

**Minutes
CITY OF FOLKSTON
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
August 21, 2023**

The Mayor and Council of the City of Folkston met in regular session on August 21, 2023 at City Hall.

Mayor Lee Gowen called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. He gave the invocation and led the pledge of allegiance.

Members Present: Lee Gowen, Mayor
Ruby Baker
Marion Davis Jr.
Rob Roberson

Members Absent: Jim Gowen
Bruce Young

Also Present: Leonard H. Lloyd, City Manager
Darlene Williamson, City Clerk
Hali Coffey, Deputy Clerk
Patrick Brooks, City Attorney

Visitors: Jamison Guice, Charlton County Herald

AGENDA

**Mr. Marion Davis made a motion to approve the agenda as presented.
Mrs. Ruby Baker seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.**

MINUTES

Mr. Marion Davis made a motion to approve the minutes for the Regular Meeting, July 17, 2023 as presented. Mr. Rob Roberson seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

APPROVE INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS

Mrs. Ruby Baker made a motion to approve the income and expense statements for July, 2023 as presented. Mr. Rob Roberson seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Mayor Lee Gowen stated the police department filed 29 incident reports, investigated 12 accidents and answered 1,232 calls during the month of July 2023. The police department collected \$11,858.00 in fines and forfeitures; the city's portion is \$9,077.41.

CITY MANAGER REPORT

Mr. Lloyd stated the mini excavator has been received and was put to work the following day, updating service lines.

***APPROVE PATROL CAR EQUIPMENT BID**

Mr. Lloyd stated the police department received only one bid for the patrol car safety equipment. The bid was from McLaggan Communications & Radar Service located in Hahira, Georgia.

Mrs. Ruby Baker made a motion to approve the equipment bid from McLaggan Communications & Radar Service in the amount of \$10,460.00. Mr. Marion Davis seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

GENERAL DISCUSSION

Mayor Lee Gowen stated he and Mr. Lloyd will be attending a meeting tomorrow in Nashville, Georgia to present the TSPLOST projects for the city.

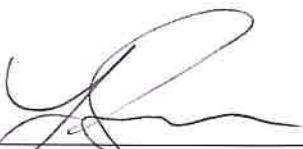
Mr. Davis asked if there were any updates to the wastewater treatment project. Mr. Lloyd stated the rate study is still being conducted, once approved it will be sent to GEFA.

Mr. Lloyd informed the council that on August 23rd, he is meeting with the city engineer, Marcus Sack and a representative from a company to discuss the EPD mandated water service line inventory to determine lead levels. The information has to be completed by 2025.

ADJOURN:

Mr. Marion Davis made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Rob Roberson seconded the motion and it passed by unanimous vote.

The meeting adjourned at 6:39 PM.



Lee Gowen, Mayor

ATTEST:



Darlene Williamson, City Clerk



McLaggan Communications & Radar Service Inc.

70 Giddens Rd.
Hahira, GA 31632

Phone # 2298968205
Fax # 229-896-2235

Estimate

Date	Estimate #
6/30/2023	5749

Customer
Folkston Police Department 541 First St. Folkston, GA 31537

Item	Description	Qty	Rate	Total
RLNT48-P4LC	2023 Dodge Charger - Federal Signal Lighting Equivalent Reliant Low Profile LED Lightbar (Blue with Full Flood White Front, Blue with Amber Arrow and Red Brake in Rear)	1	1,100.00	1,100.00
PF200	Pathfinder PF200 Siren Pkg (Includes PF200, ES100C Spkr, and Universal Spkr Bracket)	1	895.00	895.00
OBD CABLE	OBD Cable for Pathfinder Vehicle Interface	1	120.00	120.00
MPS62U-**	MicroPulse Ultra 6, Dual Color, Clear lens Color: Blue/White (4 on front and 1 on either side of pushbumper, 2 on tag)	6	109.00	654.00
425-6636	Console Contour, Charger 11+ with Dual ABS Cup Holder (16" FP)	1	369.00	369.00
425-3692	Raised Microphone Bracket	1	15.00	15.00
425-6260	Arm Rest - Upper Structure	1	59.00	59.00
475-0802	Space Creator Prisoner Partition - High Security/High Visibility (includes Center HSEP ONLY)	1	675.00	675.00
475-0412	Lower Extension Panels for 475-0802	1	65.00	65.00
475-0228	Vertical Window Armor for use with OEM/ABS Door Panels	1	179.00	179.00
NSR-9924XL	Xtreme Lumens Polymer Multi-Function Rechargeable Duty/Personal-Size LED Dual-Light - Black	1	135.00	135.00
BR930	3 hole outlet box w/ on off switch and breaker	1	18.00	18.00
QW-152	152-162 Mhz chrome quarter wave antenna	1	12.00	12.00
NMOKHFUD25	Antenna cable, 9-6000 MHZ 25 FT	1	25.00	25.00
38332	mini UHF male crimp-RG58	1	4.00	4.00
NX-5700K	NX-5700K VHF (136-174MHz), 50 Watts NXDN Conventional	1	955.00	955.00
KWD-5300CV	License Key for DMR Tier II Conventional	1	60.00	60.00
Westin	Westin PIT Bumper with 2 LED front light channel, Lower PIT Wraps, and Upper Headlight Loop	1	1,195.00	1,195.00
RP-1 -833	Kustom Raptor Dual K band antennas,..Same direction & fastest software, antenna mounts & tuning forks	1	1,750.00	1,750.00
All credit card transactions will be subject to a 3.99% transaction fec.		Subtotal		
		Sales Tax (0.0%)		
		Total		



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graphics package	reflective graphics package for car	1	900.00	900.00
Misc Install Parts	wire, connectors, fuses, fuse holders, loom, screws, bolts, misc materials (Coax and RF connectors not included)	1	75.00	75.00
Install	Install labor -Install equipment listed above NOTE: - ALL equipment is equal to or greater then bid spec. - Agencies requested M500 camera system not included. We will stub out Power, Ground, Ignition, and Emergency Light Trigger wiring for camera to be installed by a certified installer of that system.	1	1,200.00	1,200.00
All credit card transactions will be subject to a 3.99% transaction fee.		Subtotal \$10,460.00		
		Sales Tax (0.0%) \$0.00		
		Total \$10,460.00		