

**CITY OF ETON, GEORGIA  
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
October 6, 2020**

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The Eton Council met October 6, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Cantrell presiding.

Council Members Present: Anthony Ridley, Traci Rankin, Jim Bartley, Joan Dooley

Staff Present: Kim Hall, City Clerk  
Terry Miller, City Attorney  
Todd Pasley, Police Chief  
Brian Flood, Fire Chief  
Clinton Flood, Street Dept.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Following the Call to Order by Mayor Cantrell, Council Member Bartley made the motion to accept the September 1, 2020 Council Meeting Minutes as submitted in writing by the Clerk. Council Member Dooley seconded the motion, and all were in favor.

**OLD BUSINESS**

BROADBAND READY ORDINANCE - SECOND READING.....

Council Member Dooley made the motion to adopt the Eton Broadband Ready Ordinance 2020-9. Following a second by Council Member Bartley and a unanimous vote, Ordinance 2020-9 was adopted.

CENSUS UPDATE.....

Clerk Hall reported Eton is currently at a 47.1% response rate as of 09/29/20. Attorney Miller reported the Census deadline has been extended until October 31, 2020.

**NEW BUSINESS**

DDA REAPPOINTMENT.....

Clerk Hall reminded the Mayor and Council the position held by Mohammad Awad needs to be re-appointed in January. The position should be held by an Eton business owner.

MURRAY COUNTY IDA.....

Council Member Bartley made the motion to cancel the Intergovernmental Agreement between Eton and the Murray County Industrial Authority. Council Member Dooley seconded, and the vote was unanimous in favor.

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**DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

Clerk Report.....

Budget Report given by Clerk Hall.

Police Report.....

Full police report given by Chief Pasley is attached. 74 calls, 98 citations, 10 arrests with 2 being drug related, 2 DUIs, 4857 miles patrolled, and \$20,440.44 fines assessed. Chief Pasley will acquire quotes for police vehicles.

Fire Report.....

Fire report submitted by Chief Flood is attached. As of October 1<sup>st</sup>, all part-time firemen have returned to normal schedules.

Street Report.....

Street report given by Superintendent Flood. Mr. Flood will obtain quotes for new uniforms for his department.

**MAYOR'S REPORT**

None

**ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

None

**BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR**

Mr. Larry French reported he and his wife delivered as many census flyers as possible.

Council Member Rankin asked about parking on the street regulations in Ridgecrest Subdivision due to problems encountered by school buses on Elbert Street. Eton has a local Ordinance which addresses parking on the public streets. Chief Pasley will investigate the problem.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business for consideration, Council Member Dooley made the motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. Upon second from Council Member Bartley and a unanimous vote, the meeting was adjourned.



