



## City of Freeport

### Workshop

5:30 p.m./Council Chambers/Freeport City Hall

August 22, 2019 Minutes

#### I. Meeting Called to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:33 p.m. by Mayor Russ Barley. The meeting was held in the Council Chambers of Freeport City Hall.

Council members present: Mayor Russ Barley, Councilwoman Elizabeth Brannon, Councilman Eddie Farris, Councilman William "Boots" McCormick, Councilwoman, Elizabeth Haffner, Councilwoman Amanda Green.

Staff present: Parks Director Charlie Simmons, Planning Director Latilda Neel, Sewer Supervisor Robert Fawcett, Finance Officer Sara Bowers, Billing Manager Debbie Roberts, Clerk Assistant Lori Cox

#### II. 2019/2020 Budget

Finance Officer Bowers presented three cost options for relocating the Planning & Zoning Department.

1. Move to Old City Hall
  2. Move to the Community Center
  3. Stay in City Hall
- Council members Haffner, Brannon, Farris, and Green agreed that option two is the preferred choice due to the associated costs for relocating Planning & Zoning.
  - Councilman McCormick disagreed with the idea of taking the Community Center away from the citizens.
  - Mayor Barley expressed concerns with not having the Community Center available for public use.
  - Majority Council consensus was to move Planning and Zoning to the Community Center October 1, 2019.
  - Clerk Assistant Lori Cox requested leaving the Agenda Software within the budget for ADA compliance.
  - Council consensus was to leave the Agenda Software within the budget.



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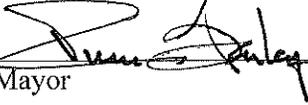
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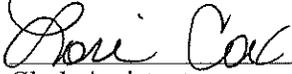
### III. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Barley.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk Assistant