

## Meeting Minutes

November 4, 2019

The Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Sweetwater met in their regular monthly meeting on Monday, November 4, 2019 at 5 p.m. Commissioners present being: Lamar Hughes, Sam Moser, Alan Richeson, Billy G. West, and Bill W. Stockton. City Attorney John Cleveland was present. The meeting was opened with The Lord's Prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, led by Community Development Coordinator Ashley Myers.

Commissioner Richeson moved to approve the minutes from the meeting of October 7, 2019 and the workshop of October 28, 2019. Commissioner Moser seconded the motion. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

After the Recorder's report, Commissioner Hughes moved to approve the distributions for the month of October, 2019. Commissioner Moser seconded the motion. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

A public hearing was opened to take comments on Ordinance No. 975 to amend Title 4. No written or oral comments were given. The public hearing was closed.

Commissioner Moser moved to approve Ordinance No. 975 entitled An Ordinance to Amend Title 4, Municipal Personnel, Chapter 6, Sexual Harassment on second and final reading. Commissioner Richeson seconded the motion. Upon Roll Call Voting, the Ayes were as follows: Commissioners Hughes, Moser, Richeson, West, and Stockton. Nays being none. The motion was carried.

Commissioner Moser moved to approve the Resolution adopting a comprehensive policy regarding use of city property owners by the City of Sweetwater. Commissioner West seconded the motion. All voted in favor, with none opposed. The motion was carried.

In New Business, Mayor Lowe requested an update on the police wrecker rotation policy from Commissioner Stockton and Chief Byrum. Commissioner Stockton noted all four operators appeared to be in compliance for Sweetwater Police Department. Mayor Lowe asked Chief Byrum to review these periodically to ensure continued compliance.

Commissioner Stockton moved to approve the hiring of Tyler Blankenship as an auxiliary officer. All commissioners agreed to the hiring.

City Recorder Jessica Morgan reviewed the quarterly financial report, noting that sales tax was coming in as projected and occupancy tax was coming in 30% higher than projected. Expenditures were on track as budgeted as well.

Mayor Lowe invited the board members to attend local Veterans Day celebrations and the VFW Salute to Veterans this Saturday.

Mayor Lowe noted the November and December workshops would be cancelled unless action was needed on pressing business.

No further action was taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:12 p.m.

This the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019.

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MAYOR

AUTHENTICATED:

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City Recorder