MINUTES - CALLED COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2021 - 5:30 P.M.

**LOCATION: VIA ZOOM** 

IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Pamela Lee, Bobby Cox, Dondrea Geter, Steve Jones, Harry Lewis, Patricia Woodard, and Thomas Lott

Called to order by Mayor Lee at 5:30 pm.

- 1. Invocation Jeffrey Floyd
- 2. Approve Agenda Cox made a motion to approved agenda with addition, Lewis 2<sup>nd</sup>, unanimously approved.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- 3. Police Officers there were 3 individuals that were interviewed for police officers. There were 2 individuals that were selected, and they were Hannah Hernandez and Brandon Zuckerman. R. Clark has got an employment contract for them to sign to go to the academy. The reason for this called meeting was to go ahead and get the contract approved because there is only a 2week window to get everything in before academy starts. A copy of contract is attached. Jones made the motion to send the 2 to the police academy, Woodard 2nd, unanimously approved.
  - Contract Woodard made a motion to approve the contract for the officers to sign, Lewis 2nd, unanimously approved.
- 4. WWTP trees Floyd talked to council last month about getting a price to cut the trees near the WWTP because they are slowly starting to fall on the power lines. Since then, he has talked to Jack Tribble and Mr. Tribble said that it wouldn't be feasible for him to cut the trees because it wouldn't be enough. Beech Timber is down there now and cutting the property adjoining the cities portion. They gave a price of 7 different times of timber and Webb Swamp logging priced 3 different types of timber. Prices are as follows: Pulp wood – Webb Swamp Logging is \$12.49/ton and Beech Timber is \$17.50/ton, Pine cut blocks - Webb Swamp is \$32.60, and Beech Timber is \$42.80 and 3" blocks - Webb is \$16.60, and Beech Timber is \$15.50. Webb Swamp can move in at any time and Beech is already there. Mayor asked if it would have to be advertised and City Attorney R. Clark stated that it shouldn't have to be advertised because it is less than \$100,000. Cox makes a motion to go with Beech Timber Company, Woodard 2nd, unanimously approved.
- 5. Meeting adjourned at 6:00 PM with Geter making the motion, Lewis 2<sup>nd</sup>, unanimously approved.

Submitted By:

Marie Carrillo, City Clerk