



**AMENDED AGENDA**  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE VALDOSTA CITY COUNCIL  
5:30 PM Thursday, May 9, 2013  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

**1. Opening Ceremonies**

- a) Call to Order
- b) Invocation
- c) Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

**2. Awards and Presentations**

- a) Special Award Presentation for the City of Valdosta's Azalea City Recertification.
- b) Consideration of the May, 2013 Employee of the Month Award (Charles Tatch, Fire Department).

**3. Minutes Approval**

- a) Valdosta City Council - Regular Meeting - Apr 25, 2013 5:30 PM

**4. Public Hearings**

- a) Consideration of an Ordinance to rezone 1.32 acres from Neighborhood-Commercial (C-N) and Residential-Professional (R-P) to Community-Commercial (C-C) as requested by Bill Sineath (File No. VA-2013-04). The property is located at 2520 Bemiss Road. The Greater Lowndes Planning Commission reviewed this request at their April Regular Meeting and recommended approval (6-0 vote).

**5. Ordinances and Resolutions**

- a) Consideration of a Resolution authorizing the filing of an application with the United States Department of Justice Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) under the COPS Hiring Program (CHP) to fund three additional Officers of the Valdosta Police Department to serve as School Resource Officers.
- b) Consideration of a Resolution authorizing the filing of an application with the U. S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance to apply for grant funds to purchase bullet proof vests for the Police Department.

**6. Bids, Contracts, Agreements and Expenditures**

- a) Consideration of a request to enter into an Agreement with the United States Army Corps of Engineers for a 50/50 Planning Assistance to States (PAS) Grant for a Flood Risk Management Study for portions of the Withlacoochee River Basin.

**7. Local Funding and Requests**

- a) Consideration of a request for repairs to the Withlacoochee Wastewater Treatment Plant in order to maintain Permit Compliance.

- b) Consideration of a request to remove the residency requirement previously adopted by the Mayor and Council for participation in the City Government 101 Program.

**8. Boards, Commissions, Authorities, and Advisory Committees**

- a) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Airport Authority.
- b) Consideration of an appointment to the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Citizen Advisory Committee.
- c) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Construction Board of Adjustments & Appeals.
- d) Consideration of an appointment to the Greater Lowndes Planning Commission.
- e) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta Housing Authority.
- f) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Housing Board of Adjustments & Appeals.
- g) Consideration of appointments to the Keep Lowndes-Valdosta Beautiful Board.
- h) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Parks & Recreation Authority.
- i) Consideration of appointments to the Public Art Advisory Committee.
- j) Consideration of an appointment to the Zoning Board of Appeals.

**9. City Manager's Report**

**10. Council Comments**

**11. Citizens to be Heard**

**12. Adjournment**