

City of Thomasville Council Meeting, October 24, 2022

The Council of the City of Thomasville met in regular session with Mayor Jay Flowers presiding and the following Councilmembers present: Mayor Pro Tem Todd Mobley and Councilmembers Wanda Warren, Terry Scott, and Scott Chastain. Also present were the City Manager, J. Alan Carson; Assistant City Managers, Sheryl Sealy and Chris White; City Attorney, Tim Sanders; other city staff; citizens and members of the media. The meeting was held in Council Chambers at City Hall, located at 144 East Jackson Street, Thomasville, Georgia. Simultaneous access to the meeting was provided to those members of the press and citizens not present via the City of Thomasville's online live stream feed located at www.thomasville.org.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Flowers called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

INVOCATION

Councilmember Scott gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Pro Tem Mobley led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor Pro Tem Mobley motioned to approve the City Council Regular Meeting Minutes of October 26, 2022 as presented. Councilmember Scott seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

PROCLAMATIONS/RECOGNITIONS

1. Councilmember Warren presented a proclamation designating October 2022 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month to Breast Cancer Survivor and co-owner of Flourish Thomasville, Geriann Kennedy.
2. Thomasville Fire Chief Tim Connell recognized Thomasville Fire Rescue members for awards given by the Georgia State Firefighters Association (GSFA). TFR Deputy Chief, Craig Dukes, was recently elected as the Second Vice-President of the Georgia Firefighters Association. Second Vice-President Dukes presented the GSFA Instructor of the Year Award to Battalion Chief of Training, Corey Thompson.
3. Mayor Flowers recognized Chief of Police, John Letteney, as the newly appointed President of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP). It was noted that the IACP is the world's largest and most influential professional association for police leaders. Chief Letteney thanked the Mayor, Councilmembers, City Managers and the community for their support.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD

1. Jennifer Dyson, 615 Raleigh Avenue, Thomasville, Georgia, voiced concerns about not receiving answers regarding issues brought to Councilmembers. She noted she has addressed Council on various issues and concerns for approximately five years and they are not yet resolved. Dyson also reported receiving a letter from the City regarding removal of the fence installed at 500 West Calhoun Street, she noted the letter did not cite the Code section for reason of removal. Dyson reported the citizens in District 1 are not properly represented on Council and requested Councilmember Warren to resign.

2. J. D. McCormick, 526 North Crawford Street, Thomasville, Georgia, voiced concerns regarding safety concerns of dogs roaming freely in the historic neighborhoods of the City of Thomasville. He noted that these dogs have been terrorizing neighborhoods since June of this year and even with the help of the animal field service director, the problem still persists.
 - a. Mayor Flower requested the City Manager to make contact with Mr. McCormick for additional information in an effort to solve the issue.
3. Lucinda Brown, 106 Halcyon Way, Thomasville, Georgia, voiced concerns regarding the upcoming installation of the FLOCK Safety System. She suggested that a citizen review board be implemented during the trial phase for this system to ensure transparency. Brown further noted that citizens also want to know where the cameras will be placed, copies of any rules and regulations that FLOCK must follow, and inquired if an additional vote would be required of Council to authorize the continuance of the system following the trial phase.
4. Keith Thomas, Woods Gate Lane, Thomasville, Georgia, spoke in favor of the FLOCK Safety System as he has witnessed the system in use in another municipality. Thomas also encouraged the community and Councilmembers to continue to work together for the betterment of the community and its youth.

ADOPT AGENDA

Councilmember Scott motioned to adopt the agenda as presented. Councilmember Chastain seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

OLD BUSINESS

Second reading of an ordinance to amend text in Chapter 6 “Cemeteries” of the Thomasville Municipal Code to provide for publication of fees.

Public Works Superintendent, Stephen Stewart reported there had been no amendments to the ordinance since its passage on first reading. It was noted that this ordinance amends the text in Chapter 6 “Cemeteries” to provide for publication of fees.

Mayor Pro Tem Mobley motioned to order the second reading of the ordinance to amend text in Chapter 6 “Cemeteries” of the Thomasville Municipal Code as read for the second time, passed and adopted as presented. Councilmember Chastain seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

The ordinance ordered read for the second time, passed and adopted follows.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CITY OF THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA, BY AMENDING SECTION 6-4, CAPTIONED “BURIAL ADMINISTRATIVE FEES; NOTICE REQUIRED.”; AND, SECTION 6-5, CAPTIONED “LOTS—PURCHASE PRICES SPECIFIED.”; AND; SECTION 6-7, CAPTIONED “PERPETUAL CARE.”, OF CHAPTER 6, CAPTIONED “CEMETERIES.”, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR PUBLICATION OF FEES; TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

SECTION I

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Thomasville, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same, that Section 6-4, captioned “Burial administrative fees; notice required.”, of Chapter 6, captioned “Cemeteries”, of the Code of the City of Thomasville, Georgia is hereby amended as follows:

“Sec. 6-4. Burial administrative fees; notice required.

- (a) *Burial fees.* An administrative fee of ~~\$100.00~~, set by city council and kept on file and maintained in the office of the clerk of the city, will be charged ~~to the funeral director for each burial, along with a damage deposit of \$250.00. The damage deposit will be refundable if no settlement occurs, or no additional cleanup is required on the new or previous gravesites. The d~~ Damage deposit does not cover to vaults, headstones, slabs, memorials, benches, trees, shrubbery, or other improvements. ~~Damage to those items will result in full replacement costs by the funeral director.~~
- (b) *Notice required.* The superintendent of cemeteries must be given 24 hours' notice before the hour of the funeral for the laying out of a gravesite.
- (c) *Sunday funerals.* For Sunday funerals, notice must be given before 4:30 p.m. on the preceding Friday.”

SECTION II

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Thomasville, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same, that Section 6-5, captioned “Lots—Purchase prices specified.”, of Chapter 6, captioned “Cemeteries”, of the Code of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 6-5. Lots—Purchase prices specified.

“Prices of lots in the city cemeteries shall be as follows~~set by the city council and kept on file and maintained in the office of the clerk of the city for the following:~~

- (1) ~~Regular lot: ten feet by 19 feet: \$800.00.~~ Individual space, measuring five feet by ten feet (5' by 10').
- (2) ~~Irregular lot: price based on above according to square feet therein.~~ Infant space (designated area).
- (3) ~~Grave space: \$250.00.~~
- (4) ~~Grave space (baby) on baby lot: \$100.00.”~~

SECTION III

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Thomasville, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same, that Section 6-7, captioned “Perpetual care.”, of Chapter 6, captioned “Cemeteries”, of the Code of the City of Thomasville, Georgia is hereby amended as follows:

“Sec. 6-7. Perpetual care.

- (a) ~~The city shall accept the trust for perpetual care of lots upon payment of a basic trust deposit computed on the basis of \$4.00 per square foot for each square foot lying within the boundaries of the lot or portion thereof. This charge shall be in addition to the established purchase price for such lot or part of a lot. Payment for perpetual care may be made as follows:~~
- (1) ~~The purchaser may elect to pay the total cost of the perpetual care at the time of the purchase of the lot or portion thereof.~~
 - (2) ~~The purchaser may elect to purchase perpetual care by choosing a monthly installment plan, term not to exceed 24 months, paying the initial installment at the time of purchase, then the remainder of installments, with interest at the rate of 12 percent per annum, in equal monthly payments. Thereupon, the city shall begin perpetual care of the lot and continue same as long as payment of the monthly installments is current. If, under this provision, perpetual care by the city has been discontinued, the purchaser shall be notified of such discontinuance. Upon any such account again becoming current or paid in full, the city will recommence perpetual care. Upon completion of payment of all installments, the city shall issue a final receipt certifying such perpetual care to be made by the city.~~
- (a) As of January 1, 2000, the city no longer accepts perpetual care payment. All city-owned and maintained cemeteries are considered perpetual care. Lots sold with perpetual care prior to January 1, 2000, will continue to be recognized as perpetual care.

- (b) Money ~~paid held in trust~~ for perpetual care of lots shall be deposited in a special account and shall be ~~held, administered and invested in securities approved by the city council in~~ accordance with the laws of the State of Georgia, and the income from such investment of funds used to provide perpetual care of such lot. The work on such lot shall cover and include raking, cutting of weeds and grass, and general care exclusive of watering, but shall not include work on monuments or tombstones or other unusual care.”

SECTION IV

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the provisions of this ordinance shall be made a part of the official ordinances of the City of Thomasville.

SECTION V

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its final adoption and passage.

SECTION VI

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed for the purposes of this ordinance only.

SECTION VII

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that upon its final adoption the provisions of this ordinance shall be made a part of the official codified ordinances of the City of Thomasville.

SECTION VIII

This ordinance was read for the first time at a lawful meeting of the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, on October 10, 2022, and read the second time, passed and adopted in a like meeting held on October 24, 2022.

NEW BUSINESS

First reading of an ordinance to amend text in Chapter 5 “Building, Construction and Related Activities” to provide for publication of fees.

Executive Director of Inspections & Engineering, Mark Harmon reported many sections of the Thomasville Code require the payment of fees, and the ordinance references the city fee schedule to determine the corresponding fee amount. By employing this general language, the code allows the fee amounts to reflect the most current fee schedule without requiring text amendments every time Council approves a change. However, there are other sections in the Thomasville Code requiring the payment of fees that are described in specific dollar amounts. In these cases, text amendments are necessary to resolve inconsistencies with the approved fee amount. The current building fee schedule was approved by City Council on June 27, 2022. Staff identified sections within Chapter 5 – “Building, Construction and Related Activities” describing applicable fees in specific dollar amounts that are NOT consistent with the current building fee schedule. These sections of the code require text amendments to address the inconsistencies. Staff recommends text amendments that replace codified dollar amounts with references to the city’s fee schedule as applicable in the following sections of Chapter 5 “Building, Construction and Related Activities.”:

- 5-33, Captioned “Permit Fees.”;
- 5-34, Captioned “Certificate of Occupancy Required for Mobile Home; Fee.”;
- 5-63, Captioned “Reciprocity with Other Jurisdictions.”;
- 5-64, Captioned “Procedure in Applying for Contractor’s License.”;
- 5-65, Captioned “Qualifying of Applicants.”;
- 5-110, Captioned “Permit Fees.”;

- 5-150, Captioned “Examination; Certificate of Competency.”;
- 5-158, Captioned “Permit Fees.”;
- 5-270, Captioned “Permit Fees.”;
- 5-323, Captioned “Permit Fees.”;
- 5-520, Captioned “Exemptions.”; and,
- 5-616, Captioned “Filing Fee.”.

It was noted that this action will correct current inconsistencies with the recently approved building fee schedule and eliminates the risk of future scrivener errors whenever changes to the fee schedule are approved.

Councilmember Warren motioned to order the ordinance to amend text in Chapter 5 – “Building, Construction and Related Activities as read for the first time, passed and carried over as presented. Mayor Pro Tem Mobley seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

The ordinance ordered read for the second time, passed and adopted follows.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 5, CAPTIONED “BUILDING, CONSTRUCTION AND RELATED ACTIVITIES.” OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA, CONCERNING THE PUBLICATION OF FEES BY AMENDING SECTION 5-33, CAPTIONED “PERMIT FEES.”, AND SECTION 5-34, CAPTIONED “CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY REQUIRED FOR MOBILE HOME; FEE.”, OF ARTICLE II, CAPTIONED “BUILDING CODE”; SECTION 5-63, CAPTIONED “RECIPROCITY WITH OTHER JURISDICTIONS.”, AND SECTION 5-64, CAPTIONED “PROCEDURE IN APPLYING FOR CONTRACTOR’S LICENSE.”, AND SECTION 5-65, CAPTIONED “QUALIFYING OF APPLICANTS.”, OF ARTICLE III, CAPTIONED “BUILDING CONTRACTORS EXAMINING BOARD.”; SECTION 5-110, CAPTIONED “PERMIT FEES.”, OF ARTICLE IV, CAPTIONED “ELECTRICAL CODE.”; SECTION 5-150, CAPTIONED “EXAMINATION; CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY.”; AND SECTION 5-158, CAPTIONED “PERMIT FEES.”, OF ARTICLE V, CAPTIONED “GAS CODE.”; SECTION 5-270, CAPTIONED “PERMIT FEES.”, OF DIVISION 2, CAPTIONED “REGULATION OF INSTALLATIONS”, OF ARTICLE VIII., CAPTIONED “MECHANICAL CODE”; SECTION 5-323, CAPTIONED “PERMIT FEES.”, OF DIVISION 2., CAPTIONED “REGULATION OF INSTALLATIONS”, OF ARTICLE IX, CAPTIONED “PLUMBING CODE”; SECTION 5-520, CAPTIONED “EXEMPTIONS.”, OF ARTICLE XV., CAPTIONED “WATER CONSERVATION RESTRICTIONS FOR PLUMBING FIXTURES.”; SECTION 5-616, CAPTIONED “FILING FEE.”, OF DIVISION 3., CAPTIONED “LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PERMITS”, OF ARTICLE XVI., CAPTIONED “WETLANDS PROTECTION”; TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Resolution to appoint Municipal Court Solicitor for a two-year term.

City Attorney, Tim Sanders reported the City Council holds the authority to appoint the Solicitor of Municipal Court, who serves to prosecute cases brought in Municipal Court. He further reported the term is for two years and that John W. Bass, Jr. was appointed as solicitor in 2018, and again in 2020. Mr. Bass’s current term will expire in November and Mr. Bass is requesting to be reappointed. City Attorney Sanders noted the salary of the Solicitor is \$23,040.00. Municipal Judge Mark Mitchell has conveyed his full support of the reappointment of Mr. Bass.

Councilmember Scott motioned to approve the resolution to appoint John W. Bass, Jr. as the Municipal Court Solicitor as presented. Councilmember Chastain seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

The approved resolution follows.

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA TO APPOINT A MUNICIPAL COURT SOLICITOR, FOR THE

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA; AND
TO SET A TERM OF SERVICE BY THE MUNICIPAL COURT SOLICITOR.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia met in regular session on October 24, 2022, at 6:00 PM; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville finds it in the public interest to appoint a Municipal Court Solicitor for the Municipal Court for the City of Thomasville, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville desires to set a term of two years of service by the Municipal Court Solicitor.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Thomasville that the term of service by Municipal Court Solicitor is hereby set as a two year term of service commencing upon the effective date of this resolution and at which time of expiration the City Council can appoint the current Municipal Court Solicitor to another term or make a new selection.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Thomasville that John W. Bass, Jr. is hereby appointed as the Municipal Court Solicitor of the Municipal Court for the City of Thomasville, Georgia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this Resolution, the Municipal Court Clerk shall notify the Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of the State of Georgia of this appointment as required under Georgia law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

SO RESOLVED, this the 24th day of October, 2022.

Motion to approve 2022 Municipal Court agreement for Probation Supervision Services and authorize the Mayor to sign all necessary and related documents.

City Attorney, Tim Sanders reported that CSRA Probation Services, Inc. have provided probation services to Municipal Court since 2016. CSRA has proposed an updated agreement that brings the current agreement up to date with a handful of changes in the law. The only substantive change is that the probation fee charged to the offender is increasing from \$35.00 per month to \$40.00 per month. As with the current agreement, there are no charges to the City in connection with the services provided by CSRA. It was noted that Judge Mitchell is requesting that the City continue to engage CSRA to provide probation services for Municipal Court.

Councilmember Scott motioned to approve the 2022 Municipal Court Agreement for Probation Supervision Services, as presented. Mayor Pro Tem Mobley seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

Resolution to apply for FY 2022 Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) Project Scoping Assistance.

Grants Administrator, Pam Schalk reported that beginning in 2020, staff began the process of developing a Stormwater Master Plan (SWMP) to address flooding issues that have plagued the City for many years. The engineering department along with our consulting team at GMC has gathered data on the existing conditions of each watershed within the city limits to assess current conditions. Data gathering included identification of land use in the sub-watershed, water quality monitoring, mapping of documented flooding within the city limits, documentation of significant field observations and related problem areas and public input from each sub-watershed. This next phase of the SWMP will gather the additional data needed to determine solutions for the high priority projects outlined in phase one. Project scoping activities are designed to develop mitigation strategies and obtain data to prioritize, select, and develop complete applications in a timely manner that result in either an improvement in the capability to identify

appropriate mitigation projects or in the development of an application-ready mitigation project for BRIC or another funding opportunity. This proposed project will supply data for a hydraulic and hydrologic model. Models shall include existing and future conditions, and anticipated changes in rainfall intensities. Estimated total project cost is up to \$225,000 with a 25% (\$57,000) local match required. Funding will cover the highest priority drainage study projects outlined in the Stormwater Action Plan.

Councilmember Chastain motioned to approve the resolution for BRIC Project Scoping Assistance, as presented. Councilmember Warren seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

The approved resolution follows.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, desires to commit to undertake hazard mitigation projects to reduce the risks from disasters and natural hazards; and,

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, desires that an FY2022 Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) Project Scoping application be submitted to Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for; and,

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, desires to commit funding in the FY2023 Budget to provide for the provision of the matching funds as a requirement of the FY 2022 BRIC grant application; and,

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, desires to authorize the Mayor to sign all necessary and related documents as shall be necessary for relation to the FY 2022 BRIC application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, hereby authorizes the submittal of the FY2022 BRIC application and the required supporting documentation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, further authorizes the provision of commitment funds in the FY2023 Budget to provide the matching funds as required in the BRIC Grant application; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, further authorizes the Mayor of the City of Thomasville, or his/her successor, as the signatory on all necessary and related documents as shall be necessary for relation to the FY 2022 BRIC application and subsequent grant award agreement.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Council of the City of Thomasville, Georgia, on this, the 24th day of October 2022.

Bids and award for the purchase of Remington Park Maintenance Contract.

Manager-Parks/Recreation & Golf, Mike Owens reported the City conducted a Request for Proposal (RFP) to obtain bids for the annual maintenance contract for Remington Park. This contract is budgeted in the Parks & Recreation annual budget. The following is a summary of bids received.

<u>BIDDER</u>	<u>BID AMOUNT</u>
Allen Turf Landscaping (ATL) <i>Quitman, GA</i>	\$297,850.00

Johnson's Lawn Care & Landscaping \$422,025.00
Thomasville, GA

Councilmember Scott motioned to award the bid to purchase Remington Park Maintenance Contract to Allen Turf Management, as presented. Councilmember Chastain seconded. It was noted that there has been an increase in costs for these services. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

Bids and award for the purchase of Passive Parks Maintenance Contract.

Manager-Parks/Recreation & Golf, Mike Owens reported the City conducted a Request for Proposal (RFP) to obtain competitive bids for the annual maintenance contract for (14) passive parks throughout the City. This contract is budgeted in the Parks & Recreation operating budget. The following is a summary of bids received:

<u>BIDDER</u>	<u>BID AMOUNT</u>
C&R Lawn Service of Taylor County <i>Thomasville, GA</i>	\$89,915.00
Angry's Lawn Service <i>Thomasville, GA</i>	\$98,105.00
Allen Turf Landscaping (ATL) <i>Quitman, GA</i>	\$130,325.00
Johnson's Lawn Care & Landscaping <i>Thomasville, GA</i>	\$169,475.00

Councilmember Scott motioned to award the bid to purchase Passive Parks Maintenance Contract to C & R Lawn Service, as presented. Mayor Pro Tem Mobley seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

Request for Proposals (RFPs) and award for the purchase of annual rights-of-way mowing contract.

Public Works Superintendent, Stephen Stewart reported the City conducted a Request for Proposals to obtain competitive offers of price and plans for handling the Right-of-Way mowing for the main thoroughfares of the City of Thomasville. The mowing services will insure Rights-of-Ways are maintained including litter pickup year round. The annual contract is budgeted annually. A summary of RFPs received follows.

<u>PROPOSAL RECEIVED</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
C & R Lawn Care of Taylor Co. LLC <i>Thomasville, Georgia</i>	\$248,800.00
Angry Lawn Care <i>Thomasville, Georgia</i>	\$253,960.00
Johnson Lawn Care <i>Thomasville, Georgia</i>	\$294,000.00
Allen Turf and Lawn Care Inc. <i>Quitman, Georgia</i>	\$304,000.00

Councilmember Warren motioned to award the purchase of annual Rights-of-Way Mowing Contract to C&R Lawn Care of Taylor Co., LLC, as presented. Mayor Pro Tem Mobley Seconded. There was no further discussion. The motion passed 5-0, with the following votes recorded:

AYES: Flowers, Mobley, Warren, Scott and Chastain.

REPORTS

City Manager Carson reported the City of Thomasville had over 60 employee participants, as well as several Councilmembers, in the recent annual Hands On Thomas County Volunteer Day. He further reported the next City Council Workshop would be held on November 9th at the Thomas County EMS Station on Remington Avenue immediately following the three o'clock Listening Session for the community.

Mayor Pro Tem Mobley reported early voting had begun and encouraged citizens to vote.

Mayor Flowers and Councilmembers collectively commended all participants of the annual Hands On Thomas County Day and congratulated Police Chief Letteney on his recent appointment as President of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

ADJOURNMENT

Having no further business to discuss, the Thomasville City Council Meeting was adjourned at 6:40 PM.

CITY OF THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA



Mayor, John H. Flowers



ATTEST: City Clerk

