

City of Hudson Council Meeting Minutes

The City Council of the City of Hudson, Texas, met in regular session **Thursday**, **November 10, 2022**, at the City Hall Council Room, 3458 Ted Trout Dr., Hudson, Texas, at 4:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order

Mayor Robert Smith called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

2. Invocation

Mayor Robert Smith gave the invocation.

3. Quorum Check

Quorum Check was called by City Secretary Cheryl Everett.

A quorum was present:

Councilmembers: Juan Ramos, Mayor Pro Tem Phil Adkison, Terry Taliaferro

Absent (at Quorum Check): Rachella Massey and Sherry Hellwig

Other City Officials present:

James Freeman, City Administrator Cheryl Everett, City Secretary Rodney McCarty, Public Works Director Jimmy Casper, Police Chief

Other City Employees present:

Other City Affiliates present:

Hawk Ornduff, Hudson Volunteer Fire Dept.

Other Guests present: (as per Sign In Sheet)

Donna Smith

 DISCUSSION AND ACTION to approve the Minutes from previous Council Meetings.

Discussion:

Action: Mayor Pro Tem Phil Adkison moved to approve the Minutes from the 10-13-2022 Council meeting. Councilmember Terry Taliaferro seconded the motion. **Three (3) for and none (0) opposed. - Motion Passed**

5. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to Approve Phase Two upgrade of Lift Station 4.

Discussion: Rodney McCarty, Public Works Director said they received 3 bids to install a pump (the city is providing the pump) for Lift Station 4. The lowest bid was for \$11,300.00 from Oates Plumbing.

Action: Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to approve using Oates Plumbing to install a pump for Lift Station 4. Mayor Pro Tem Phil Adkison seconded the motion. **Three (3) for and none (0) opposed. - Motion Passed**

6. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to amend 04132017-2 Sign Ordinance.

Discussion:

Action: Mayor Pro Tem Phil Adkison moved to amend 04132017-2 Sign Ordinance. Councilmember Juan Ramos seconded the motion.

Three (3) for and none (0) opposed. - Motion Passed

 DISCUSSION AND ACTION to proceed with the 2023-2024 Community Development Fund (CDV) grant.

Discussion:

Action: Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to proceed with the 2023-2024 Community Development Fund (CDV) grant.
Councilmember Juan Ramos seconded the motion.
Three (3) for and none (0) opposed. – Motion Passed

8. GENERAL MONTHLY REPORTS

- a. Hudson Volunteer Fire Department Hawk Ornduff HVFD1. See Report
- b. Hudson Police Department Chief Jimmy Casper1. Monthly Dispatch See Report
- c. Administration James Freeman, City Administrator
 - 1. See 2020-2021 Year-End Financial Report
 - 2. Hired a new employee to be a Field Supervisor.

9. ADJOURN

Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Juan Ramos seconded the motion.

Three (3) for and none (0) opposed - Motion Passed. Meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

Robert Smith, Mayor

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Cheryl Everett, City Secretary