

**CITY OF BARNESVILLE  
COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS  
October 1, 2013**

Council met at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 1, 2013, in the Courtroom at 100 Mill Street in Barnesville, Georgia.

Mayor Peter L. Banks called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Dooly Barber opened the meeting with prayer.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Mayor Peter L. Banks  
Mayor Pro Tem Christopher Hightower  
Councilmember Anne H. Claxton  
Councilmember Sammie D. Shropshire, Jr.  
Councilmember Robert Neal DeVane  
Councilmember Mark R. Stone

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Kenneth D. Roberts, City Manager  
Carolyn S. Parker, City Clerk  
Chuck Keadle, Chief of Police  
Jason Shirey, Director of Public Works and Utilities

**ACTION TAKEN BY COUNCIL**

Mayor Banks recognized Reverend James C. Marable and read a proclamation setting October 6, 2013 as **Reverend James C. Marable Day**. Reverend Marable has been in the ministry for 30 years and Pastor at Bethel Baptist Church for 19 years.

Mayor Banks read aloud Proclamation – Keeping the Lights on After School. The Lamar County 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Centers are committed to innovative afterschool programs and activities for Lamar youth.

Mayor Banks recognized retired educators. Mayor Banks read aloud a proclamation setting November 3, 2013 as “RETIRED EDUCATORS DAY”.

On motion by Councilmember Stone, seconded by Councilmember Shropshire, Council unanimously approved the following minutes as circulated.

September 3, 2013	Regular Council Meeting
September 5, 2013	Public Hearing
September 9, 2013	Public Hearing
September 19, 2013	Special Called Meeting

Mayor Banks called on City Manager Roberts to present a proposed contract for 2014 CDBG Grant Administration Services. Mr. Roberts recommended Allen-Smith Consulting be awarded the contract for the 2014 CDBG. On motion by Councilmember Stone, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Hightower, Council unanimously approved the Allen-Smith Contract.

Mayor Banks informed the Council that Mr. Bruce Akins was up for re-appointment to the Barnesville Housing Authority. On motion by Councilmember Shropshire, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Hightower, Council unanimously re-appointed Mr. Akins.

After no further business, Council adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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Peter L. Banks, Mayor

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Carolyn S. Parker, City Clerk