



## City of Hudson Council Meeting Minutes

The City Council of the City of Hudson, Texas, met in regular session on **Thursday, June 13th, 2024**, at the City Hall Council Room, 3458 Ted Trout Dr., Hudson, Texas, at 5:00 p.m.

### **1. Call to Order**

Mayor Robert Smith called the meeting to order at 5:02 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: Mayor ProTem Phil Adkison, Sherry Hellwig, Terry Taliaferro, and Frankie Ornduff

Absent (at Quorum Check): Juan Ramos

#### **Other City Officials present:**

Rodney McCarty, Public Works Director

Cheryl Everett, City Secretary

Jeff Burns, Police Chief

#### **Other City Employees present:**

#### **Other City Affiliates present:**

Judge Pete Johnson

#### **Other Guests present:** (as per Sign In Sheet)

Donna Smith

### **4. OATHS OF OFFICE FOR MAYOR ROBERT SMITH, TERRY TALIAFERRO, FRANKIE ORNDUFF**

Judge Pete Johnson swore in Mayor Robert Smith and Aldermen Terry Taliaferro & Frankie Ornduff.

### **5. DISCUSSION AND ACTION** to approve the Minutes of the previous Council Meetings.

Discussion:

Action: Mayor Pro Tem Phil Adkison moved to approve the 20240509 Minutes. Councilmember Terry Taliaferro seconded the motion.

**Four (4) for and none (0) opposed. Motion Passed**



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### 6. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to approve Proposed Shoemaker RV Park.

Discussion: Mayor Robert Smith said the Proposed Shoemaker RV Parks wants a park over 5 acres since he has 14 acres but the maximum in our RV Ordinance is 5 acres.

Action: Councilmember Sherry Hellwig moved to table the Proposed Shoemaker RV Park. Councilmember Terry Taliaferro seconded the motion. **Four (4) for and none (0) opposed. Motion Passed.**

### 7. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to approve lighting and equipment for Police Ford Explorer.

Discussion: Jeff Burns, Police Chief presented the bids for the lighting and equipment for the Police Ford Explorer.

Action: Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to approve purchasing the lighting and equipment for \$8145.72 for the Police Ford Explorer. Councilmember Frankie Ornduff seconded the motion. **Four (4) for and none (0) opposed. Motion Passed.**

### 8. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to approve 1 Bolowrap and training for the Police Department.

Discussion: Jeff Burns, Police Chief presented the information on the Bolowrap, along with a video showing the use of the Bolowrap.

Action: Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to table the purchase of 1 Bolowrap and training for the Police Department. Councilmember Sherry Hellwig seconded the motion. **Four (4) for and none (0) opposed. Motion Passed.**

### 9. DISCUSSION AND ACTION to approve bid for 1 Pump at Lift Station 2.

Discussion: Lift Station 2 both pumps went out and had to order a pump without getting bids to stay in compliance.

Action: Councilmember Sherry Hellwig moved to approve purchasing 1 Pump at Lift Station 2. Councilmember Terry Taliaferro seconded the motion. **Four (4) for and none (0) opposed. Motion Passed.**

### 10. GENERAL MONTHLY REPORTS

- a. *Hudson Volunteer Fire Department - Frankie Ornduff*
  1. *See the May 2024 Report*



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- b. *Hudson Police Department –*
  - 1. *Monthly Dispatch – See May 2024 Blotter Reports*
  
- c. *Administration – Rodney McCarty, Public Works Director*
  - 1. *Review 2023-2024 Budget*

### **8. ADJOURN**

Councilmember Terry Taliaferro moved to adjourn the meeting.

Councilmember Sherry Hellwig seconded the motion.

**Four (4) for and none (0) opposed - Motion Passed. Meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.**

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**Robert Smith, Mayor**

ATTEST: A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cheryl Everett", written over a horizontal line.  
**Cheryl Everett, City Secretary**

