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**CITY OF AUBURN
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
MEETING IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS
June 12, 2025
6:00 PM
Council Chambers
1 Auburn Way
Auburn, GA 30011**

Present: Mayor: **Richard Roquemore**
Council Member: **Robert L. Vogel**
Council Member: **Taylor J. Sisk**
Council Member: **Jamie L. Bradley**
Council Member: **Joshua Rowan**

City Staff in Attendance: Michael Parks, Marc Pharr, Staci Waters, Brooke Haney, Iris Akridge, Chief Hodge

Also in Attendance: Jack Wilson

Mayor Roquemore called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Rev. Marshall Clack gave the Invocation.

Mayor Roquemore gave the pledge.

Council Reports and Announcements

Mayor Roquemore asked for Council Reports and Announcements. Staci Waters announced the cancellation of the food truck Friday due to the weather. **Council Member Rowan** announced the Survey for the DDA. **Mayor Roquemore** announced the technical issues of the video of the Council meetings and explained the new process for the public comment form that will go into effect June 26, 2025. The mayor also announced that we had a special presentation recognizing our Police Department.

Mayor Roquemore announced the need to amend the agenda to add consideration of a resolution regarding Downtown Redevelopment.

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to amend the agenda.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Rowan** to amend the agenda

Second: Made by **Council Member Sisk**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion. **Council Member Vogel** asked if Citizen Comments could be added for this item. The Council agreed without objection to allow comments.

PUBLIC HEARING

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to open the Public Hearing regarding the Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Sisk** to open the public hearing.

Second by **Council Member Vogel**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, Council Member Bradley had a question about the percentage. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes.

Item 1: Public Hearing regarding the **Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.**

Jack Wilson: Presented

Mayor Roquemore opened the floor for ten minutes for public comments in favor of the change of the **Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.** There were none.

Mayor Roquemore opened the floor for ten minutes for public comments in opposition **Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.** There were none.

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to close the Public Hearing.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Rowan** to close the public hearing.

Second: by **Council Member Sisk**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes.

NEW BUSINESS

Citizen Comments on Agenda Items

Mayor Roquemore asked for any citizen comments for items on tonight's agenda. There were none.

Mayor Roquemore asked if there were any items to be removed from the consent agenda. **Council Member Vogel** asked to remove item 2e-- 2025 Local Road Assistant Administration Funding Grant (LRA), And item 2g- 6th Street Dog Park Conceptual Plan. Council Member Rowan asked to remove item f- Placement of stop signs in Indian Meadows Subdivision.

Item 2: Consent Agenda

- a. Council Business Meeting Minutes- May 8, 2025
- b. Council Workshop Meeting Minutes- May 22, 2025
- c. Special Called Meeting Minutes- May 22, 2025
- d. Special Called Meeting Minutes- May 29, 2025
- h. Elevator Maintenance Agreement

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to approve the consent agenda as revised, without the-pp items removed for separate discussion.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Vogel**

Second: by **Council Member Bradley**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes.

VOTING ITEMS

Item 3: Proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy

Jack Wilson: Presented

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to approve the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Rowan** approved the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Auburn, Section 17.60.214, Single Family Owner Occupancy.

Second: Made by **Council Member Sisk**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes.

Item 4: e. 2025 Local Road Assistant Administration Funding Grant (LRA)

Iris Akridge Presented

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, **Council Member Vogel** Expressed he would like to instruct Public Works Director to proceed with the application for the next suitable road on the City's prioritized list, not 4th Ave.

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to approve the 2025 Local Road Assistant Administration Funding Grant (LRA) with the changes of Public Works Director to proceed with the application for the next suitable road on the City's prioritized list, not 4th Ave.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Vogel** approved the 2025 Local Road Assistant Administration Funding Grant (LRA) with the changes of Public Works Director to proceed with the application for the next suitable road on the City's prioritized list, not 4th Ave.

Second: Made by **Council Member Sisk**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes.

Item 5: f. Placement of stop signs in Indian Meadows subdivision

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to approve Placement of stop signs in Indian Meadows subdivision.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Rowan** to approve Placement of stop signs in Indian Meadows subdivision

Second: Made by **Council Member Vogel**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with all members present voting yes **Council Member Sisk** abstained from this vote due to he lives in the subdivision.

Item 6: g. 6th Street Dog Park Conceptual Plan

Mayor Roquemore asked for a motion to approve the 6th Street Dog Park Conceptual Plan.

Motion: Made by **Council Member Rowan** to approve the 6th Street Dog Park Conceptual Plan.

Second: Made by **Council Member Sisk**

Mayor Roquemore asked for any discussion, there was none. Votes were taken with **Council Member Rowan** and **Council Member Sisk** voting yes, and **Council Member Vogel** and **Council Member Bradley** Voting no. **Mayor Roquemore** Voted Yes. Motion carried 3-2.


Mayor Roquemore asked for any Citizen Comments. There were none.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, **Mayor Roquemore** adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Read and approved this 10 Day of July 2025

Attest:



Mayor Richard E. Roquemore