

CITY OF COOLIDGE COUNCIL MEETING

July 19th, 2023

Mayor Tonia Bruckner called the Coolidge City Council Meeting to order in a Called Session at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Council Members, Ami Bauer, Logan Alcorn, Katherine Hayes, and Eddie Quinton

Absent: Rhonda Ivy

Visitors: See attached list

New Business

- Approval of Minutes from June 14th & June 28th,2023: Katherine Hayes made the motion to approve the minutes. Ami Bauer seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Payment of the Bills: Ami Bauer made the motion to approve the bills. Logan Allcorn seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Fence replacement around Imhoff: Logan Allcorn made the motion to allow the mayor to approve lowest bid when final bid is received. Katherine Hayes seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Mowing Updates on Alley Ways and Ditches: Paul Finley presented to council his updates to council. County mowed high ditches and will be spraying ditches with weed killer sometime next week. No action taken.
- Deposit for use of Sewer Tape: Logan Allcorn made the motion to approve a \$400.00 deposit to be paid at time of use of sewer tape. Deposit will be refunded when sewer tape is returned to the city. Ami Bauer seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Amendments on Water Service Application Agreement and Water Ordinance No# 07-11-95: Ami Bauer made the motion to approve the amendments combining suggestions from City Attorney Adam Miles using City of Temple Water Ordinance Section C and City of Terrell, section 12-3. Eddie Quinton seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Dates for Budget Workshop: Ami Bauer made the motion to approve August 12th, 2023 at 8:00 am for the workshop to be held. Katherine Hayes seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Employee Probation Period: Ami Bauer made the motion to keep the probation period to 90 days. Katherine Hayes seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- Council convened in Executive Session at 7:00 pm to interview Michael Carter for the Chief of Police position and reconvened at 7:46 pm

- **Action Taken in Executive Session:** Logan Allcorn made the motion to complete all background checks on Michael Carter and call a special meeting if necessary once information is completed to discuss. Ami Bauer seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.
- **Adjourn:** At 7:48 pm Ami Bauer made the motion to adjourn. Eddie Quinton seconded. Four in favor with one absent. Motion carried.