

Minutes of the Garland City Council meeting held October 18, 2017, at 8:11 pm at the Garland City Building with the following council members present:

Todd Miller	Mayor
Chuck Bingham	Council Member
Linda Bourne	Council Member
Angie Johnsen	Council Member
Tom Perry	Council Member
Josh Marble	Council Member

Mayor Miller called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by Council Member Johnsen and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Troop 712 from Garland 5th Ward.

Council Member Bourne made a motion that we approve the agenda. A second was made by Council Member Bingham with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Miller stated the next item on the agenda was the approval of the minutes.

Council Member Bourne made a motion to approve the minutes from September 20th. A second was made by Council Member Bingham with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Miller asked if there were any requests for future agenda items. There were none.

Mayor Miller introduced Resolution, R-17-17, Designating 100 North as Mark Fryer Lane.

A motion was made by Council Member Bourne that we accept Resolution, R-17-17 designating 100 North as Mark Fryer Lane. A second was made by Council Member Bingham. The roll call vote results are as follows:

Council Member Bingham	Yea
Council Member Bourne	Yea
Council Member Johnsen	Yea
Council Member Perry	Yea
Council Member Marble	Yea

Mayor Miller stated under new business was the vote on the Jimmy and Lacey Munns Subdivision Variance.

A motion was made by Council Member Bourne that we accept the Jimmy and Lacey Munns Subdivision Variance. A second was made by Council Member Marble with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

The next item under new business is to vote on the surplus property. Mayor Miller stated that they have a list in front of them from Sharlet and the police department and asked if there were any questions.

A motion was made by Council Member Marble that we declare this property as surplus. A second was made by Council Member Johnsen with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Miller stated that we will post it in the paper when the bidding will open and close and the list of items will be posted here at city hall.

Mayor Miller stated the final item under new business was to vote on Change Order #6 on the wastewater system rehab project.

A motion was made by Council Member Marble that we approve Changer Order #6 effective today October 18, 2017. A second was made by Council Member Johnsen with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Miller stated that he has been working with all the department heads and on all the departments we are under or right on with all budgets currently.

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

Mayor Miller stated that tomorrow night is meet the candidate's night at 7 pm here in the gym. He encouraged everyone to come and get out and vote and to encourage their friends and family to get out and vote as well.

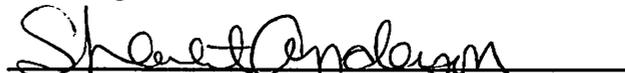
Ila Mae VanValkenburg commented that in the spring she attended a council meeting where we talked about cleaning up the city and making people comply with the nuisance ordinance. She asked if anything was ever done. Mayor Miller replied that the police department gave out a lot of warnings and a few were fined. He stated that is something he is hearing from the residents about while he has been out talking to them and campaigning. He stated that is something we need to push and work hard on. He stated that we need to figure out a way to get it done. We are going to be fierce but also helpful in getting it done.

Council Member Perry commented that as everyone knows, the old school is for sale and he thinks it would be a good idea for the city to take over his lease on the sign out front and move it to the city building. He said the city would own it in twenty-four months and if we get five businesses to commit to \$200 each a month for that time for advertising it will pay for itself.

Mayor Miller stated the next item on the agenda is the approval of the coding for accounts payable and payroll and utility account adjustments.

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

Council Member Bingham made a motion to adjourn at 8:26 pm. A second was made by Council Member Bourne with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.


Sharlet Anderson, Recorder