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**MAYOR**  
**MELANIE HAMMET**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Jean Bordeaux, Mayor pro tem  
Tracey Brantley  
Nivea Castro  
Brandy Hall  
Augusta Woods

**ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF**

ChaQuias Miller-Thornton  
City Manager  
  
Sarai Y'Hudah-Green  
Chief of Police  
  
Missye Varner  
Administrative Coordinator  
  
Susan Moore  
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**Call to Order** Mayor Melanie Hammet called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Present: Mayor Melanie Hammet, Mayor pro tem Jean Bordeaux and Council members Brandy Hall, Augusta Woods, Tracey Brantley and Nivea Castro. City Manager ChaQuias Miller-Thornton, Chief of Police Sarai Y'Hudah-Green, Administrative Coordinator Missye Varner were also present. City Attorney Susan Moore was not present.

**Adoption of Agenda of the Day**

Council Member Woods motioned to adopt the agenda, seconded by Council Member Castro, the adoption of the agenda passed unanimously.

**Adoption of the Minutes**

- Regular Meeting – April 11, 2023

Council Member Brantley motioned to adopt the agenda, seconded by Mayor pro tem Bordeaux, the adoption of the agenda passed unanimously.

**New Business**

1. Swearing in of Police Department Reserve Officers

Police Chief Y'Hudah-Green introduced three new Public Safety Officers to the Council. Mayor Hammet then administered the oath of office for Reserve Officers Charles Ings, Michael Taylor and Adelle Gaskin.

2. Council's Confirmation of Stephanie Kohler's Appointment to the Municipal Arts Panel – Mayor Melanie Hammet

Council Member Brantley motioned to appoint Stephanie Kohler to the Municipal Arts Panel; seconded by Council Member Woods, the appointment passed unanimously.

3. Alcohol Privilege License Application – Mango's Caribbean Restaurant, 4634 Rockbridge Road, Pine Lake, GA – Matthew Nelson, applicant and owner

Council Member Hall motioned the approval of Alcohol Privilege License Application – Mango's Caribbean Restaurant; seconded by Council Member Castro, the approval of the of Alcohol Privilege License Application – Mango's Caribbean Restaurant passed unanimously.

4. Update and Request for Funding – Juneteenth 2023 – Mayor pro tem Jean Bordeaux and Councilmember Augusta Woods, presenters

Council Member Hall motioned to approve for the City to fund \$300.00 towards expenses for the Juneteenth 2023 event; seconded by Council Woods, the approval passed unanimously.

5. Public Finance Leadership Academy – Support for City Manager Thornton’s Program Application – Program Tuition/Exp - \$3,090

Council Member Hall motioned to approve the Public Finance Leadership Academy – Support for City Manager Thornton’s Program Application – Program Tuition/Exp - \$3,090; seconded by Mayor pro tem Bordeaux, the approval for the Public Finance Leadership Academy – Support for City Manager Thornton’s Program Application – Public Tuition/Exp - \$3.090 passed unanimously.

6. Resolution R-10-2023 – FY2023 Budget Amendment

Council Member Woods motioned to approve Resolution R-10-2023 – FY2023 Budget Amendment; seconded by Council Member Hall, Resolution R-10-2023 – FY2023 Budget Amendment passed unanimously.

### **Adjournment**

Council Member Brantley motioned to adjourn at 8:08pm, seconded by Mayor pro tem Bordeaux and passed unanimously.