

1. Agenda

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**BOARD OF MAYOR AND COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR MEETING  
May 25, 2016, 7:30 p.m.**

**AGENDA**

- Item No. 1 Meeting Called to Order
- Item No. 2 Invocation (Commissioner Fisher)
- Item No. 3 Pledge to the Flag
- Item No. 4 Adoption of Agenda
- Item No. 5 Approval of Minutes:  
April 20, 2016 Work Session  
April 25, 2016 Regular Meeting  
May 4, 2016 Special Called Work Session
- Item No. 6 Commissioner Updates – Subjects of General Interest and Concern
- Item No. 7 Monthly Report by the City Manager Concerning the Status of Matters in Progress and Upcoming Issues and Events
- Item No. 8 Citizens' Comments:  
"It's another beautiful day in Avondale Estates" – Thomas P. Samford
- Item No. 9 New Business:
- Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Contract for Services to Analyze Drainage in the Clarendon Avenue-Berkeley Road Area of Avondale Estates
  - Proclamation for National Garden Week June 5-11
- Item No. 10 Old Business:
- 2nd Reading of Board of Mayor and Commissioners Compensation Ordinance
- Item No. 11 Announcements (Commissioner Fisher)
- Summer will kick-off with Memorial Day this Monday, May 30<sup>th</sup>. The pool at the Avondale Estates Swim & Tennis Club will open and, as a reminder, City Hall will be closed.
  - National Garden Week will be the week of June 5<sup>th</sup>. It's a great time to thank a garden club member for their efforts in our City.
  - An early Happy Father's Day to all my fellow dads out there.
  - We regret to announce the death of resident John Munagian
- Item No. 12 Adjournment



**A RESOLUTION  
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO CONTRACT FOR SERVICES TO  
ANALYZE DRAINAGE IN THE CLARENDON AVENUE-BERKELEY ROAD  
AREA OF AVONDALE ESTATES**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Avondale Estates is dedicated to providing a safe and aesthetically pleasing City where the residents can live, work and play; and

**WHEREAS**, City of Avondale Estates residents have documented drainage issues during weather events in the Clarendon Avenue-Berkeley Road area and provided said documentation to City Staff and the Board of Mayor and Commissioners;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Avondale Estates has determined there is a need to analyze the current conditions, identify possible causes, recommend solutions and receive cost estimates for possible solutions by an engineering and stormwater professional(s);

**WHEREAS**, the City of Avondale Estates believes it is prudent to review all options and associated costs to plan for future expenses; and

**NOW, AND THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Avondale Estates hereby authorizes the City Manager to contract with Skyline Engineering & Construction for expenses not to exceed Twelve Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$12,680.00).

**SO RESOLVED**, this 23rd day of May, 2016.

CITY OF AVONDALE ESTATES  
BOARD OF MAYOR AND COMMISSIONERS

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Jonathan Elmore, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Gina Hill, City Clerk





## National Garden Clubs, Inc.

### NATIONAL GARDEN WEEK PROCLAMATION

Whereas, Gardeners have a passion for nurturing the beauty and resources of the earth through the planting of seeds, the care of all plants and the riches of their efforts; and

Whereas, Gardeners seek to add beauty, splendor, fragrance and nutrition to our lives through the growing of herbs, vegetables, foliage and flowers; and

Whereas, Gardeners work to preserve our country's traditional spirit of independence and initiative through innovation and hard work; and

Whereas, Gardeners advocate the importance of all creatures, large and small, that share our world and their roles in a balanced and productive ecology; and

Whereas, Gardening furnishes a challenging and productive activity for our citizens, for those just learning as well as those having years of experience; and

Whereas, Gardening promotes a healthy lifestyle that lasts a lifetime, helps reduce stress from other areas of our life, teaches that rewards can come from diligent efforts; and

Whereas, Gardening enables members of Garden Clubs across the nation and the world to make a world of difference in the communities where they reside and work;

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved that in an effort to acknowledge the importance of Gardening and the numerous contributions of Gardeners, National Garden Clubs, Inc. designates the week of June 5-11, 2016 as National Garden Week.

*Sandra A. Robinson*  
Sandra A. Robinson,

2015-2017 President, NGC, Inc.



ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**AN ORDINANCE TO COMPENSATE THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY OF AVONDALE ESTATES BOARD OF MAYOR AND COMMISSIONERS BY PROVIDING A MONTHLY STIPEND.**

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Board of Mayor and Commissioners dedicate a substantial amount of their time and energy to governing the City in a way that benefits the public;

**WHEREAS**, City Charter § 2.13 and O.C.G.A. § 36-35-4(a) authorize the members of the Board of Mayor and Commissioners to be compensated for their service; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has published notice regarding providing a stipend to Board of Mayor and Commissioners members in the DeKalb Champion for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding the adoption of this ordinance.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Avondale Estates, as follows:

**Section 1.** New Code Section 2-26 is hereby adopted, to read as follows:

**“Sec. 2-26. Stipend for Members.**

The members of the Board of Mayor and Commissioners shall be compensated for their service as follows:

- a) The Mayor shall receive a stipend of \$600 per month,
- b) Commissioners shall receive a stipend of \$400 per month.”

**Section 2.** This ordinance shall become effective January 1, 2018.

SO ORDAINED, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

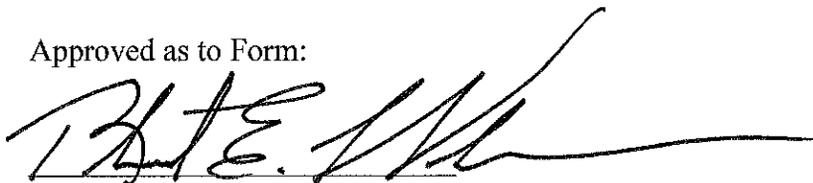
ATTEST:

BOARD OF MAYOR AND COMMISSIONERS  
AVONDALE ESTATES, GEORGIA

\_\_\_\_\_  
Gina Hill, City Clerk  
(SEAL)

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Mayor Jonathan Elmore

Approved as to Form:

  
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Robert E. Wilson, City Attorney