

Mayor and Council

700 Doug Davis Drive
Hapeville, GA 30354

July 26, 2016

6:00PM

1. Call To Order

2. Roll Call

Mayor Alan Hallman
Alderman at Large Ruth Barr
Councilman at Large Michael Randman
Councilman Ward I Joshua Powell
Councilman Ward II Diane Dimmick

3. Public Comments On Agenda Items

The public is encouraged to communicate their questions, concerns, and suggestions during Public Comments. The Council does listen to your concerns and will have Staff follow-up on any questions you raise. Any and all comments should be addressed to the Governing Body, not to the general public and delivered in a civil manner in keeping with common courtesy and decorum.

4. New Business

4.I. Discussion Of Alcohol Ordinance Amendments

Background:

The City Council has requested the opportunity to begin the re-write of the City's long-standing alcohol code. With the growth of multiple high-end developments now being considered; changes in the alcohol code to accommodate and plan for the new growth being anticipated is needed. The City Attorney has provided background information to Council and information resources regarding how other communities in the metro Atlanta area address this issue. The Council has already had to make some accommodations for the new emerging micro-brewery industry. These adjustments expire in September 30, 2016 unless Council adopts a new code with changes.

The goal of the work shop is for the City Council to:

- 1) Plan for and anticipated growth and needs of the City
- 2) Provide staff with adequate direction to draft/propose a new Alcohol Code
- 3) Streamline the Alcohol process and management thereof wherever feasible

Should you have any questions, please contact the City Manager's Office.

5. Public Comments

At this time, the Mayor opens the floor to comments from the audience. Comments should relate to a specific agenda item, not listed on the agenda for a Public Hearing, or to a concern within the jurisdiction of the City. Mayor and Council meetings serve the purpose of conducting city business and are not a forum for the unlimited expression of opinion. The Chairperson reserves the right to limit comments to matters germane to city business and may refer speakers to the City Manager or other staff for resolution.

6. Mayor And Council Comments

7. Executive Session (If Needed)

8. Adjourn

Public involvement and citizen engagement is welcome as Hapeville operates a very open, accessible and transparent government. We do however remind our attendees/residents that there are times allocated for public comments on the agenda. In order for council to conduct their necessary business at each meeting, we respectfully ask that side-bar conversations and comments be reserved for the appropriate time during the meeting. This will allow the City Council to conduct the business at hand and afford our meeting attendees ample time for comments at the appropriate time during the meeting.