

**AGENDA  
WORK SESSION  
OF THE PERRY CITY COUNCIL  
SEPTEMBER 30, 2019  
5:00 P.M.**

1. Call to Order: Mayor Randall Walker, Presiding Officer, called to order the work session meeting held September 30, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

2. Roll:  
Elected Officials Present: Mayor Randall Walker; Mayor Pro-Tempore Willie King, Council Members Phyllis Bynum-Grace, Robert Jones, Riley Hunt, and William Jackson.

Elected Official Absent: None.

Staff: City Manager Lee Gilmour, Assistant City Manager Robert Smith, City Attorney Brooke Newby, and Recording Clerk Anji Holley

City Departmental Staffing: Chief Steve Lynn – Police Department, Chief Lee Parker – Fire and Emergency Services Department, Ashley Hardin – Department of Economic Development Director, Bryan Wood – Director of Community Development, Sedrick Swan – Director of Leisure Services, Annie Warren – City Clerk, Haley Myers – Special Events Coordinator

Press: Jada Dukes – Houston Home Journal

3. Items of Review/Discussion: Mayor Randall Walker

3a. Perry Police Department

1. Provide an update relative to electronic monitoring for school zones- Chief Steve S. Lynn.

Chief Lynn reviewed electronic monitoring of school zones. He stated that the program and equipment would be available at no cost to the City. There was a consensus of Council to move forward with the project.

3b. Community Development Department

1. Provide Main Street logo update – Ms. H. Myers.

Ms. Myers provided updated photos for the Main Street logo. She stated that the new logo would be free of charge and had been designed by local downtown businesses. There was a consensus of Council to move forward with updated logo.

2. Review Main Street Holiday Downtown Tour - Ms. H. Myers.

Ms. Myers discussed plans for a Holiday Tram Tour on December 12<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm and provided an updated list of the tram schedule. There was a consensus of Council to approve the tour.

4. Council Member Items:

Council Member King discussed issues with the traffic light in front of Walmart. He asked that it be checked out.

Council Member Jackson added that there are traffic light sensor issues near Sam Nunn Boulevard and the Hampton Inn. He asked that the Department of Transportation be contacted.

Council Members Hunt, Bynum-Grace, and Jones had no reports.

5. Department Head/Staff Items:

Mr. Gilmour discussed issues with Westwood Trailer Park. He advised that a real estate developer is interested in purchasing the property.

Ms. Newby had no report.

Chief Lynn advised that the Georgia National Fair begins Thursday, October 3, 2019 and that Perry Police will be hosting Coffee with a Cop Wednesday, October 2 from 8-10a.m. at Starbucks in Perry.

Mr. Swan advised that the Splash Pad is temporarily closed for phase 2 of construction. He also stated that youth football is under way at Creekwood Park.

Mr. Smith advised that the Fair begins this weekend and stated that Public Works is working diligently in preparation for this event. He also advised that the Splash Pad is temporarily closed for construction.

Mr. Wood discussed issues with trash and debris, as well as students trespassing on a homeowner's property near 1410 Parkway Drive. Police have recently received three reports on this matter and Council discussed solutions to the problem.

Mr. Gilmour discussed a related issue regarding the need of a crosswalk or path near Cooper Street and Park Avenue for students to use. Administration recommended opening a sidewalk or walking path in this area. Council concurred to move forward with the project.

Mayor Walker entertained a motion to enter into executive session for the purpose of personnel.

6. Executive Session entered at 6:03 p.m.: Mayor Pro Tempore King moved to adjourn

the work session and enter into executive session for the purpose of personnel; Council Member Jones seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

7. Executive Session adjourned 6:15 p.m.; Council work session reconvened. Council adjourned the executive session held September 30, 2019 and reconvened into council's work session.
8. Adopted Resolution No. 2019-48 stating purpose of executive session held on September 30, 2019 was to discuss personnel. Council Member Jackson moved to adopt a resolution stating the purpose of the Executive Session held on September 30, 2019 was to discuss personnel. Council Member Hunt seconded the motion and it carried unanimously. (*Resolution 2019-48 has been entered in the City's official book of record*).
9. Adjournment: There being no further business to come before Council in the reconvened work session held September 30, 2019 Council Member Bynum-Grace motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:16 p.m. Mayor Pro Tempore King seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.