

Gillsville Town Council Meeting
Frankum Building
October 22nd, 2024
Called to Order-7:00 pm

In attendance Mayor Wade Dale, Council Members: Jeff Perry, Keith Segars. Town Clerk Rachel Canada, Finance Clerk Misty Perry and Citizens.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance: Keith Segars gave the invocation and Mayor Dale led the Pledge of Allegiance. Mayor Dale welcomed the citizens in attendance.

September 2024, Minutes- Keith Segars made a motion to accept the September 2024 Minutes, Jeff Perry seconded. All Council members present voted in favor. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Citizen Speaker Kenneth Sims- Gillsville citizen Kenneth Sims spoke, stating that he would like to purchase Hooper Rd. from the town. He stated that he contacted Hall County, and State of GA, and they say that it would be legal. The Town of Gillsville currently owns the 30 ft Strip that he would like to purchase. He stated that his intentions are to close the road. The Council stated that they will revisit this when more members are present.

November Meeting/Meeting Date- November 2024 meeting is postponed until November 12th, 2024. Council may consider changing all meetings to Mondays @7pm. We will consult the attorney about this.

December Meeting and Christmas in Gillsville- The council's Christmas Dinner will be at 6pm, on 12/3, and the December meeting will be at 7pm.

Mayor Dale reminded everyone in attendance that the Christmas in Gillsville Celebration held by Sydney Segars will be on December 7th and 8th at The Frankum, located in Downtown Gillsville.

Back Deck of Café and Awning and Extending Porch- Mayor Dale stated that he would like to get bids to extend the back porch of the café and add an awning to the rear of the Downtown buildings. Mayor Dale made a motion to accept bids, and Keith Segars Seconded, All Council members present voted in favor. Motion passed.

Phase 3 Park- Kitchen Upgrade (Cabinets, Countertops, etc.)- Mayor Dale stated that he would like to continue with the Gillsville Park Building renovations with work in the kitchen. Possibly new countertops, sink, and finishing the floors. This will be revisited in the November meeting.

Online Payment Possibility- Mayor Dale Stated that he would like to make an online payment option for the sale of t-shirts, and for building rentals. We will consult our website admin. for options.

OLD BUSINESS:

Stonethrow Park- Mayor Dale mentioned that the Grant for Stonethrow park is underway, and the project should start in April 2025. There have been no updates.

Mayor Dale opened discussion of property behind Dollar General. He would like the council to think about this and discuss it at the next meeting.

Adjourn: Jeff Perry made a motion to adjourn at 7:23 pm Keith Segars seconded, and all Council members present voted in favor. Motion passed.

Rachel Canada, Town Clerk

Wade Dale, Mayor

Council Members,
