City of Archer City

Open Regular Meeting Minutes Thursday, July 19, 2018, 7:00 P.M.

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Archer City, met for an open regular meeting on Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 116 S. Sycamore, Archer City, Texas.

Call to Order

Mayor Kelvin Green called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Green led the Pledge of Allegiance for the United States and Texas flags and gave the invocation.

Presentations

Mayor Green presented Jay Cantrell with a Texas State Flag in appreciation of his past service to the City as City Attorney.

The following Council members were present for roll call:

Mayor Kelvin Green Council Members Paula Bradley

Zac Beck Debra Haehn Ben Tucker

Leslie Hash - absent

Staff present: City Manager - George Huffman, City Secretary - Kim Whitsitt

Guests Present – Brynn Burton, Marjory Cantrell, Jay Cantrell, Joe Aulds, Barbara Phillips, Karen Aulds, Debbie Jones, Rick Jones

Public Comments

None

Consent Agenda

Zac Beck made the motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Ben Tucker seconded the motion. All members present voted "Aye".

Monthly Reports

City Manager report: Public Works, Ambulance, Police Department - George Huffman

City Secretary report: Financial Report - Kim Whitsitt

ACGDC report - None

NEW BUSINESS

Code Enforcement Complaint Letters

George Huffman addressed Council concerning the complaint letters that are mailed to citizens concerning code enforcement violations and stated that nuisance violations are based on citizen complaints due to the absence of a code enforcement officer. Huffman stated City officials have been looking for a part time code enforcement officer. Debbie Jones addressed Council concerning the complaint process and requested the City take responsibility for identifying violations instead of the citizen-based complaint system. Brynn Burton addressed Council and stated she had no issue with the process. After further discussion, Council took no action.

Burning and Burying of Structures

George Huffman addressed Council concerning burning and or burying structures and addressed the potential problems created from those actions including smoke from the fires. Burying structures could be problematic in the future in the event of new construction on those properties. Debra Haehn made the motion to table the item to obtain further information. Paula Bradley seconded the motion. All members present voted "Aye".

2 nd Quarter Investment Report Kim Whitsitt presented the 2 nd quarter investment report to Council. Paula Bradley made the motion to approve the investment report. Debra Haehn seconded the motion. All members present voted "Aye".
Adjournment There being no further business to come before the City Council, Ben Tucker moved to adjourn at 7:48 p.m. Zac Beck seconded the motion. All members present voted "Aye".

Kelvin Green, Mayor

Kim Whitsitt, City Secretary