



The Work Session of the Mayor and Council was held in the Council room of West Point City Hall March 26, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. with Mayor Steve Tramell opening the session.

Members Present:

Mayor Pro-Tempore Joseph R. Downs III
Councilmember Alanteo “Henry” Hutchinson
Councilmember Gerald W. Ledbetter
Councilmember Gloria R. Marshall
Councilmember Sandra Thornton

Members Absent:

Agenda Reviewed

Mayor Steve Tramell reviewed the agenda and asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Councilmember Joseph R. Downs III made said motion; seconded by Councilmember Sandra Thornton; **passed unanimously**

Public Comments on any Item

Mrs. Cheryl Morrison stated she had plan to address the Mayor and Council about the condition of the cemetery but stated city workers begin correcting some of her concerns on Monday. She has posted on her Facebook page a flyer asking everyone to come to one of the city’s cemetery on April 7th and have a Clean the Cemetery Day.

There were no more public comments.

New Business

- **Vacant Council Seat Appointment**

Mayor Tramell stated the City has received three applications from citizens who wish to fill the unexpired term of former Councilmember Ben Wilcox. The term will end January, 2020. The citizens are Tracy Bandy, Amanda James, and Dee Dee Williams. He asked each of them if they wanted to make a statement.

Ms. Amanda James stated she live at 804 Avenue D. She stated she love the city and want to help in any way to help with the city’s continue growth and with the positive changes that are occurring.

Ms. Dee Dee Williams stated she live at 315 E 8th Street. She is a life-long resident of the city. She has served on numerous boards such as the West Point Planning & Zoning Board, West Point Development Board, and the West Point School Board. She wants to be a part of making West Point be the best it can be. She used the acronym TIPS. She describes it as meaning Transparency, Integrity, Professionalism, and Service.

Mr. Tracy Bandy stated he lived at 1206 6th Avenue. He is a life long resident of West Point. His first job was with the West Point Recreation Department. The City of West Point sponsored him when he entered the Fire Academy. He served as a Code enforcement Officer, and Law enforcement.

Mayor Tramell thanked them for wanting to serve the citizens of West Point.

OTHER BUSINESS

- **Mayor and Council Comments**

Councilmember Sandra Thornton asked if anyone know a student in grades 7-12 who would like to attend the Salvation Army summer camp to let her know or contact the Salvation Army Office in LaGrange. The camp will begin June 8th.

- **Special Call Meeting**

Mayor Steve Tramell asked for a motion to enter into a Special Called Meeting to consider the purchase of property. Councilmember Joseph R. Downs III made said motion and second by Councilmember Gerald W. Ledbetter; **passed unanimously**

ADJOURN

Councilmember Gloria R. Marshall made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sandra Thornton; **passed unanimously**.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned