CITY OF STATHAM

CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Statham Community Center

336 Jefferson Street, Statham, GA 30666



PUBLIC HEARING & WORK SESSION

November 4, 2025

6:30 P.M.

I. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE

Mayor Krause gave the invocation.

Mayor Krause led the Pledge of Allegiance

II. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Krause called the meeting to order at 6:31 pm

Present: Mayor Krause and Councilmembers Terilli, Bogenrieder, Patterson, Penn, and Burnette.

Also Present: City Attorney Jody Campbell, City Clerk Nicole Sapp,

City Administrator Cheryl Venable, Public Works Director Brett Day,

Asst. City Accountant Karine Brooms, and PD Personnel.

III. MINUTE APPROVAL

III.1 October 21, 2025 Regular Meeting

III.2 October 28, 2025 Special Called Meeting

Councilmember Penn made a motion to approve the October 21, 2025 and

October 28, 2025 meeting minutes.

Councilmember Terilli second the motion.

Terilli -Yes, Bogenrieder- Yes, Patterson-Yes, Penn-Yes, Burnette-Yes Motion passed 5-0.

IV. REPORTS

- IV.1 Finance Department Report- Karine Brooms gave the finance department report.
- IV.2 Police Department Report- Lt. Hood gave the police department report.
- IV.3 Public Works Department Report- Brett Day gave the public works report.
- IV.4 Mayor Report- Mayor Krause gave the mayor report.
- IV.5 Committee Reports
 - a. Statham Tree & Beautification- Councilmember Terilli gave the report.
 - b. Statham Events- Councilmember Bogenrieder gave the report.

V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

V.1 City of Statham 2026 Holiday Calendar- the council reviewed the draft City of Statham 2026 Holiday Calendar.

V.2 City of Statham 2026 City Council Meeting Schedule- the council reviewed the draft City of Statham 2026 City Council Meeting Schedule.

V.3 Set Date for City Hall Meeting for Citizen's Input for the Senior Tax Exemption- the council set the dates for two public hearings to receive citizen's input for the Senior Tax Exemption, Tuesday, 11/18 at 7 p.m. and Tuesday, 12/02 at 6:30 p.m.

V.4 Employee Handbook Revisions- Jody Campbell discussed the Employee Handbook revisions.

VI. CITIZEN INPUT

Betty Lyle- spoke about the City's recent land purchase. Cathy Bennett- spoke about social media posts.

VII. ADJOURN

Councilmember Patterson made a motion to adjourn the public hearing and work session meeting.

Councilmember Penn second the motion.

Terilli- Yes, Bogenrieder- Yes, Patterson- Yes, Penn- Yes, Burnette- Yes Motion passed 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.