

**CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE
COMMISSION WORKSHOP MINUTES
Tuesday, October 28th, 2014**

Pursuant to due notice the regularly scheduled Commission workshop meeting was held in the Commission Chambers at 360 E. Main St., Pahokee, Palm Beach County, Florida on October 28, 2014.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Walkes at 6:00 p.m.

Official attendance was recorded as follows:

| | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------|
| <u>Roll Call:</u> | Mayor Colin Walkes | Present |
| | City Commissioner Keith Babb | Absent |
| | Commissioner Allie Biggs | Present |
| | Commissioner Felisia Hill | Present |
| | Vice Mayor Diane Walker | Present |
| | Acting City Manager Erica Washington | Present |
| | City Attorney Gary Brandenburg | Present |
| | Sergeant At Arms Sergeant Foster | Present |
| | City Clerk Anika Sinclair | Present |

**Topic:
Commission Meeting Agenda, October 28, 2014**

Additions

Report of the Mayor
Hugh Jarvis

Consent Agenda

Mayor Walkes read Resolution 2014 – 49.

Proclamation

Ms. Sinclair advised it is the Rotary Club of Pahokee’s 85th Anniversary and they are will put stop signs. Dr. Hardney will give a presentation.

Presentations

Acting City Manager Washington stated Mr. Rickey Butts, of Butts Funeral Home, will discuss a waiver of zoning fees, for opening a funeral chapel on Barfield Highway. The area is currently zoned for Single Family Residential and the zoning fees range from \$5,000 to \$10,000. She advised Mr. Lester Finney will discuss the Muck Bowl Parade and his ideas pertaining to executing the event.

Old Business

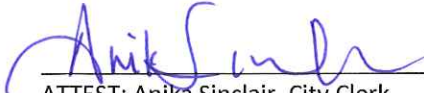
RESOLUTION 2014 -50 – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA, ACKNOWLEDGING THE RIGHT OF EMPLOYEES AND RESIDENTS TO CONTACT THE OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL (OIG) WHEN THEY BECOME AWARE OF MISMANAGEMENT IN ANY LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

City Attorney Brandenburg stated he believes the OIG contacted Mr. Ivester. Mr. Ivester indicated that the Office of Inspector General (OIG) has requested for each City to adopt a resolution, encouraging and stating that the City policy is for everyone that has knowledge of City wrongdoing and they may go the OIG, without the fear of reprisal. Mr. Ivester requested for City Attorney Brandenburg to use a resolution that the OIG has formatted, for the City of Pahokee.

Ms. Sinclair advised three Commissioners have confirmed attending for the Florida League of Cities conference, Mayor Walkes, Vice Mayor Walker, and Commissioner Biggs.

Acting City Manager Washington gave an update on the Gymnasium Renovation Project and the Economic Development Initiative, and advised she will reach out to Gregory Cleveland, regarding the Florida Youth Chamber of Commerce Charity.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor Walkes adjourns the meeting at 6:16 p.m.



ATTEST: Anika Sinclair, City Clerk



Colin O. Walkes, Mayor