Grand Saline City Council
October 13, 2020
Regular Meeting 7:00 P.M.

A Regular Meeting of the Grand Saline City Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Jeremy Gunnels. Mayor Jeremy Gunnels announced a quorum was present with the following: Councilmember July Cato, Councilmember Jason Ivy, Councilmember Ridge Tardy, Councilmember Kathy Smith. Councilmember Mary Jane Hollowell was absent.

Invocation was given by Chad LaPrade followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American and Texas Flags.

City Staff Present: Tully Davidson, Dana Clair, Beverley Pearson, Jeremy Barker, Tammy Weidman, Chad LaPrade, and David Savage

Others Present: Dustin Mason, Parker Mason and Michelle Fite with the Grand Saline Sun

Council Member July Cato made a motion to approve the minutes of the September 13, 2020 meeting and the Special Called Meeting on September 22, 2020. Councilmember Kathy Smith 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to table the financials until the November meeting. Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

No Public Comments/Participation

Councilmember July Cato made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-26- Street Closures for the Goody Trail/Trunk or Treat on October 31, 2020. Councilmember Ridge Tardy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember July Cato made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-27- Authorizing the filing of grant application with East Texas Council of Government for a Solid Waste Grant (City Clean-Up). Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember Jason Ivy made a motion to approve Resolution 2020-28- Authorizing the filing of grant application with East Texas Council of Governments for a solid Waste Waste Grant (Litter Abatement Officer). Councilmember Kathy Smith 2nd the motion and the motion carried with Councilmember July Cato abstaining.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to table Ordinance 2019-112 -Permit and Inspection fees until November 10, 2020 Council Meeting. Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to table discussion of reimbursement for plumber's fees until November 10, 2020 Council Meeting. Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd motion and motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to add Beverley Pearson as a signer on the City of Grand Saline's Checking Accounts and to remove Lisa Morrison as a signer. Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

No action taken on development of a parks board.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to approve the 2020 Salt City Open House on November 21,2020. Ridge Tardy 2nd the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Councilmember Jason Ivy made a motion to approve the 2020 Salt City Christmas on December 5, 2020. Councilmember Kathy Smith 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Councilmember Kathy Smith made a motion to adjourn at 7:43 p.m. Councilmember Jason Ivy 2nd the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mary Jane Hollowell

APPROVED, Mary Jane Hollowell, Mayor Pro-Tem

Dana Clair

ATTEST: Dana Clair, City Secretary

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