



**CITY OF STATESBORO
CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES
August 04, 2015**

A work session of the Statesboro City Council was held on August 04, 2015 at 11:23 a.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Present were Mayor Jan Moore; Council Members: Will Britt, Phil Boyum, John Riggs, Gary Lewis and Travis Chance. Also present was Deputy City Manager Robert Cheshire, City Clerk Sue Starling and City Attorney Alvin Leaphart. Others present were members of staff, citizens and news media.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jan Moore. The following topic was discussed.

1. Discussion of how to regulate and define “Temporary Vendors”

Director of Planning and Development Mandi Cody gave a power point presentation and a proposed draft ordinance for temporary vendors. She stated we need a more definite set of guidelines and what the definition of a temporary vendor should be in reference to garage sales, yard sales, produce sales, open tent sales etc.

Stephanie Ellis, owner of Ellis Open Air Market stated she was not in favor of the proposed definitions.

Dan Lee, a seasonal produce salesman, stated he just wanted to sell his produce and follow the rules.

David Gerrald, who also has a produce business, stated out of town people should not be allowed to come into town to sell their goods.

Theo Lanier (The Green Man) stated he just wanted to sell his produce because that’s all he knows and is able to do.

Council had much discussion but no recise direction given as to how to define a temporary vendor.

There was no action taken at the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:30 pm.