Work Session City Hall Fayette, Alabama November 23, 2020

The City Council of the City of Fayette held a work session at 6:00 o'clock, p.m. on November 23, 2020, in the Council Chambers of the City Hall.

Upon roll call the following were found to be present: Mayor Rod Northam, Councilmembers Virettia L. Whiteside, Tommy Williams, Aliska Hughes-Monroe and Jerry Nichols. Also present were City Clerk Dawn Clapp, City Attorney Dale Lawrence and Fire Chief Shannon Taylor. Councilmember Eddy Campbell was absent.

Mayor Northam announced a quorum was present and the meeting was open for the transaction of business.

## **COVID-19 UPDATE**

Mayor Northam reported to the Council on the local COVID-19 numbers. He stated Fayette Medical Center Administrator Don Jones reported the number of cases were the highest they have been since the start of the pandemic. Mayor Northam said the City encouraged the public to social distance, wear masks and wash their hands.

## **MUNICIPAL BOARDS**

Mayor Northam stated the Council would need to work toward making sure that each City board had a full complement of members and everyone who is serving on a board has been appointed for their current term. It was the consensus of the Council to establish a committee to review the membership of the boards and their operation.

The Council discussed the recent hearing held by the Zoning Board of Adjustment concerning the appeal of the issuance of a building permit.

Mayor Northam stated the Council would consider the appointments to the Gas Board and Civic Center Board at the Council meeting on November 24th.

## STRATEGIC PLAN

Mayor Northam asked whether the Council wanted to continue to participate in the ACE (Alabama Communities of Excellence) Program. It was the consensus of the Council for the City to continue to participate in the ACE Program.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Council, upon the motion to adjourn being made by Councilmember Nichols and seconded by Councilmember Whiteside, it was unanimously adopted.

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