



CITY OF ANSON

1301 Commercial Ave
Anson, Texas 79501

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Minutes

Anson City Council Meeting

The Anson City Council held a meeting on the 22nd day of February 2021 at 6:00pm at the Anson City Hall 1301 Commercial Avenue, Anson, TX 79501. Members of the council in attendance Larry White, Robert Patterson, Linda Powell, Evelyn Edwards, Leticia Hernandez, and Mayor Sara Alfaro (arriving at agenda item B). Also in attendance City Manager Sonny Campbell, City Attorney Chad Cowan, and Police Chief Coy Sanchez.

Mayor Pro-tem Evelyn Edwards called the meeting to order at 5:01pm and Larry White provided the opening prayer.

A. Presentation from Citizens. No formal action may be taken. (Limit 5 minutes per spokesperson).

None.

B. Conduct interviews with Municipal Judge Candidates. (The Council may adjourn into executive session as allowed in Texas Gov`t Code 551.074 Personnel Matters.)

The council adjourned into executive session to conduct interviews with Gary Beesinger, DeeAnn Powers, and Tiana Hale at 5:04pm. The council reconvened into open session at 6:20pm with no action taken.

C. Discuss and take action on the appointment of the Anson Municipal Judge. (The Council may adjourn into executive session as allowed in Texas Gov`t Code 551.074 Personnel Matters.)

Larry White motioned to offer the position to DeeAnn Powers at the rate of \$20.00 per hour and be able to work Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday. Evelyn Edwards seconded. All approved.

D. Discuss and take action on the February 8, 2021 City Council meeting minutes.

Evelyn Edwards motioned to approve the minutes with amendments to all agenda items changing Second to Seconded. Robert Patterson seconded. All approved.

E. Discuss and take action on Hawley water rates.

City Manager Campbell informed the council of the current \$3.45 per thousand gallons rate being charged and recommended that the city increase the rate being charged.

Evelyn Edwards motioned to charge \$5.50 per thousand gallons of water. Robert Patterson seconded. All approved.

F. City Manager Report.

a. Update on the city`s utilities and equipment due to weather.

City Manager Sonny Campbell updated the council of the damages and overall effects of the blizzard on the city`s equipment and utilities.

b. Discuss and take action on the construction of facilities

1. Water Plant.

Sonny presented the council with a 20X20 ft building that would be used to cover the pumps at the water plant to prevent freezing in the future for \$6,225.00 plus the cost of spray insulation.



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Evelyn Edwards motioned to approve the purchase of the building for \$6,225.00 plus the cost of insulation. Larry White seconded. All approved.

2. City barn.

Sonny presented the council with a 30X80 ft building that would replace the dilapidated barn used now. The new building will utilize the existing foundation and plumbing. The building will serve as storage for vehicles, equipment, supply storage, and a break area for the employees.

Robert Patterson motioned to approve the purchase of the building for \$23,600.00 plus the cost of insulation. Larry White seconded. All approved.

3. City Equipment.

Sonny presented the council with a 50X100 ft building that would be used to store vehicles/equipment for protection from the elements. Evelyn Edwards motioned that Sonny seek bids for the building with and without a concrete foundation and that he also seek financing options for its construction. Robert Patterson seconded. All approved.

G. Discuss and take action on the accounts payable.

Evelyn Edwards motioned to approve the accounts payable and Robert Patterson seconded. All approved.

H. Adjourn.

Robert Patterson motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:20pm and Linda Powell seconded. All approved.

Mayor

Attest