

ACTS OF THE COUNCIL

February 13, 1995

The Town Council of the Town of Pine Mountain, Georgia sat in regular session in the Town Hall on the evening of February 13, 1995.

Mayor James V Edgar presided with Councilpersons J. Richard Beall, Franklin D Boykin, P C Holladay and Patricia E Sullivan in attendance.

ACTS OF THE COUNCIL - JANUARY 9, 1995:

Ms Sullivan made a motion that the Acts of the Council of January 9, 1995 be approved as written.

Mr Holladay seconded the motion.

Mr Beall and Mr Boykin voted in favor of the motion.

COPS FAST - DAVID WHITE:

Chief of Police Carl David White announced to the Council that the Town of Pine Mountain has received a \$38,000.00 grant from the Cops Fast Program for the purpose of obtaining one additional policeman. Chief White stated that Pine Mountain Police Department is the only department in Harris County to receive this grant.

ZONING ORDINANCE - SECTION 9 - SIGNS: FIRST READING:

Mr Beall recommended the following changes to the sign ordinance.

Section B # 1-E: Delete - "Where the sign construction requires an electrical connection, the electrical contractor shall obtain an electrical permit."

Section D # 2-B: Delete - "A current occupational or contractor's license issued by the Town and State Occupational Electrical license."

Section F # 10: Delete - "Pennants, banners, streamers, and similar type devices shall be prohibited."

Section F # 20: Delete - "Changeable copy panels."

Section L: Change the wording of the portion which reads "a ratio of one (1) square foot" to read "a ratio of 1.5 square feet".

WETLANDS TREATMENT FACILITY:

The following persons appeared before the Council to protest the proposed wetlands sewerage treatment system.

Felton Champion

Gertrude Champion

Tommy Champion

Al Boyd

Mayor Edgar read a letter from Mr Pete Maye, Program Manager of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources, stating in part that "The nuisance issues have been adequately addressed. Based on our experience, the proposed constructed wetland system will not produce significant malodors and, in this regard, should be a significant improvement over the present mechanical facility. Also, there is adequate evidence that properly designed wetland treatment systems do not have significant problems with mosquitoes or other insects."

MEETING GUIDELINES:

Mr Boykin made a motion that the following guidelines for Council meetings be placed in the minutes.

The agenda shall be closed for topics seven days before the meeting.

The agenda shall be closed to persons wishing to discuss these topics two working days before the meeting.

The citizens of the Town of Pine Mountain may place themselves on the agenda.

Those who are not citizens of the Town of Pine Mountain may not place themselves on the agenda.

The time allotted for each topic shall be limited to twenty minutes.

No individual may speak for more than five minutes.

The Mayor and Council shall plan the order of topics to be discussed.

No subject shall be delayed for discussion for more than one month.

Mr Beall seconded the motion.

Mr Holladay and Ms Sullivan voted in favor of the motion.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr Boykin made a motion that the meeting be adjourned.

Mr Beall seconded the motion.

Mr Holladay and Ms Sullivan voted in favor of the motion.

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