

CITY OF FANNING SPRINGS
MINUTES – REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
July 3, 2018

1. The regular Meeting of the City of Fanning Springs City Council was held in the City Hall Assembly room this date.

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Chairman Tommy Darus

2. The Invocation was given and all present gave the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.
3. The following members and officials were:

PRESENT:

Howell E. "Trip" Lancaster		Mayor
Michael O'Steen		Attorney
Sheila Watson		City Clerk
Tommy Darus	Chairman	Seat #1
Jennifer Padot-Collins	Vice-Chairman	Seat #2
Jane Jones-Redd		Seat #4
John McDonald	Member	Seat #5

ABSENT:

Barbara Locke	Member	Seat #3
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4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

REGULAR MEETING 06/05/18

Moved by Councilmember McDonald, seconded by Councilmember Jones-Redd, to approve the Regular Minutes of 06/05/18. **MOTION CARRIED.**

5. **REVIEW OF GENERAL AND UTILITIES DEPT. GENERAL LEDGERS**
REVIEW OF FINANCIAL REPORT
6. **RESOLUTION NO. 2018-003 PROVIDING FOR A NON-PARTISAN ELECTION**

A RESOLUTION UNDER
THE CHARTER OF
THE CITY OF FANNING SPRINGS, FLORIDA
PROVIDING FOR A
NON-PARTISAN ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Fanning Springs, Florida requires the providing for a non-partisan election to be held **November 6, 2018** and for a primary election on **October 9, 2018** if one is required under Article V Section 5.4 of said Charter depending on whether or not more than two candidates seek the same office, and,

WHEREAS, section 97.055 Florida Statutes require the closing of the registration books 29 days prior to said election Viz: if a primary is required, registration books will close **September 10, 2018** and if an election is required on **November 6, 2018**, to remain closed until 7:00 pm on **November 6, 2018** and,

WHEREAS, any citizen qualified as required by Article III Section 3.02 (elector) may become a candidate for Council Member for seats number Four (4) or seat number Three (3) by paying the qualifying fee of one hundred twenty dollars (\$120.00). For the Seat of Mayor by paying the qualifying fee of Five Hundred Sixty dollars (\$560.00) including the State of Florida Assessment of one percent of the annual salary, filling the Oath of Office and completing other forms required, with the City Clerk, at the Fanning Springs City Hall, during office hours beginning at 12:00 Noon on **August 13, 2018** ending **August 17, 2018** at 12:00 Noon.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that a non-partisan election for Council Seats #4, seat #3, and Mayor the same is hereby called for **November 6, 2018** the primary thereof, if required, for **October 9, 2018**.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, that the required notices be published and a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Supervisor of Elections of Gilchrist and Levy Counties

Dated at Fanning Springs, Florida **3rd day of July, 2018**.

Moved by Councilmember McDonald, seconded by Councilmember Collins, to approve Resolution 2018-003. MOTION CARRIED.

7.

REPORTS

MAYOR: Mayor Lancaster stated that the sewer projects are moving forward at current time as well as the hotel project.

ATTORNEY – No report

CITY CLERK – Reviewed upcoming dates for Budget workshop and TRIM.

FIRE DEPT.

Fire Chief Porter stated the Fire Dept. answered 72 calls for the month of June. All maintenance and repairs are up to date.


COUNCIL COMMENTS: None

8. **CITIZENS COMMENTS: None**

9. **ADJOURNMENT:**


Moved by Council member McDonald, seconded by Council member Jones-Redd, to adjourn.
MOTION CARRIED.

CITY OF FANNING SPRINGS CITY COUNCIL



Tommy Darus, Chairman

ATTEST:



Sheila Watson, City Clerk