

A Water/Sewer Committee Meeting of the City of Gray, Georgia was held on Thursday, January 9, 2020 in the conference room at City Hall.

Present: Mayor Pro Tem James Collins, Council Members Benny Gray, David Tufts and Terrell Fulford, City Attorney John Newberry, Assistant City Superintendent Frank Ross, Water Treatment Plant Operator Cheyenne Morgan, Chris Neal, City Clerk Cindy Yancey and Assistant City Clerk Ashley Roberson.

Guests: Charlie Bridges with Carter & Sloope, Patrick Day with Ferguson, and Eric Merrick with Mueller.

Water/Sewer Committee Chairman Benny Gray called the meeting to order at 10:00am.

**Water/Sewer Committee:**

- Ferguson/Mueller – Water Meters
  - Patrick Day with Ferguson and Eric Merrick with Mueller discussed the City's water meters with City staff and the Water/Sewer Committee.
  - Mr. Merrick and Mr. Day explained that as of December 31, 2019, the hot rod system that the City purchased in 2016 is no longer being sold. The system has been upgraded and they are now selling a different version. The City has the option to purchase this new version if/when they are ready. However, Ferguson/Mueller will still honor the City's warranty for the next 17 years by replacing any faulty meters/antennas with a comparable yet more upgraded version of the original that was purchased.
  - Kelly Stitt with Mueller and Dustin Julian with Ferguson will be the City's new primary contacts and will assist with resolving any meter/antenna issues that the City of Gray may have.
  - Mr. Merrick and Mr. Day assured the City that they would work with us to solve the issues, starting with the larger meters that are not working, causing the City to lose revenue.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

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Assistant City Clerk

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