

**CITY OF ETON, GEORGIA  
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
JUNE 4, 2024**

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The Eton Council met June 4, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Cantrell presiding.

Council Members Present: Anthony Ridley, Traci Rankin, Zach Hall, and Joan Dooley  
Staff Present: Kim Hall, City Clerk  
Todd Pasley, Police Chief  
Seth Kirby, Public Works Director

**CALL TO ORDER**

Following the Call to Order by Mayor Cantrell, Council Member Dooley made the motion to accept the May 7, 2024, Council Meeting Minutes as submitted in writing by the Clerk. Council Member Rankin seconded the motion, and all were in favor.

**NEW BUSINESS**

None

**OLD BUSINESS**

None

**DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

Clerk Report.....

Budget Report given by Clerk Hall.

Police Report.....

Police report given by Chief Pasley as follows: 55 calls, 121 citations, 72 warnings, 9 arrests with 4 being drug related, 3 DUIs, 4036 miles patrolled, and \$29,446.44 fines assessed.

Street Report.....

Street report given by Director Kirby. Current landfill fees were discussed, and Mr. Kirby was advised to acquire quotes on a woodchipper.

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**MAYOR'S REPORT**

The Eton Fireworks Festival is June 28<sup>th</sup>. Chief Pasley will have all Eton officers on duty. He will also ask for an ambulance and a Murray County fire truck to locate near the park during the festival.

The Mayor advised that Barry Gentry, Murray County Chamber President, will rebirth the Eton Downtown Development Authority.

**ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

None

**BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR**

None

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Council Member Dooley made the motion to enter Executive Session to discuss a potential real estate acquisition. Council Member Rankin seconded, and all were in favor.

Council Member Dooley made the motion to adjourn Executive Session and reconvene regular Council Meeting. Council Member Rankin seconded the motion, and all were in favor. No action taken during Executive Session

**REAL ESTATE ACQUISITION**

Council Member Dooley made the motion authorizing Mayor Cantrell to enter into contract with Charles and Jim Pannell for the purchase of approximately 26 acres of land on Highway 411. Upon second from Council Member Hall, the vote was unanimous in favor.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business for consideration, Council Member Dooley made the motion to adjourn at 8:20 p.m. Upon second from Council Member Ridley and a unanimous vote, the meeting was adjourned.



