



SUMMARY OF ACTIONS
REGULAR MEETING OF THE VALDOSTA CITY COUNCIL
5:30 PM Thursday, August 25, 2016
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

1. Opening Ceremonies

- a) Call to Order – **Mayor John Gayle called the meeting to order. Councilman Robert Yost and Councilman Joseph “Sonny” Vickers were absent.**
- b) Invocation - **The invocation was given by Pastor Johnnie Quarterman, North Valdosta Church of God.**
- c) Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

2. Minutes Approval

- a) Valdosta City Council - Regular Meeting - Aug 11, 2016 5:30 PM – **Approved (5-0)**

3. Ordinances and Resolutions

- a) Consideration of an Ordinance to adopt the tax millage rate for the City of Valdosta. – **Approved (5-0)**
- b) Consideration of a Resolution authorizing the sale of a Tax Anticipation Note (TAN) to the Bank of America. – **Approved (5-0)**
- c) Consideration of a Resolution for a Community Home Investment Program (CHIP) Grant Award by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs. – **Approved (5-0)**

4. Bids, Contracts, Agreements and Expenditures

- a) Consideration of bids for turnout gear for the Valdosta Fire Department. – **Approved (5-0)**
- b) Consideration of bids for two generators and cabling for the Utilities Department. – **Approved (5-0)**
- c) Consideration of a request to approve a design-build bid for the extension of utilities to Annexed Islands 85, 87, 91, and 92. – **Approved (5-0)**

5. Local Funding and Requests

- a) Consideration of a request to solicit participation in the Georgia Initiative for Community Housing (GICH) survey for housing and transportation. – **Approved (5-0)**

6. Boards, Commissions, Authorities, and Advisory Committees

- a) Consideration of an appointment to the Central Valdosta Development Authority /Downtown Development Authority. – **Appointed Michael C. Lee.**
- b) Consideration of appointments to the Valdosta Tree Commission. – **Reappointed Amy Hall, and appointed Sally Querin and Marion Ramsey.**

- c) Consideration of an appointment to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Construction Board of Adjustments & Appeals. – **Reappointed James D. Cone.**
- d) Consideration of appointments to the Valdosta-Lowndes County Zoning Board of Appeals. – **Reappointed Nancy Hobby and appointed Attorney Nathaniel Brantley.**

7. City Manager's Report

8. Council Comments

9. Citizens to be Heard

10. Adjournment - The Regular Session was adjourned at 6:54 p.m.