

**CITY OF METTER
CALLED MEETING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 2023
5:30 P.M.**

A called meeting was held on Tuesday, August 29, 2023, at 5:30 p.m. in the council chambers at city hall.

Attending the called meeting were the following officials:

Mayor Edwin O. Boyd
Councilman Brandon Sikes
Councilwoman Rashida Taylor
Councilman James McKie
Councilman Gregg Stewart
Councilwoman Chyrileen Kilcrease
City Manager Carter Crawford
City Clerk Angie Conner
Fire Chief Jason Douglas
Planning Director Teresa Concannon
Jerri Goodman, Metter Advertiser

Guests attending were as follows:

Victoria Gaitten
Juwan Taylor

CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME

Mayor Boyd called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilman Sikes led the Pledge of Allegiance.

INVOCATION

Councilman Sikes gave the invocation.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Councilwoman Kilcrease made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Councilman McKie seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

PURPOSE

- a) Consideration of a motion to approve the purchase of a used 100 ft. ladder truck for the Metter Fire Department in the amount of \$198,000.00 with Candler County paying 50% of the cost.
- b) Consideration of a motion to approve running the Current 2023 Tax Digest and 5-Year History which includes a rollback millage rate of 10.674 in the Metter Advertiser and setting a called meeting for Thursday, September 14, 2023, 5:30 p.m. to adopt the final millage rate.

NEW BUSINESS

Purchase of Ladder Truck

Councilwoman Kilcrease made a motion to approve the purchase of a used 100 ft. ladder truck for the Metter Fire Department in the amount of \$198,000.00 with Candler County paying 50% of the cost. Councilman Sikes seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

Current 2023 Tax Digest and 5-Year History

Councilwoman Kilcrease made a motion to approve running the Current 2023 Tax Digest and 5-Year History which includes a rollback millage rate of 10.674 in the Metter Advertiser and setting a called meeting for Thursday, September 14, 2023, 5:30 p.m. to adopt the final millage rate. Councilman Sikes seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT

After no further discussion, Councilwoman Taylor made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:20 a.m. Councilwoman Kilcrease seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

Angie Conner, City Clerk