



Minutes Anson City Council Meeting

The Anson City Council conducted a meeting on the 13th day of March 2023. Members of the council in attendance Misti Seay, April Buchanan, Linda Powell, and Mayor Pro-tem Robert Patterson. Also in attendance City Manager Sonny Campbell and Police Chief Daniel Graziose.

Mayor Pro-tem Robert Patterson called the meeting to order at 6:02pm and City Manager Sonny Campbell provided the opening prayer.

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

Susan Holloway asked about the future of EMS and voiced her hope that a solution could be found to continue EMS. City Manager Sonny Campbell explained the financial difficulties of funding EMS.

B. Discuss and take action on the February 27, 2023 City Council meeting minutes.

Linda Powell motioned to approve the minutes, and Misti Seay seconded. All approved.

C. Discuss and take action on the March 6, 2023 Special Called City Council meeting minutes.

April Buchanan motioned to approve the Special Called minutes, and Misti Seay seconded. All Approved.

D. Discuss and take action on awarding a contract for operation of the City Pool. (The council may adjourn into executive session as set out in Texas Gov` t Code 551.071 consultation with attorney.)

City Manager Sonny Campbell informed the council that only one bid was received, and it was from Micki Black. Mayor Pro-tem Robert Patterson opened the sealed bid revealing that Ms. Black is asking for a two-year contract at an annual rate of \$27,000.00. Micki Black stated that if awarded the contract, she would open the pool June 1st and would close depending on when school was starting.

Misti Seay motioned to approve entering a two-year contract with Micki Black to operate the Anson City pool for \$27,000.00 annually, and April Buchanan seconded. All approved.

E. Discuss and take action the Proposed City of Anson 2023-2024 Budget.

City Manager Sonny Campbell informed the council that the loans were combined currently, but would be separated into their individual accounts. Sonny also informed the council that the monies budgeted for EMS under the Fire Department budget could only be used for EMS if they remained in their budget, and that there was no guarantee that the city could acquire EMS this year. Mr. Campbell recommended the council allow the money to be transferred if needed to fund other projects if EMS could not be acquired.

Linda Powell motioned to approve the proposed 2023-2024 with changes to the Fire Department budget allowing the EMS budgeted money to be transferred. Misti Seay seconded. All approved.



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F. Discuss and take action on an Industrial Development Corporation of Anson (IDC) grant to the Anson Girls Blue Bonnet Softball Facility for the purchase of a home plate pad.

Tabled.

G. Police Report for the month of February 2023.

Police Chief Daniel Graziose provided the report of police activity for the month of February 2023.

H. Discuss and take action on the Anson Hardware accounts payable.

Misti Seay motioned to approve the Anson Hardware accounts payable, and April Buchanan seconded. All approved. (Linda Powell, having signed an affidavit of conflict of interest, did not participate in the discussion nor the vote.)

I. Discuss and take action on the accounts payable.

Linda Powell motioned to approve the accounts payable, and Misti Seay seconded. All approved.

J. Adjourn.

April Buchanan motioned to adjourn at 6:38pm, and Linda Powell seconded. All approved.

Mayor

Attest