

**Savannah City Government
SUMMARY/FINAL MINUTES
COUNCIL WORK SESSION &
CITY MANAGER'S BRIEFING
September 15, 2016 – 11:00 a.m.**

PRESENT: Mayor Pro-Tem Carol Bell, Presiding
Alderman Julian Miller, Chairman of Council
Alderman Brian Foster, Vice Chairman of Council
Aldermen John Hall, , Tony Thomas (arrived at 11:15 a.m.),
Estella Shabazz (arrived at 11:25 a.m.)

Assistant City Manager Pete Shonka
City Attorney W. Brooks Stillwell
Assistant City Attorneys William Shearouse

ABSENT: Mayor Eddie W. DeLoach
Alderman Van Johnson, II
Alderman Bill Durrence
City Manager Stephanie Cutter

Mayor Pro-tem Bell called the 11:00 a.m. Council Work Session to order.

Upon motion of Alderman Foster, seconded by Alderman Miller, and unanimously carried the agenda was amended to add the following:

1. Pre-Apprentice Program Recap
2. RFP discussion requested by Alderman Shabazz

Pre-Apprentice Program Recap was presented by Chief Lumpkin

Summer 500 Recap video was played

New Zo: Savannah Zoning Ordinance was presented by Tom Thomson, Executive Director and Charlotte Moore from the Metropolitan Planning Commission. (**Presentation on file in the Office of the Clerk of Council**)

Alderman Shabazz asked that the RFP discussion not be held.

Upon motion of Alderman Miller, seconded by Alderman Foster, and unanimously carried the agenda was amended to add a Discussion on the Bay Street Traffic Study.

Council suggested taking some type of speed enforcement measures now that the parking has been removed from Bay Street. Trucks are speeding due to the increased space driving down Bay Street.

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Announcements

Mayor Pro-Tem Bell announced the City is dealing with the ramifications of an existing ruling which allows developers with preexisting buildings to place a trash dumpster on public right of way if there is no room on their private property. She asked that City Manager Cutter provide a report to Council at the next meeting.

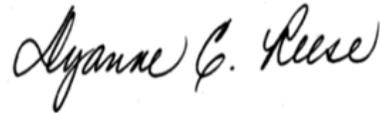
Alderman Miller stated he wanted to thank City staff for their performance during the Tropical Storm, he stated the attitudes and promptness when calls came in was recognized not only by Council but citizens as well.

Executive Session

Upon motion of Alderman Shabazz, seconded by Alderman Miller, and unanimously carried Council went into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing Litigation.

Upon completion of the Executive Session, a motion was made by Alderman Miller, seconded by Alderman Shabazz, and unanimously carried to come out of the Session.

Mayor Pro-Tem Bell adjourned this meeting.



Dyanne C. Reese, MMC
Clerk of Council