

**ST. GEORGE CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
WORK MEETING
DECEMBER 6, 2019, 9:00 AM
DIXIE POWER OFFICES**

PRESENT:

**Mayor Jon Pike
Councilmember Jimmie Hughes
Councilmember Michele Randall
Councilmember Joe Bowcutt
Councilmember Ed Baca
City Manager Adam Lenhard**

OTHERS PRESENT:

**Councilmember Elect Gregg McArthur
Councilmember Elect Dannielle Larkin
Financial Planning and Budget Manager Deanna Brklacich
Support Services Director Marc Mortensen
Leisure Services Director Shane McAfee
Police Chief Richard Farnsworth
Community Development Director John Willis
Human Resources Director Sharon Hokanson
Fire Chief Robert Stoker
Energy Services Director Laurie Mangum
Communications and Marketing Director David Cordero
Water Services Director Scott Taylor
Public Works Director Cameron Cutler
Administrative Services Director Trevor Coombs
Economic Development and Housing Director Shirlayne Quayle
City Recorder Christina Fernandez
Assistant Budget Manager Chad Moultrie**

EXCUSED:

Councilmember Bette Arial

OPENING:

Mayor Pike called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance. The invocation was offered by Water Service Director Scott Taylor and The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilmember Hughes.

DISCUSSION REGARDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 BUDGET:

Mayor Pike and City Manager Adam Lenhard spoke last year's Council priorities; most of which have been completed are in process.

The Council discussed their priorities for the upcoming budget year. Some of their priorities and projects include: traffic; left turn arrows; public safety; water issues; economic development; wages and housing costs; infrastructure; south Main Street; projects and parking in the downtown area; tourism funding; parks and trails; performing arts center; recreation programs; citizen advisory boards; and widening and expansion of 3000 East and 1450 South.

Mayor Pike called for a short recess.

City Manager Adam Lenhard noted paramedic and ambulance service was briefly discussed recently; he feels staff should look at the feasibility of this idea. Staff's approach to the budget would include no proposed tax increases. Down the road it may be planned for public safety purposes.

ADJOURN:

MOTION: A motion was made by Councilmember Randall to adjourn.

SECOND: The motion was seconded by Councilmember Hughes.

VOTE: Mayor Pike called for a vote, as follows:

Councilmember Hughes – aye

Councilmember Randall – aye

Councilmember Baca – aye

Councilmember Smethurst – aye

The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Christina Fernandez, City Recorder