## OXFORD MAYOR AND COUNCIL WORK SESSION MONDAY, AUGUST 21, 2017 – 6:00 P.M. A G E N D A

1. **Honorary Councilmember** – Councilmember Ready has appointed Frances Redick as the honorary councilmember for September.

## 2. Mayor's Announcements

A draft of the Comprehensive Transportation Plan for Newton County will be discussed at an Open House on Wednesday, August 23, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at The Center. The plan covers all forms of transportation and public input is sought.

- 3. \* N. Emory Sewer Project We will discuss sewer tap fees and the various laws and regulations regarding septic systems and why the Health Department is the enforcement agency (it's a public health issue).
- 4. \* Comprehensive Plan We will have a discussion regarding the comprehensive plan adopted in December 2007. John Devine has agreed to prepare the new comprehensive plan which is due February 28, 2018. If the council selects Devine and NEGRC to prepare the plan, the cost will be minimal.
- 5. **Annual Mayor and Council Retreat** We will need to select a date and place for the Annual Mayor and Council Retreat. We are proposing that the retreat focus on long-term planning with emphasis on sustainability. NEGRC has done similar retreats for other cities and counties and has agreed to provide this service for Oxford at no cost.
- 6. \* Whatcoat and Asbury Street Parking The Planning Commission recommends supporting Oxford College's proposed parking development plan for Whatcoat Street and Asbury Street. Kendra Mayfield will discuss with City Council the proposed parking development plan.
- 7. Projects Status and Engineer's Progress Reports
- 8. **Executive Session** for personnel matters and real estate matters.

<sup>\*</sup>Attachments