

**Minutes of the Garland City Council meeting held September 23, 2015 at 7:59 pm at the Garland City Building with the following council members present:**

<b>Todd Miller</b>	<b>Mayor</b>
<b>Angie Johnsen</b>	<b>Council Member</b>
<b>Kirt McKee</b>	<b>Council Member</b>
<b>Tom Perry</b>	<b>Council Member</b>
<b>Kenny Smoot</b>	<b>Council Member</b>

**Mayor Miller called the meeting to order. Council Member Perry gave the invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Smoot.**

**A motion was made by Council Member Smoot to approve the agenda. A second was made by Council Member Perry with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.**

**A motion to approve the minutes from the September 2, 2015 and September 9, 2015 meetings was made by Council Member Smoot. A second was made by Council Member McKee with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.**

**Mayor Miller asked if there were any requests for future agenda items or open comments from the public. There were none.**

**The first item under new business was Shauna Barfuss from the New Hope Crisis Center. She read a proclamation and asked the mayor to proclaim October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month in Garland. Mayor Miller did so and signed the proclamation.**

**The second item under new business was to vote on the liquor license for Sofa's Bar. Mayor Miller asked if anyone had any points to discuss. Council Member McKee asked if this was the approval to move forward with this. Mayor Miller stated that basically this would be giving Garland's approval if the state does.**

**A motion was made by Council Member McKee to approve the liquor license for Sofa's Bar pending state approval. A second was made by Council Member Perry with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.**

**Mayor Miller stated the next item on the agenda was the financial report and asked if there were any questions. There were none.**

**Mayor Miller stated the next item on the agenda is reports of officers, boards and committees.**

**Fire Chief Rob Johnson reported they have been moving forward with looking at engines and getting prices. He also stated that they will be starting an Advanced EMT class at the first of the month and the chamber of commerce has asked them to help with a CPR class.**

**Mayor Miller reported on the results of the sewer survey that was sent out with the utility bill that have been turned in so far. He stated we have received 329 back and expect to receive around 400 back. Of the 329 returned, 78% chose option 2 which is to leave it at the proposed site, 6% chose option 1 which is to stay with Tremonton and 16% chose option 3 which is to move the plant a mile north which would be somewhere around the sugar factory.**

**Mayor Miller stated that Council Member Thompson was excused and he did not see any of his departments here either so he moved on to Council Member Smoot to report.**

**Council Member Smoot stated that he wanted to discuss the situation down at the park with people bringing here dogs and letting them do their business and then not cleaning up after them. He stated that he has looked at some other cities and we as a council need to decide what we want to do if anything. He stated that he would like to do a little more research in some other cities and then present them with some options so they can figure out which way they want to go.**

**Council Member Perry reported that he has tried to get in touch with Jay Munns to discuss emergency preparedness which he is over and will be meeting with the police chief next week so he can get up to speed on his departments.**

**Police Chief Chad Soffe reported that he purchased coats for the crossing guards at the grade school that are water proof, bright and reflective so that they don't get run over.**

**Council Member McKee reported the street department will be finishing the street painting and patching a couple of areas that were dug up for repairs.**

**Matt reported the 50 horsepower water pump went out and is being rebuilt and the chlorine pump also went out which was replaced by the backup pump that we keep on hand so he will be purchasing a new back up chlorine pump. He also stated that they fixed a water valve on 700 South and 100 West that was leaking.**

**Council Member Johnsen stated that the planning and zoning meeting for September was cancelled.**

**Mayor Miller stated the next item on the agenda is the approval of the coding for accounts payable and payroll and asked if there were any questions.**

**Council Member Smoot made a motion to approve the coding for accounts payable and payroll and utility account adjustments. A second was made by Council Member Johnsen with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.**

**A motion to adjourn was made at 8:33 pm by Council Member Smoot and seconded by Council Member McKee. All council members present voted in favor of the motion.**

  
Sharlet Anderson, Recorder