

# HOSCHTON CITY COUNCIL

## Meeting Minutes

February 7, 2011, 7:00 p.m.

Hoschton City Hall

### ORDER OF BUSINESS:

**A. CALL TO ORDER** Erma Denney called the meeting to order at 7 PM.

### **B. ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS**

#### Council:

Post 1: Sandie Romer, present

Post 2: Jim Higginbottom, present

Post 3: Jim Cleveland, present

Post 4: Richard Shepherd, present

Post 5: Scott Butler, present

Post 6: Theresa Kenerly, present

Also present: Thomas Mitchell, City Attorney  
Guy Herring, Planning Director  
Cindy George, City Clerk

### **C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

### **D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

The agenda was approved, with one exception to the consent agenda. Sandie Romer requested the Downtown Development Overlay Amendment be removed from the consent agenda and moved to item number one in unfinished business.

### **E. CONSENT AGENDA**

1. Minutes Council Meeting January 3, 2011, Approved
2. Administrative Report, Received and Accepted
3. Massage and Spa Ordinance, Approved
4. Provisional Variance Request 4163 Hwy 53, Cornel Oroian, Approved
5. Election of Theresa Kenerly Mayor Pro-Tempore, Approved
6. Beer and Wind License Sublime Palette, Approved
7. Solid Waste Management Plan Update Resolution, Approved
8. Appointment of Robbie Bettis, JoAnn Howe and Carol Tanner to Historical Commission, Approved
9. 2010 Financial Reports Transmission to CPA, Approved

**A motion was made by Theresa Kenerly to approve and accept all 9 items on the consent agenda. Seconded by Richard Shepherd, the motion carried with all members voting in favor.**

### **F. UNFINISHED OR TABLED BUSINESS**

1. Downtown Development Overlay Amendment

**A motion was made by Scott Butler to approve the Downtown Development Overlay Amendment as presented. Seconded by Jim Cleveland, the motion carried with 5 voting in favor and one opposed.**

## **G. NEW BUSINESS**

### **1. Outstanding Citizen Award**

Erma Denney presented Brenda Smith of 319 Deer Creek Trail with the Outstanding Citizen Award.

"I am pleased to present this Outstanding Citizen Award to Brenda Smith. Brenda has been the driving force for bringing Christmas to Hoschton for many, many years. The decorations on the City Square light poles, the Christmas tree in the Gazebo, and decorations of the Depot make our city look festive and truly enhance the small-town atmosphere we all cherish. The Santa at the Depot event is a meaningful milestone in so many local children's lives. These annual events are but a few of the examples of Brenda's efforts on behalf of Hoschton. This city is truly a better community because of Brenda Smith and we honor her tonight for these accomplishments." Erma Denney.

### **2. Hoschton-Braselton Relay for Life**

Theresa Kenerly

Theresa Kenerly announced the dates for the inaugural Relay for Life at Hoschton Park will be May 6 and 7, 2011 from 7 pm until 7 am. Theresa called for volunteers for the Hoschton team.

### **3. Schedule Called Meeting for Capital Project W. Broad Street**

A called meeting for the capital improvement project for West Broad Street was announced for Thursday, February 17 at 5:30 pm. The West Jackson Park will host the Dizzy Dean World Series for 9 year-olds on July 14-17, 2011. There will be 38-42 teams competing in this tournament. Jackson County will make significant improvements to the park and the city is proposing improvements to West Broad Street.

## **H. ITEMS FOR MAYOR, CITY COUNCIL AND CITY STAFF CONSIDERATION**

No one present addressed the council.

**Theresa Kenerly made a motion to adjourn, Seconded by Jim Higginbottom, with all approving, the meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm.**