



*City of Lake Helen
City Commission
Special Meeting & Budget Workshop Minutes*

Mayor Daisy Raisler
Vice Mayor Vernon J. Burton
Commissioner Tom Wilson
Commissioner Rick Basso
Commissioner Jim Connell

May 28, 2019 at 7:00pm

*City Hall, First Floor Conference Room
327 S. Lakeview Drive, Lake Helen, Florida 32744*

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Daisy Raisler called to order the May 28, 2019 Special Meeting and Budget Workshop at 7:00pm.

CEREMONIAL MATTERS: Legislative Prayer and Pledge to the Flag led by Vice Mayor Vernon Burton.

PRESENT: Mayor Daisy Raisler, Commissioner Jim Connell, Vice Mayor Vernon Burton, and City Administrator Becky Witte.

NOT PRESENT: Commissioner Tom Wilson, Commissioner Rick Basso, City Attorney Scott Simpson

BUSINESS OF THE COMMISSION:

ITEM 1: ADDITIONS, DELETIONS AND MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA: None

ITEM 2: COMMISSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Vice Mayor Vernon Burton discussed Memorial Day at Suber Memorial Cemetery. He told the group that approximately 30 people were in attendance.

Discussion of Suber Memorial Annexation into the City of Lake Helen.

ITEM 3: SPECIAL MEETING ITEM: Resolution 2019-08 Authorizing City Administrator to Execute HMGP documents.

RESOLUTION 2019-08: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAKE HELEN, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY, HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM.

MOTION by Vice Mayor Vernon Burton to adopt Resolution 2019-08. **Second by Commissioner Jim Connell.**
MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

ITEM 4: BUDGET WORKSHOP: FY 2019/2020 Budget Workshop
Discussion with input from City Administrator, Todd Preston (Connecticut Ave)

ITEM 5: PUBLIC COMMENTS:
Todd Preston (Connecticut Ave)
Kelly Frasca (John Street)

ITEM 6: COMMISSION DISCUSSION

City Administrator Becky Witte: Discussed Historic Board opening as well as Market in the Park.

Vice Mayor Vernon Burton: Discussed Rising against all odds event and repainting basketball courts at Melissa Park, as well as Jeep Club in 4th of July Parade.

Commissioner Jim Connell: Discussed the Jennings moving to Belgium.

Mayor Daisy Raisler: Discussed the keepsake for the League Dinner, Cemetery cleanup, and Butler Day.

ITEM 7: ADJOURNMENT: Mayor Daisy Raisler adjourned the May 28, 2019 Special Meeting of the Lake Helen City Commission at 9:28pm.