

**CITY OF DASHER
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
AUGUST 1, 2005**

Councilmembers Present:

Mayor Kenny Allen

Anita Armstrong

Charles Stewart

Ronnie Lieupo

This meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Allen. Councilman Stewart gave the Invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance followed. There was 1 citizen who attended this meeting. Mayor Allen asked for corrections of additions to the minutes. There being none Councilman Stewart made motion to accept the minutes, Councilman Lieupo seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Report of City Attorney – Mr. Turner did not have anything to report.

First Reading of Georgia Power Franchise – Mayor Allen announced that this item was advertised in the Valdosta Daily Times. He announced that this would be an amendment to the 50 year agreement. Mayor Allen then read the agreement in its entirety. He asked for citizen or council comments. There was none.

Mayor Allen then proceeded with the road paving project discussion. He read the DOT letter with request that our submittal list be turned in no later than September 1, 2005. Mayor Allen stated his choice would be to widen and resurface old Hwy 41. Councilman Lieupo stated the Golden Triangle needed repaving as well. DOT will pay for a certain amount of paving and Dasher would have to pick up the rest of the tab. Mayor Allen stated we had SPLOST money available to complete the project if needed. Councilman Armstrong asked what shape Ben Hill was. Councilman Lieupo stated it was in okay shape. She asked if there were any dirt roads in Dasher? Councilman Lieupo stated there was a part of Zipperer Road that was not paved. He stated he would ride around and take an inventory. Mayor stated we would list 3 and put in priority order.

Citizen Concerns – There have been several complaints regarding overhanging limbs on Johnston and Hwy 41. Councilman Lieupo stated he would call the state and see if this was their obligation to maintain. Councilman Armstrong related concern that the state would not take care of the tree and we should consider having someone who would do a better job.

Mayor Comments – Mayor Allen had nothing to report.

Council Concerns – Councilman Lieupo stated Chris Wisenbaker filled in the pot holes and he will discuss the limb trimming with him. He then asked if the Dasher Day Celebration would be from 12-4 or 4-8? Mayor Allen wanted to see entertainment for the kids. Councilman Armstrong stated she would ask Jamie Copeland about the band. Mayor Allen will get bids for

food and check on tents and chairs. October 22 will be the date for the Dasher Day Celebration. Councilman Stewart had nothing to report but would like an identifier for the community center. Councilman Armstrong reported the signs were in and James Rosenbaum would be placing them.

There being no further discussion, Councilman Armstrong made motion for adjournment, Councilman Stewart seconded this motion and this meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Submitted by:

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