

Town of Andrews

Town Council Workshop/ Virtual Meeting via Zoom/Facebook Live

Thursday, April 9, 2020 6:00 p.m.

Sheriff's Substation

110 N Morgan Ave. Andrews, SC

Due to Covid19 (Coronavirus) and implementing social distancing measures, the Town Council Workshop was physically unavailable to attendees. The Workshop was broadcasted via Facebook Live from the Town of Andrews Emergency Operating Center Page.

Town of Andrews met for their Workshop on Thursday, April 9, 2020. Mayor Frank McClary presiding in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Invocation was rendered by Council Member Eddie Lee.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited by everyone.

Town Officials Present:

Mayor Frank McClary

Mayor Pro Tem Bradley Prince

Council Member Eddie Lee

Council Member Angela Anderson

Council Member Robert Stamper II

Council Member Amy Flagler

Mayor McClary stated that the purpose of this workshop is to discuss projects for the Town of Andrews that may be funded as a result of a potential referendum establishing a Capital Project Sales Tax (CPST). CPST is an additional 1-cent sales tax that can be approved by a referendum vote to fund specific projects. If the referendum is approved it will be placed on the voting ballot during the next general election and would be collected over a eight year time period. The funding projection is expected to generate about \$80 to \$100 million dollars. Council Members were given 7 categories which included about 25 different types of projects to review and to recommend the top three categories that would be the most beneficial to the Town of Andrews.

Following an in-depth discussion on possible (CPST) projects for the Town of Andrews, Town Council Members concluded that there are three major areas/projects that the Town should consider as top priority. First priority is the infrastructure of the Town of Andrews Water and Sewer Systems that are in need of upgrades. These systems have faced many challenges over their life span and are costing the Town a considerable amount of funds to maintain and to sustain. Secondly, the Town is in need of a flood Mitigation plan to include addressing storm drain issues. Thirdly, the Town is in desperate need of several road replacements and repairs.

Mayor McClary stated that there are already 80 projects on the list of potential projects before the Town of Andrews submission. The staff will gather the information to discuss during this meeting and prepare an agenda item for the upcoming Monthly Town Council Meeting scheduled for Thursday, April 16, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

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Adjournment

Motion was made by Council Member Eddie Lee and seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Bradley Prince to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 p.m.

Town Council Meeting minutes submitted by Town Clerk Chaconas Parson.