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OFFICIAL AGENDA

CITY OF BELLE GLADE, FLORIDA

REGULAR MEETING, MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 2007, CITY HALL AT 7:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

ACTION: _____

RECOGNITION OF DIGNITARIES

PRESENTATIONS (10 Minutes or Less):

1. Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department – Annual Report

APPROVAL OF FOLLOWING CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

ALL MATTERS LISTED UNDER THIS ITEM ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ROUTINE AND ACTION WILL BE TAKEN BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION OF THESE ITEMS, UNLESS A COMMISSION MEMBER SO REQUESTS, IN WHICH EVENT, THE ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND CONSIDERED IN ITS NORMAL SEQUENCE ON THE AGENDA. ANY PERSON WHO WOULD LIKE TO SPEAK ON AN AGENDA ITEM, PLEASE FILL OUT A PUBLIC COMMENT CARD LOCATED IN THE BACK OF THE COMMISSION CHAMBERS AND GIVE TO THE CITY CLERK OR DESIGNEE, PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING.

2. Approval of Minutes:
 - A. Regular Meeting, August 6, 2007 [To be Provided]
 - B. Workshop Meeting, June 4, 2007
 - C. Workshop Meeting, May 31, 2007
 - D. Workshop Meeting, July 10, 2006

ACTION: _____

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CITY CLERK REPORTS:

Second Reading of Ordinances

3. Relating to Repealing Requirement that all Resolutions be Read in Full or by Title (No. 07-16)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION", ARTICLE II, ENTITLED "CITY COMMISSION", DIVISION 2, ENTITLED "LEGISLATION", SECTION 2-42, ENTITLED "RESOLUTIONS", REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ACTION: _____

First Reading of Ordinances:

4. Relating to Vehicle Parking

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE REPEALING CHAPTER 27, TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES AT ARTICLE II, PARKING, STOPPING, AND STANDING, DIVISIONS 1 THROUGH 4, AND RE-ADOPTING ARTICLE II, DIVISION 1; ESTABLISHING RULES, REGULATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES GOVERNING THE STOPPING, STANDING OR PARKING OF A VEHICLE WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS IN CONFORMANCE WITH STATE LAW; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, AND AUTHORITY TO CODIFY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

ACTION: _____

5. Relating to Departments

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 "ADMINISTRATION" AT ARTICLE III "DEPARTMENTS" AT SECTION 2-56 "DESIGNATED" BY DELETING PUBLIC SAFETY AND CHANGING PUBLIC SERVICES TO PUBLIC WORKS; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, AND AUTHORITY TO CODIFY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ACTION: _____

CITY CLERK REPORTS CONTINUED:

Adoption of Resolutions:

6. Relating to Domestic Violence in the Workplace Leave Policy

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE AMENDING THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK, LEAVES OF ABSENCE, BY ADDING A "DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN THE WORKPLACE LEAVE POLICY; REPEALING ALL RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE AND A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ACTION: _____

7. Relating to Palm Beach County Fire Rescue Interlocal Agreement

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BELLE GLADE, FLORIDA, PROVIDING AUTHORITY FOR THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE REQUIRED INSTRUMENTS OR DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT FOR PURCHASE AND SALE AND STATUTORY WARRANTY DEED IN ACCORDANCE TO THE INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WITH PALM BEACH COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR A CONFLICTS CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ACTION: _____

Other Business:

8. Announcements

- A. Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Budget Workshop, August 22, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. in Conference Room B at City Hall
- B. Procurement Committee Meeting Scheduled for August 23, 2007, has Been Rescheduled to August 28, 2007, 1:00 p.m., Conference Room B
- C. Weed and Seed Committee Meeting, August 29, 2007, 6:00 p.m., 224 SW 5th Street (Safe Haven)
- D. Boat Lock Committee Meeting, September 4, 2007, 5:15 p.m., Conference Room B
- E. Special Meeting Relating to Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Stormwater Assessment Rate, September 4, 2007, 5:45 p.m., Commission Chambers

Other Business:

8. Announcements Continued:
 - F. Special Meeting for Public Hearing Relating to Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Proposed Millage & Tentative Budget, September 4, 2007, 6:00 p.m., Commission Chambers, Immediately Followed by Rescheduled Regular Commission Meeting [Adjournment Time Certain (No Later Than) at 7:45 p.m.]
 - G. Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) Meeting, September 17, 2007, 5:30 p.m., Commission Chambers
 - H. Special Meeting for Public Hearing Relating to Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Final Millage & Budget, September 17, 2007, 6:00 p.m., Commission Chambers
 - I. Next Regular Commission Meeting, September 17, 2007, 7:00 p.m., Commission Chambers

CITY MANAGER REPORTS:

Unfinished Business:

ACTION: _____

New Business:

9. Approval to Accept \$175,000 Grant Award from Department of Justice, Community Capacity Development Office Relating to FY 2007-2008 Weed & Seed Program

ACTION: _____

10. Approval to Accept Conveyed Parcels from Palm Beach County

ACTION: _____

11. Approval of Addendum to Contract for Sale and Purchase with Zara Hester

ACTION: _____

12. Determination of Option to Move March 11, 2008 Municipal Election to January 29, 2008

ACTION: _____

CITY MANAGER REPORTS CONTINUED:

New Business Continued:

13. Approval to Enter Into State Department of Transportation Maintenance Memorandum of Agreement Relating to State Road 15 (Main Street Bridge to Avenue L)

ACTION: _____

CITY ATTORNEY REPORTS:

ACTION: _____

CITY MANAGER COMMENTS:

ACTION: _____

AUDIENCE COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

ACTION: _____

COMMISSION REPORTS:

A. ASIA-WILLIAMS _____

B. MILLER _____

C. SANCHEZ _____

D. KENDALL (Vice Mayor) _____

E. GARRETT (Mayor) _____

ADJOURNMENT

** NOTICE **

Any citizen of the audience wishing to appear before the City Commission to speak with reference to any agenda or non-agenda item must complete the "Request for Appearance and Comment" form and present completed form to the City Clerk.

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Should any person seek to appeal any decision made by the City Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, such person will need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

(Reference: Florida Statutes 286.0105)

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