

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilwoman Tooley stated that she has had a lot of conversations with citizens about the activity and traffic going on Downtown. She has talked to the City Manager and he is on top of things. People like to sit outside and eat, but there are a lot of vehicles on the streets moving fast. We may need to look at the Ordinance and enforce it as well as encourage citizens to slow down. It is nice that citizens are coming to Council Members to discuss the things that they would like to see done. Council is open to hear suggestions. Also, she would like for Council to have more conversations about Mathis Auditorium and what the City plans to do with it. We need to decide if we are going to sell it and decide if we really need it.

Councilman Howard stated that early voting is taking place right now at the Lowndes County Board of Elections Office for the May 24, 2022 Election.

Mayor Pro Tem Miller-Cody asked that everyone pause for a one-minute silent prayer for the late Judge H. Arthur "Mac" McLane who passed away recently. He was a great asset to the City of Valdosta and Lowndes County and he will be greatly missed. Also, on behalf of the Hudson Docket area, she asked that some lights and cameras be put up so they can determine who is doing the shootings in that area. The children are so afraid that they lay on the floor half of the night. Some of the children are so scared that they are not going to school the next day. There are a lot of single mothers raising their children on their own and if we do not help them no one will.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Pro Tem Miller-Cody entertained a motion for adjournment.

A MOTION by Councilman Carroll, seconded by Councilman Norton, was unanimously adopted (6-0) to adjourn the May 5, 2022 Meeting of the Valdosta City Council at 6:28 p.m. to meet again in Regular Session on Thursday, May 19, 2022.