

**CITY OF BARNESVILLE  
COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS  
August 5, 2014**

Council met at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 5, 2014, 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 Mark R. Stone  
Councilmember Anne H. Claxton  
Councilmember Christopher Hightower  
Councilmember Sammie D. Shropshire, Jr.  
Councilmember Larry B. Whitworth

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Kenneth D. Roberts, City Manager  
Carolyn S. Parker, City Clerk  
Jason Shirey, Director of Public Works and Utilities  
Craig Cooper, Police Major

**ACTION TAKEN BY COUNCIL**

On motion by Councilmember Whitworth and seconded by Councilmember Shropshire, Council unanimously approved the July 1, 2014 regular council meeting minutes as circulated.

Mayor Banks informed the Council we were compiling a list of proposed sidewalks for future projects. He asked that councilmembers submit to the City Manager their proposals by August 15, 2014.

Mayor Banks discussed the Rotary Club's request to sponsor a Peace Pole and where it would be located. Mayor Banks emphasized he supported the idea if it was attractive. Later, Mr. Ryran Traylor, Rotary President, addressed the Council. Mr. Traylor said he would provide photos of the Peace Pole for Council's review and consideration.

Mayor Banks introduced the question of what would be an appropriate rental rate for two buildings owned by the City on Merchants Way. After a lengthy discussion, on motion by Mayor Pro Tem Stone, seconded by Councilmember Claxton, Council set the rate as \$500.00 or \$600.00, depending on the length of the lease and that a deposit is required.

After no further business, Council adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

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Peter L. Banks, Mayor

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Carolyn S. Parker, City Clerk