

City of Mansfield

Council Meeting Minutes

September 8th, 2025 ,2025– 7:00 p.m.

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PRESENT: Blair Northen, Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis, Helen Robertson, Brandon Hays, Scott Colyn

OTHERS: Elsie Smith and Brittany Ring

Mayor Northen called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Mayor Pro Tem, Fred Purvis gave the invocation. Mayor Northen then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Northen presented the agenda adding the loyalty oath. Hays moved to make a motion to accept the agenda as amended; Purvis seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented minutes from August 11th, 2025. Purvis moved to make a motion to accept the minutes for August 11th, 2025. Colyn seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented minutes from the special called meeting on August 25th, 2025, Purvis moved to make a motion to accept the minutes for August 25th, 2025. Colyn seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Citizen comments on agenda items.

Old business:

NONE

New Business:

Mayor Northen presented the No Parking and Loading ordinance. According to our charter, it takes 3 readings to make final passage of an ordinance or amendment. Hays moved to make a motion to approve the third reading of the No Parking and Loading ordinance, Colyn seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented Roof/Painting Outside of City Hall- Mayor Pro Tem Purvis moved to make a motion to table until we can get more quotes. Colyn seconded the motion. No discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen gave an update on Code Enforcement.

Mayor Northen presented Permits and Inspections. Purvis moved to make a motion to proceed with creating an ordinance to issue Permits and implantation procedures. Hays seconded the motion Discussion: Issues with timing from Newton County. City of Mansfield would do permit; inspections would be through 3rd party. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented request to formally start annexation procedures (resolution) for, Joe Stockdale on Loyd Rd. Purvis moved to make a motion to start the process of Annexation on the 20-acre lot on Loyd Rd purchased by Joe Stockdale. Hays seconded the motion. All in favor. No discussion.

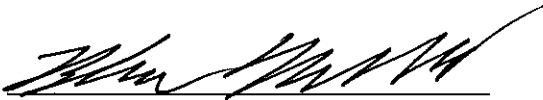
Mayor Northen presented County Tax Commissioner to collect taxes for the city. The County would collect taxes and disperse to the city. Hays moved to make a motion to deny and wait until next year. Purvis seconded that motion. Discussion. All in favor.

Mayor Northen presented the loyalty oath. Presented by a notary, City Clerk. All members raise your right hand and repeat after me: OCGA 45-3-11: "All persons who are employed by and are on the payroll of ...cities, throughout the entire state, are required to take an oath that they will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of Georgia."

Citizen Comments:

NONE

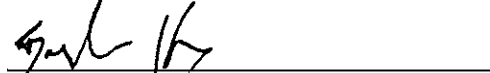
No further business to discuss. Mayor Pro Tem Fred Purvis moved to make a motion to adjourn at 7:33. Hays seconded the motion. All in favor.



Blair H Northen, III, Mayor



Helen Robertson, Post 2



Brandon Hays, Post 3



Fred Purvis, Post 5



Scott Colyn , Post 4