

Minutes of the Regular
Scheduled Meeting
Troup City Council
October 21, 2019

A Scheduled Meeting and Public Hearing of the Troup City Council was held Monday October 21 2019 at 6:30 pm at the Cameron J-Jarvis Troup Municipal Library located at 102 S. Georgia, Troup, Texas. Councilpersons were: Mayor Joe Carlyle, Jeff Hale, Nelson Darden, Brandi Barton, Chip Richardson, and Carole Wilson. Also present was City Manager Gene Cottle and City Secretary Buffie Deason.

Mayor Joe Carlyle called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m. noting all Council members were present with the exception of Carole Wilson.

Nelson Darden led the invocation.

Nelson Darden led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 4 Consider approval of the minutes from the Regular Scheduled Meeting September 16, 2019. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to approve the minutes as written. Councilperson Jeff Hale seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 5 Citizen Comments- No comments were made.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 6 Review and consider the city financial report for the month of September 2019. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to approve the financials from September 2019. Councilperson Nelson Darden seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 7 Comments, questions or input from City Manager's written report. City Manager Gene Cottle presented Council with the city manager's report and the police report.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 8 Discuss and consider a recommendation from the Troup Planning and Zoning Commission about a Zoning Change request for the property located at 735 Arp Drive from C-1 Commercial District to M-2 Manufacturing/Industrial District by Jack Brabec. Mr. Brabec addressed Council with his plans for a recycling center. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to grant the zoning change request. Councilperson Nelson Darden seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 9 Discuss and consider a recommendation from the Troup Planning and Zoning Commission about granting a Specific Use Permit for the property located at 735 Arp Drive to Jack Brabec. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to grant the Specific use permit with restrictions. Councilperson Jeff Hale seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 10 Discuss and consider reappointment of Ron Shaffer or the nomination of a new appointee. To serve a two year term as a Board Member for the Smith County 9-1-1 Communications District. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to reappoint Ron Shaffer for a two year term as Board member for the Smith County 9-1-1 Communications District. Councilperson Jeff Hale seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 11 Discuss and consider entering an Inter-local agreement with the City of Arp, Texas for Animal Control Services. Councilperson Jeff Hale made the motion to enter into the agreement with the City of Arp for Animal Control Services. Councilperson Nelson Darden seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 12 Discuss and consider entering an Inter-local Cooperation Contract for the Failure to Appear Program. Councilperson Jeff Hale made the motion to approve the contract with the Failure to appear program. Councilperson Chip Richardson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 13 Discuss and consider the approving the Racial Profiling Report of the Troup Police Department. Councilmembers were given a copy of the yearly racial profiling report. Councilperson Nelson Darden

made the motion to approve the racial profiling report. Councilperson Jeff Hale seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 14 Discuss and consider allowing city employees and city vehicles to transport food from Troup ISD campuses to the Troup Community Food Pantry. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to allow city employees and city vehicles to transport food from the Troup ISD campuses to the Troup Community Food Pantry. Councilperson Jeff Hale seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 15 Discuss and consider closing parts of S. Virginia and E. Calvert for the Troup Fall Fest on October 26, 2019. City Manager Gene Cottle told Council that this would be safer for all those attending the fall fest. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to close parts of S. Virginia and E. Calvert for the fall fest. Councilperson Brandi Barton seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

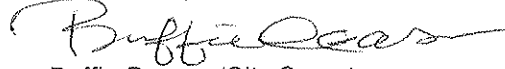
Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 16 Discuss and consider approving a payment of \$9000.00 to Robert and Carole Dobrowolski for the purchase of the property located at 107 E. Calvert legal description Block 9 Lot 10,11,12A. Councilperson Chip Richardson made the motion to approve to payment for the purchase of the property at 107 E. Calvert. Councilperson Nelson Darden seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 17 Discuss and consider approving a Resolution authorizing the application for Local Park Grant Program with Texas Parks and Wildlife for Patriot Park. Councilperson Nelson Darden made the motion to approve the resolution to authorize submitting the application for park grant for Patriot Park. Councilperson Brandi Barton seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 18 Comments and input from Council, Mayor or City Manager concerning items of interest or items for a future agenda. Mr. Cottle ask Council if they would be able to have the Council meeting on November 19 due to Holiday in Country being on November 18th. Councilmembers agreed to that date.

Mayor Joe Carlyle – Item 19 Adjourn at 7:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Buffie Deason/City Secretary