commissioner Cason made a motion to approve the above-referenced minutes; seconded by Commissioner Williams.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason	Yes
Commissioner Harris	Yes
Commissioner Williams	Yes

Mayor Pro Tem Martin Yes

Mayor Harvey Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

3. Consider Approval of Resolution 2020 – 10 - Approving a Substantial Amendment to the Community Development Block Grant Program’s Fiscal Year 2019 Annual Action Plan for Dispersal of Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES) Funds. (*D. Mack-Collins*)

Mayor Pro Tem Martin made a motion to approve the above-referenced resolution; seconded by Commissioner Harris.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason Yes

Commissioner Harris Yes

Commissioner Williams Yes

Mayor Pro Tem Martin Yes

Mayor Harvey Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

4. Consider Approval of Right of Entry License Agreement Between the City of Brunswick and Gallagher Marine Systems, LLC for Utilization of the Boat Dock at Liberty Ship Park. (*G. Alberson*)

Commissioner Cason made a motion to defer the above-referenced item until the June 3, 2020 commission meeting; seconded by Commissioner Williams.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason Yes

Commissioner Harris Yes

Commissioner Williams Yes

Mayor Pro Tem Martin Yes

Mayor Harvey Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

APPOINTMENT(S)

5. Commission (*N. Atkinson*)

a) Planning and Appeals Commission – Two Appointments

Mayor Pro Tem Martin made a motion to re-appoint Charles Day and Lance Sabbe to the above-referenced commission until May 16, 2023; seconded by Commissioner Harris.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason Yes

Commissioner Harris Yes

Commissioner Williams Yes

Mayor Pro Tem Martin Yes

Mayor Harvey Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

CITY ATTORNEY’S ITEM(S)

6. Consider Approval of Recreational License Agreement Between the City of Brunswick and Coastal Outreach Soccer.

**The above-referenced item was deferred until the June 3, 2020 commission meeting. **

7. Consider Amendment to the Employment Agreement Between the City of Brunswick and City Manager for the Purposes of Providing a City Issued Cellular Telephone.

Commissioner Williams made a motion to approve the amendment to the above-referenced agreement; seconded by Commissioner Harris.

Mayor Harvey called for a vote from City Clerk Atkinson:

Commissioner Cason Yes

Commissioner Harris Yes

Commissioner Williams Yes

Mayor Pro Tem Martin Yes

Mayor Harvey Yes

Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Commissioner Williams made a motion to hold an executive session to discuss litigation; seconded by Commissioner Harris. Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

RECONVENE FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mayor Harvey announced no action was taken.

Commissioner Harris made a motion to adjourn; seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Martin. Motion passed unanimously by a vote of 5 to 0.

MEETING ADJOURNED – *meeting adjourned at 7:52 p.m.*

/s/Cornell L. Harvey
Cornell L. Harvey, Mayor

Attest: /s/ Naomi D. Atkinson
Naomi D. Atkinson, City Clerk