

CITY OF FOREST HILLS
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 12, 2022

Mayor Kenny Griffin opened the regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. Meeting was held in the Community of Christ Church.

City Commissioner Members: Kenneth Griffin (Mayor), Sharon Doll (Public Works), Sharon Henry (Finance/Landscaping), Gayle Knoop (Safety), and Robbie Taylor (Sanitation/Events).

City Employees: Sgt. Tulio Tourinho (police officer), Pat Cooke (Clerk/Treasurer), John Singler (Attorney) and Mark Madison (City Engineer & Code Enforcement Officer).

Others Present:

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: All present except Com. Doll

The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed. Com. Knoop made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Com. Henry. Motion carried.

Reports:

Finance: Com. Henry reported that the City had \$377,232.50 in the various accounts. She then made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by Com. Taylor. The Mayor withdrew money from our PNC checking account to Deposit in our Stock Yards checking because of a low balance.

Sanitation: There continue to be issues with the collections. The City will receive a credit for a recent missed collection. There has been an issue with possums and raccoons and the City has had to employ a company to capture the animals. The food truck on the 13th of August was a success.

Public Safety: Com. Knoop has arranged a safety presentation with Sgt. Tourinho that will be on October 3rd from 7 to 8 p.m. A flyer will be sent out to the residents. Speeding has slowed down on Narwood but some cars are going around the speed humps. There was discussion about how to stop that.

Public Works: Com. Doll sent a report. She received an email from a resident who was dissatisfied with the length of time it was taking to replace the streetlights. She explained that the original lamps received were the wrong kind and they had to be reordered. The 6 entry signs have been installed throughout the neighborhood. She also wanted to remind the Board that the No Parking signs should be put up for the city-wide yard sale.

City Clerk: Tax bills have been printed and received and will be mailed out by Oct. 1st.

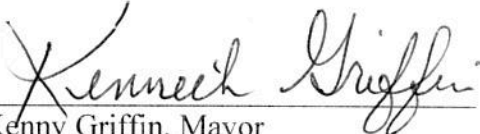
City Attorney: Mr. Singler presented the 2nd reading of the Amended 2021 Budget. Com. Knoop made a motion to accept the 2nd reading of the Amended 2021 Budget, seconded by Com. Henry.


City Engineer: Mr Madison said he met with one of the resident that was unhappy with the location of the speed hump sign in his yard. Halls Contracting will be moving the sign sometime soon. A resident had sent a request to build a greenhouse a few months back. She then contacted Mr. Madison about changing the size of the greenhouse to a larger building. He asked that she come to the meeting to give the Board a description of the greenhouse but she did not come. The Board decided to table the matter until she can come and explain what she wants.

Church: No report.

The Mayor asked for questions or comments from residents in attendance. There was a question about a shredding event and a junk pickup after the yard sale.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.


Kenny Griffin, Mayor


Pat Cooke, Clerk

Date approved: 10/10/22

The minutes stand unapproved until signed.