Riceboro City Council September 1, 2020 Time: 6:00 p.m. Meeting # 512

A. Call to Order – Meeting called to order by Joseph Harris, Mayor, with Council Members D. Miller, P. Axson, L. Brown and J. Young present;

- B. Confirmation of Proper Notice of Meeting City Clerk;
- C. Invocation Council Member D. Miller;
- D. Adoption of Minutes of Last Meeting Motion Council Member D. Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member P. Axson to adopt said minutes; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;

Old Business:

Review of ongoing projects requiring engineer/contractor support:

- 1. Water/Sewer System P.C. Simonton, Engineer
  - A. Roads Update Paul stated that for Chatman Homes, contractor to put down the paving;

Working on paving for roads – subcontractor to start work for Dogwood Street – update given by Paul; start date, Wednesday after Labor Day; roof roll is to be set up; contractor is in liquidated damages stage; Paul said he will write a letter at the approval of the city;

Motion Council Member D. Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member L. Brown to have Paul to write a letter to the contractor; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;

2. Community Development, Council Member Pearlie Axson – Update – Food Give-A-Way to take place Saturday, September 5 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; giving out 100 bags;

Donation of \$500 (Five Hundred) Dollars made to NAACP Freedom Banquet Fund;

5000 Face Mask donated to Riceboro by S.W.A.N.A. (Solid Waste Association North America);

**New Business:** 

- 1. Public Participation via Facebook Live;
- 2. Customer Complaints Not any;
- 3. LCPC Gabby Hartage A. Sharhonda Brennon Business License Request Heaven Scent Cleaning Motion Council Member J. Young, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member P. Axson to approve said license; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay; Council Member J. Young did questioned what kind of chemicals would be used; B. Joe Roberts Business License Request Uniq Hauling Motion Council Member J. Young, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member L. Brown to approve said license; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay; C. Robert Turner Business License Request R. Turner Total Lawncare Motion Council Member J. Young, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member L. Brown to approve said license; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;

- 4. Census 2020 Information D. Attical, Grant Administrator Krystal Hart has expired her time; Shirley Howard is now going door to door; Council Member L. Brown ask for a list of those who might not have completed the census; she was told by Krystal Hart that there is a map showing areas where census forms have not been completed;
- 5. Grants Information Rural Placemaking Innovation Grant Community Facilities Direct Loan & Grant Program prepares for future grants; grant is due September 10, 2020;
  - It In A Box after monthly payments are made by the city; present invoices and received \$3500 back;
- CARES ACT Funds Information previous copy of Resolution enclosed FYI; 1<sup>st</sup>. phase is 30%; 2<sup>nd</sup>. Phase is 70%;
- 7. Liberty County NAACP Sponsorship request see handout; Gold Sponsorship; September 22, 2020, parade will take place and end of here in Riceboro at the stage next to city hall;
- 8. Executive Session Personnel Motion Council Member D. Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member L. Brown to come out of regular session at 7:12 p.m. and go into executive session to discuss said item; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;
  - Motion Council Member D. Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member P. Axson to come out of executive session at 7:25 p.m. and go back to regular session; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;
- 9. Financial Statement, Month of August, 2020 Adoption Motion Council Member D. Miller, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Council Member P. Axson to approve said item; Pass 4 yea; 0 nay;