

**CITY OF JONESBORO  
WORK SESSION  
170 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
March 7, 2016 – 6:00 PM**

**MINUTES**

The City of Jonesboro Mayor & Council held their Work Session on Monday, March 7, 2016. The meeting was held at 6:00 PM at the Jonesboro Police Station, 170 South Main Street, Jonesboro, Georgia.

**I. CALL TO ORDER - MAYOR JOY B. DAY**

**II. ROLL CALL - RICKY L .CLARK, JR., CITY CLERK**

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Joy B. Day	Mayor	Present	
Wallace Norrington	Councilman	Present	
Jack Bruce	Councilman	Present	
Pat Sebo	Councilwoman	Present	
Billy Powell	Councilmember	Present	
Larry Boak	Councilman	Present	
Ed Wise	Councilman	Present	

**III. PRESENTATION**

1. GDOT South Metro Express Lanes Presentation

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Wallace Norrington, Councilman
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Larry Boak, Councilman
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

Representatives from GDOT were present to speak regarding construction of the I-75 South Metro Express Lane. This project begins along I-75 south of Atlanta at SR 155 / McDonough Road and ends at SR 138 / Stockbridge Hwy, and includes approximately 12 miles of managed lanes. The proposed project consists of the addition of two reversible express lanes located within the median of I-75, to be managed by a variable priced tolling system. These lanes will be designed to improve traffic flow, increase options for motorists and transit and registered vanpool customers, provide reliable trip times, create jobs and bring economic benefits to the residents of this region.

**IV. INVOCATION**

A. Led by Councilmember Norrington

**V. WORK SESSION (ITEMS A-E)**

A. Discussion regarding proposal from CorpCare regarding an Employee Assistance Program.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>CONSENT AGENDA ITEM</b>	<b>Next: 3/14/2016 6:00 PM</b>
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Consent Agenda Item

B. Discussion regarding FY' 16 Budget Amendment #16-01.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Joy B. Day, Mayor
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Wallace Norrington, Councilman
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

C. Discussion regarding Resolution #2016-05 regarding parade fee waivers.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Joy B. Day, Mayor
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Jack Bruce, Councilman
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

D. Discussion regarding Resolution #2016-06 adopting the City of Jonesboro Comprehensive Plan.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Joy B. Day, Mayor
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Billy Powell, Councilmember
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

E. Discussion regarding Ordinance #2016-004 in which repeals Chapter 52 (Signs) and enacts Article XVI (Signs) in Chapter 86 (Zoning).

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Wallace Norrington, Councilman
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Billy Powell, Councilmember
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

## **VI. OTHER BUSINESS (ITEMS A-B)**

A. Executive Session for the purpose of discussing personnel related matters.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Wallace Norrington, Councilman
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Billy Powell, Councilmember
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise

## **VII. ADJOURNMENT**

A. Adjourn

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Joy B. Day, Mayor
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Wallace Norrington, Councilman
<b>AYES:</b>	Day, Norrington, Bruce, Sebo, Powell, Boak, Wise