

**MINUTES
CITY OF SUWANEE, GEORGIA
CALLED MEETING
OCTOBER 13, 2011
5:30 P.M.**

Meeting Location: City Hall, Big Splash Room, 330 Town Center Avenue

Attendees: Dave Williams, Mayor
Jace Brooks, Mayor Pro Tem
Jimmy Burnette, Councilmember
Dan Foster, Councilmember
Dick Goodman, Councilmember
Kevin McOmber, Councilmember
Marty Allen, City Manager
Elvira Rogers, City Clerk
Gregory Jay, City Attorney

A. Call to Order

Mayor Pro Tem Brooks called the meeting to order at 5:40 P.M.

B. Executive Session – Legal Matters

Motion to Enter Executive Session by Councilmember Foster, second by Councilmember Burnette for discussion. Motion amended by Councilmember Foster to include for Legal Matters, second by Councilmember Burnette and so carried 4-0.

Mayor Williams and Councilmember McOmber arrived during Executive Session.

Motion to Exit Executive Session by Councilmember Burnette, second by Councilmember Foster and so carried 5-0 (Mayor Williams not in the room).

There was no action taken.

C. Consider Award of Contract to Georgia Development Partners of Atlanta for Construction of the Suwanee Creek Greenway Rehabilitation Project

The purpose of this project is to reconstruct the section of Greenway between Martin Farm Road and Suwanee Elementary School that is prone to flooding. The City received eight bids for this project and recommends awarding it to Georgia Development Partners in the amount of \$722,405.63. This would allow for bringing the new section up to existing standards (widening to a 10' trail and a 12' boardwalk), as well as enhancing it with additional parking at Martin Farm Park and a wider trail under the bridge at Lawrenceville Suwanee Road. Should the project proceed as expected and funds allow,

the City could exercise the option to approve a change order in the future to allow for the trail to be extended to Smithtown Road (approximately 1,000 feet).

Motion by Councilmember McOmber to approve award of the contract to Georgia Development Partners of Atlanta for Construction of the Suwanee Creek Greenway Rehabilitation Project in an amount not to exceed \$722, 405.63, second by Councilmember Burnette and so carried 6-0.

D. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Councilmember Burnette, second by Councilmember Foster and so carried 6-0.

Approved 11/29/2011