***City of Ravenswood***

***Common Council Minutes***

**February 23, 2023**

**Call to Order**

**Mayor Josh Miller called** to order a meeting of the **Common Council** at **7:00 P.M.** on **February 23 ,2023** in **Ravenswood City Hall.**

Pledge of Allegiance of the United States of America.

**Mayor Josh Miller led** the pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll Call**

City Clerk Kimberly Benson conducted a roll call. The following members were present**, Mayor Josh Miller Recorder Jared Bloxton Councilors, Nicholas Fox**

**Denise Toler, Amanda Slaven, Steve Tucker and Dee Scritchfield**

and **Attorney Steve Cogar, Absent City** Clerk **Kimberly Benson**

**Public Forum**  Bill Williams Woodcrest Street, Scott Curfman use old city hall,

 Bill Evans Dog issue Sand Street

**Consent Agenda**  **Councilor Toler moved** to approve the meeting minutes from February 7, 2023 Second **by Recorder Bloxton all members voting Yes Motion Approved.**

**Business**

1. **Councilor Toler** moved to approve the hiring of Joshua Ankrom to the Ravenswood Police department **Second by Councilor Scritchfield all members voting Yes Motion Approved.**
2. **Councilor Toler** moved to table the Budget Revision **Second by Councilor Slaven all members voting Yes Motion Tabled.**
3. **Councilor Tucker** moved to put the selected streets out to bid **Second by Councilor Fox all members voting Yes Motion Approved.**
4. **Councilor Toler** moved to move forward with Downstream Strategies to amend the Municipal comprehensive plan that was passed in 2018 **Second by Recorder Bloxton all members voting Yes Motion Approved.**
5. **Councilor Slaven** moved to approve the immediate needs of the Ravenswood Pool **Second by Recorder Bloxton all members voting Yes Motion Approved.**
6. **First reading** on the Amended ordinance regarding adoption of the International Property Maintenance Code **No Action**
7. **First Reading** on the Amended ordinance regarding disposal of surplus property by the City of Ravenswood **No Action**
8. **Recorder Bloxton** moved to table the two new ordinances that would define the properties that are under the Ravenwood Board of Parks and Recreation and the Ravenswood Development Authority **Second by Councilor Tucker Motion Tabled**
9. **First Reading** Amended ordinance regarding updating fees and elimination of various fees for the use of venue under the care and custody of the City of Ravenswood Boards of Parks and Recreation **No Action**
10. **Councilor Toler** moved to approve water and sewer invoices for the Ravenswood projects. Second by Councilor Scritchfield all members voting Yes Motion approved.

**Next Meeting March 7, 2023**

**Adjournment**

**Mayor Josh Miller adjourned** the meeting at 8:22 pm via a motion from **Councilor Fox and** **Second by** **Recorder Bloxton** that passed unanimously. Submitted

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**Clerk/Treasurer Kimberly Benson** **MMC** **Mayor Josh Miller**