

**CITY OF MOUNTAIN PARK  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
AUGUST 1, 2023  
COMMUNITY BUILDING  
6:00 P.M.**

Mayor Jim Still, Jr. called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. to discuss and complete the verification of the citizen petition to amend the city code.

Present were Mayor Jim Still, Jr., Council Members Robin Auerbach, Bill Kolbrener, Mark Murphy, Emily Myers and Carol Silver, City Clerk Jennifer Zalokar, and City Attorney Brandon Bowen.

Bowen explained the purpose of the meeting, how the petitions were verified and reviewed the Georgia Code Section 36-35-3.

Zalokar reported her results on the petitions received. 517 overall on the electors list, 31 total listed as inactive with 486 listed as active, 122 total signatures needed to equal the 25% required, 155 overall signatures received, 120 verified and counted, 28 not found on electors list and not counted, 1 inactive on electors list and not counted, 2 unreadable and not counted, and 4 duplicate signatures not counted.

Auerbach requested to review the 2 unreadable signatures and the 4 duplicate signatures received. Zalokar provided those petitions, and all members of council reviewed them. It was agreed by council that the 2 unreadable signatures were unreadable and had no printed name to verify to the electors list and that the 4 duplicate signatures were duplicates on the petitions.

Kolbrener moved to reach out to confirm with the 2 unreadable signatures in question and verify more on the inactive petition guidelines before responding to the validation of the petition. 2nd by Murphy. Failed 2-3(Auerbach, Myers, Silver)-0

Myers moved to deny the petition based on the results presented by the City Clerk. 2nd by Auerbach. Approved 3-2(Kolbrener, Murphy)-0

There being no further business, Silver moved to adjourn. 2nd by Auerbach. Approved 5-0-0, 6:37 p.m.

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Jim Still, Jr., Mayor

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Jennifer Zalokar, City Clerk