## MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 1, 2023 CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

A REGULAR meeting of the Hopewell City Council was held on Tuesday August 1, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

PRESENT:

John B. Partin, Mayor
Jasmine Gore, Vice Mayor
Rita Joyner, Councilor
Michael Harris, Councilor
Janice Denton, Councilor
Brenda Pelham, Councilor
Dominic Holloway, Councilor

## **OPEN MEETING:**

## R1- Approval of funding for PMO and Accounting Remediation Services

Presenting tonight is the President and CEO of the Robert Bobb Group-Robert Bobb, Principal with the Robert Bobb Group-Heather Ness and the Managing Director at UHY-Jack Regan. The Robert Bobb Group LLC to discuss PMO and Accounting Remediation Services for the City of Hopewell. The City Council must approve funding for requested services and direct the City Manager to execute the contract agreement between The City of Hopewell and The Robert Bobb Group. The Staff recommends the approval of funding in the amount of \$988,680.00 for PMO and Accounting Remediation Services to be provided by The Robert Bobb Group. The City of Hopewell issued an emergency Request for Proposal (RFP) for a Financial Project Management Office (PMO) and Accounting Remediation Service on June 8, 2023. The RFP closing date was June 29, 2023. A selection committee was formed to review, score and rank the applications/bids. As a result, The Robert Bobb Group was selected to provide services to the City of Hopewell.

Councilor Holloway moves to make a motion to approve funding of \$988,680 for PMO and Accounting Remediation services to be provided by the Robert Bobb Group, the motion was seconded by Vice Mayor Gore;

Vice Mayor Gore makes a Friendly Amendment to the motion on the floor for funds to be taken from ARPA funds and to direct the City Manager to execute and enter into the contract on behalf of the City Manager.

**ROLL CAL:** 

Councilor Harris- Yes

Mayor Partin- Yes

Vice Mayor Gore- Yes

Councilor Denton- Yes

Councilor Pelham- Yes

Councilor Holloway- Yes

Councilor Joyner- Yes

**Motion Passes 7-0** 

A motion was made to adjourn by Councilor Holloway and Mayor Partin

Johnny Partin, Mayor

Brittani Williams, City Clerk