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City Commission Workshop Minutes August 14, 2017

Mayor Gib Coerper
Vice Mayor Shirley Green Brown
Commissioner Gary Hardacre
Commissioner Ben Boukari, Jr.
Commissioner Robert Wilford

City Manager Traci L. Gresham
City Attorney Marian Rush

The City Commission will conduct a
City Commission Workshop
At 4:30 PM
to address the item(s) below.

Meeting Date: August 14, 2017

Meeting Location: James A. Lewis Commission Chambers, City Hall

STAFF ATTENDING: Chelsea Bakaitis, Rob Bonetti, Adam Boukari, Alan Henderson, Tara Malone, Jesse Sanduski, Chad Scott, Donna Smith, Esperanza Smith, Rodolfo Valladares, Kathy Winburn, LeAnne Williams, Cap Wilson.

WORKSHOP MEETING

Notice given pursuant to Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes. In order to appeal any decision made at this meeting, you will need a verbatim record of the proceedings. It will be your responsibility to ensure such a record is made.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Led by Mayor Gib Coerper.

II. AGENDA ITEM

- A. Budget Workshop - Proposed FY 2017-2018 Budgets for the General, Debt Service, Special Revenue and Capital Projects Funds

Finance and Administrative Services Director Rob Bonetti conducted the presentation.

Commissioner Gary Hardacre asked for clarification regarding the Fire Assessment fees and how that might affect the budget in the future. Finance and Administrative Services Director Bonetti provided the clarification.

Mayor Coerper thanked Compliance and Risk Management Director Cap Wilson for the job that he does.

Commissioner Ben Boukari, Jr. asked if the increase in the budget for the CRA can be used to address the medians.

Mayor Coerper discussed the state of the medians.

Finance and Administrative Services Director Bonetti discussed plans for the medians.

Commissioner Boukari asked where the playground equipment is to be placed. City Manager Traci Gresham informed the Commission that it will be installed at Welch Park.

Vice Mayor Shirley Green Brown stated that she is pleased to see playground equipment as part of the budget.

Commissioner Boukari stated that the chambers need a City logo on the wall.

Mayor Coerper stated that we are looking into changing the logo.

City Manager Gresham clarified that the enhancements for the chambers is for the video, not the audio.

Commissioner Robert Wilford stated that the MSBU Public Hearing is August 22, 2017. He asked if any staff will be attending. Finance and Administrative Services Director Bonetti stated that someone may not be there, but that staff will be watching the live-stream.

Commissioner Wilford asked about the Alachua Cares fund. Finance and Administrative Services Director Bonetti discussed the program.

Mayor Coerper opened the floor for comments.

There were no comments.

III. ADJOURN

Mayor Coerper adjourned the workshop.

ATTEST:

CITY COMMISSION OF THE
CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA

Traci L. Gresham, City Manager/Clerk

Gib Coerper, Mayor