

**CITY OF BARNESVILLE
COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
December 3, 2013**

Council met at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 3, 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.

Councilmember Sammie D. Shropshire, Jr. 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 Dr. Bill Truby, Lamar County School Superintendent. Mayor Banks stated that he and the members of the City Council wished to recognize and honor the great contributions Dr. Truby has made and continues to make in the administration of our school system and the lives of all the children of Lamar County. Mayor Banks asked Dr. Truby to come forward and receive the "Key to the City".

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

November 5, 2013 Regular Council Meeting
November 21, 2013 Public Hearing
November 21, 2013 Special Called Meeting

Council accepted the General Elections Returns for the November 5, 2013 General Election. Attached and made a part of these minutes.

On motion by Councilmember Shropshire and seconded by Councilmember DeVane, Council unanimously approved the reappointment of Ms. Carol Moore as Resident Commissioner for a one year term to the Barnesville Housing Authority.

On motion by Mayor Pro Tem Hightower and seconded by Councilmember Stone, Council unanimously approved Resolution No. R2013-0016 approving a loan with United Bank for property located at 110 Merchants Way.

On motion by Councilmember Stone and seconded by Councilmember Claxton, Council unanimously approved the City accepting ownership of the Depot building from the Barnesville/Lamar County Historical Society.

On motion by Councilmember DeVane and seconded by Councilmember Claxton, Council unanimously approved the MEAG Power Sales Contract between the City of Barnesville and the City of Thomasville.

Mayor Banks recognized out-going Councilman Robert Neal DeVane and thanked him for his four years of service. Mayor Banks awarded Councilman DeVane a plaque signifying his service. Councilman DeVane thanked the Mayor and Council and stated he had enjoyed his time as Councilman representing the citizens of Ward 4.

After no further business, Council adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Peter L. Banks, Mayor

Carolyn S. Parker, City Clerk