

**ACTS OF COUNCIL
OCTOBER 13, 2008
7:00 P.M.**

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Pine Mountain sat in a regular session on the evening of Monday, October 13, 2008 at 7:00 P.M. in the Town Hall.

Mayor Joe D Teel, Jr presided with Councilpersons Barbara Bell Ewell, Tamara M Pierce, James W Trott and Andrew J Kober in attendance. Jerry M Teasley was not in attendance.

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Mr Trott made a motion to approve Acts of Council for the September meeting(s) with one correction.

Ms Ewell seconded the motion.

Ms Pierce and Mr Kober voted in favor of the motion.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Mayor Teel presented the financial report for September.

PINE MOUNTAIN TOURISM

The Pine Mountain Tourism Association and the Merchants Association proposed that the Mayor and Council consider sharing the cost of a 9 foot, outdoor, artificial, lighted, Christmas tree. The total cost is \$600 and if divided equally would be \$200 each.

If the town agrees, it could be located at the fountain in the center of town. The Merchants Association would be responsible for all the decorations based on any guidelines for outdoor decorations by the Mayor and Council.

The tree needs to be up before November 14 in time for the "Light Up Pine Mountain" event.

The Association(s) requested that Brent and his employees secure the tree to the fountain.

After discussion the Town decided the tree needed to be at least 12 ft. tall.

Mr Trott made a motion due to time constraints, that once the Merchants Association checked the price of a larger tree, the matter be placed in the Mayor's hands.

Mr Kober seconded the motion.

Ms Pierce voted in favor of the motion.

Ms Ewell voted against the motion.

2009 REZONING SCHEDULE

Mr Trott made a motion to approve the 2009 rezoning schedule.

Ms Ewell seconded the motion.

Mr Kober and Ms Pierce voted in favor of the motion.

WALL (VETERAN)-Patricia Lenox

Ms Lenox did not attend.

RADIO FREQUENCY-Andy Kober

Mr Kober asked Council if the Fire Department could use the Town's frequency that we no longer use for their training etc.

Mr Trott made a motion to approve as long as the Town keeps ownership of the frequency.

Ms Ewell seconded the motion.

Mr Kober and Ms Pierce voted in favor of the motion.

LIGHTING/PARKING LOT/STREETSCAPE- Deborah Quillen/Patricia Varnon

Ms Varnon asked the Town about street lights in front of Art Works because of night classes.

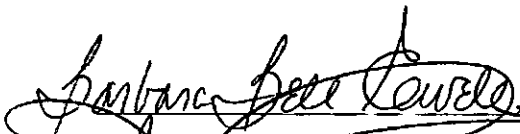
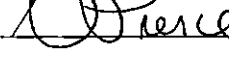
Mr Kober made a motion that the Town would talk to Georgia Power and add maximum of 2 lights to the area.

Ms Pierce seconded the motion.

Ms Ewell and Mr Trott voted in favor of the motion.

Thereafter, the meeting was adjourned.

Melinda Ziegler
Deputy Clerk

_____, Barbara Bell Ewell
_____, James W Trott
_____, Andrew J Kober
_____, Tamara M Pierce
_____ not in attendance _____, Jerry M Teasley