

CITY OF STONECREST, GEORGIA

Honorable Mayor Jason Lary, Sr.

Council Member Jimmy Clanton, Jr. – District 1

Council Member Rob Turner- District 2

Council Member Jazzmin Cobble – District 3

Council Member George Turner- District 4

Council Member Diane Adoma – District 5

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES

September 21, 2017

10: 00 A. M.

Stonecrest Library

3123 Klondike Road, Lithonia, Georgia

- I. **CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Jason Lary called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m.
- II. **ROLL CALL:** Council Member Rob Turner was absent; all other members were present.
- III. **PUBLIC HEARINGS:**
 1. SPLOST and General Obligation Bond Resolution

Plez Joyner, Assistant City Manager gave a brief overview of the term and background of the SPLOST. He then turned the meeting over to Mr. John Funny of Grice Consulting Company.

Mr. Funny presented a power point presentation to explain the SPLOST. He also spoke on the difference in the HOST and the SPLOST. After his presentation, the floor was opened for questions.

The City Attorney, Tom Kurrie explained the SPLOST will end in 6 years. He explained the Department of Revenue will take 1% as its fee. He also said if the citizens of Stonecrest do not vote for the GO Bonds and the SPLOST passes in the county, the city will still get the SPLOST funds. However, we would be prohibited from issuing GO Bonds.

Council Member Clanton made a motion to approve the SPLOST and General Obligations Bond Resolution with Council Member George Turner providing the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

IV. COUNCIL COMMENTS:

Council Member Adoma announced October 10th her Townhall Meeting and October 12th a Smart City Meeting.

Council Member George Turner announced the Townhall Meeting, September 21st at Big Miller Grove Baptist church.

Mayor Lary thanked the Council for all the SPLOST Meetings.

V. ADJOURNMENT:

Council Member Cobble made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:30am with Council Member Clanton providing the second. **The motion carried unanimously.**

VI. EXECUTIVE SESSION:

WHEN AN EXECUTIVE SESSION IS REQUIRED, ONE WILL BE CALLED FOR THE FOLLOWING ISSUES: 1) PERSONNEL, 2) LITIGATION, 3) REAL ESTATE

Mayor Jason Lary

Brenda B. James, Interim City Clerk