

**TROY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2019, 5:00 PM**

The Town of Troy Board of Commissioners met in the Board Room of the Troy Town Hall with Mayor Sherri Harris Allgood presiding.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Allgood, Mayor Pro Tem Bruce Hamilton, Commissioners Kayren Brantley, Angela Elkins, Wallace Jones and Damon Prince.

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: No one was absent

TOWN STAFF PRESENT: Manager Greg Zephir, Clerk/Finance Officer Cathy Maness and Interim-Police Chief James Atkins

MEDIA PRESENT: Jonathan Galloway with the Montgomery Herald

OTHERS PRESENT: David Allgood and children, Lee Proctor, Craig Jones, Brian Helms, Sheila Helms, Darren Shopbell, Ray and Dana Dawkins and Col. Terry Crews.

CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Allgood called the meeting to order and Mayor Pro Tem Hamilton gave the invocation. Mayor Allgood led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

WELCOME AND SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS: Mayor Allgood welcomed everyone to the meeting.

PUBLIC FORUM: Mayor Allgood opened the public forum for comments. No one was present with comments.

MINUTES of the September meeting were approved as amended on motion by Comm. Jones and second by Comm. Elkins. All voted approval.

CONSENT AGENDA:

There were no items on the consent agenda.

MANAGER'S REPORT:

- Staff is proud to announce that the Town of Troy once again was awarded the CAFR Award for financial reporting. This is a testament to the professionalism of the Finance Department.
- During the past month, staff has been working with NCDOT concerning additional signage on the bypass directing travelers to the Town of Troy. Two intersections specifically that the staff has been advocating for is the Pekin Road exit and the western exit (heading west bound). At neither of these intersections is there directional signage for Troy. The conversations with NCDOT have been positive and staff have been told that NCDOT are making the additional signs to accommodate the town's request. In addition to these signs, staff is also working with NCDOT to obtain encroachment agreements (this is authority by the state to put signs in their right-of-way) that will allow the town to place "Town of Troy" directional signs at each of the intersections. These directional signs will be in addition to the state signs and will feature the town's logo on it.
- The town's public works' staff has been working on several projects throughout the town, including the completion of the new bathroom facilities at the amphitheater. The public works' staff has poured the concrete flooring and have completed the walls at Peabody park. Staff believes that this project will be complete within the next three – four weeks.
- Preparations are currently being made as it pertains to the upcoming events that the town will host over the next 60 days. In addition to the variety of events being held for concerts, trunk or treat and the Veteran's Day events, preparation is also underway for the installation and lighting of the trees for the holiday season.
- Per the board's direction during the summer of 2018 and in coordination with the upcoming sidewalk project, staff has also been working with Duke Progress Energy to get design and costs finalized to bring to the board for its consideration a lighting plan that will install the decorative pole lighting beginning at the courthouse and moving along South Main Street. Staff believes that the final numbers will be available in time for the next board meeting.
- **DATES TO REMEMBER:** October 12th – Bigfoot Bar-B-Que Cookoff and Music Festival
1:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. – Castaways performs 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Jimmy Ray performs 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Legacy Motown Review performs 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
October 31st – Trunk or Treat – 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. on Main Street
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November 8th – final concert of the year – The Blackwater Band – Salute to Veteran's Concert – 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
November 9th – Veteran's Day Parade – Begins at 10:00 A.M.

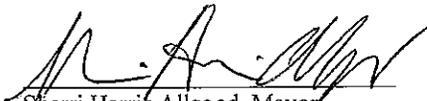
November 27th – Annual Tree Lighting Event – begins at 5:00 p.m.

MAYOR/COUNCIL REPORTS:

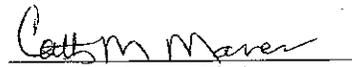
There were no Mayor/Council reports.

The meeting adjourned at 5:09 pm on motion by Comm. Brantley with second by Comm. Elkins. All voted approval

Respectively submitted,



Sherri Harris Allgood, Mayor



Cathy M. Maness, Clerk