



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

Thursday, April 6, 2023

Council Meeting - 6:30 PM
CENTER POINT CITY HALL

MINUTES

A. Call to Order

President Pro-tem Tiffany Moore called the meeting to order and established protocol.

B. Invocation

President Pro-tem Tiffany Moore led the invocation.

C. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

President Pro-tem Tiffany Moore led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

D. Roll Call

Councilwomen Copeland, Jones, Moore, and Councilman Williams were in attendance.

E. Public Comment is limited to 4 mins per person. The council will respond after the last comment.

DeArron Marshall stated he is a 2-year resident and owns a construction business. He petitioned the council to consider his business for demolition jobs in the future.

F. Approval of Agenda

Council President Pro-tem Moore presented the agenda for consideration. Councilwoman Jones made a motion to adopt the agenda. Councilwoman Copeland seconded the motion. Upon voice vote, the agenda was adopted unanimously.

G. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to adopt the March 16, 2023 Meeting Minutes. Councilwoman Copeland seconded the motion. Upon voice vote, the motion was adopted unanimously.

G.1. March 16, 2023 Meeting Minutes

H. Consent Agenda

All items designated as "Consent" are routine and non-controversial and will be approved by one motion. NO separate discussion of these items will be permitted unless a Councilmember, the Mayor, or citizen interested in further discussion or hearing so requests, if so, such item (s) will revert to its normal place on the Agenda Order of Business.

President Pro-tem Moore presented the Consent Agenda. All items designated as "Consent" are routine and non-controversial and will be approved by one motion. NO separate discussion of these items will be permitted unless a Councilmember, Mayor or citizens are interested in further discussion or hearing so requests, if so, such item (s) will revert to its normal place on the Agenda Order of Business, Councilwoman Jones made a motion for unanimous consent to consider the Consent Agenda. Councilwoman Copeland seconded the motion. President Pro-tem Moore called for a roll call vote:

Yes: Copeland, Jones, Williams, Moore

No: None

The motion passed unanimously.

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to adopt the Consent Agenda. Councilwoman Copeland seconded the motion. President Pro-tem Moore called for a roll call vote

Yes: Copeland, Jones, Williams, Moore

No: None

The motion passed unanimously.

H.1. Resolution No. 2023-22 Animal Contract Renewal

H.2. Approve Assessment Cost for Abatements

H.3. Resolutions No. 2023-24-43 Authorizing the City Clerk to file liens with the Probate Judge for Nuisance Assessments

H.4. Resolution No. 2023-44 Authorizing Travel Advance

H.5. Proclamation Declaring April 2023 Fair Housing Month

I. Presentation

J. Discussion/Action

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J.1. Announce Public Hearing for Medical Cannabis Dispensaries & Tattoo Shops

J.1.a. May 4, 2023, at 6:30 pm

J.2. Center Point High School's request

Dr. Brown petitioned the city council to partner with Center Point High School to keep the ballfields cut at Erwin Middle School for the next 6 months. President Pro-tem Moore stated the council will get with the city attorney regarding the legality of the request. The city will follow up with Dr. Brown.

J.3. Resolution Awarding Bid for Demolition of 520 Sunhill Road & 1816 1 Street NE

Corey Motley informed attendees his company, Motley Corp, submitted a bid for the Demolition Project. He requested they consider his company.

Councilwoman Copeland made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 2023-45 Awarding the demolition bid to Motley Corp, for \$23,198.00. Councilwoman Jones seconded the motion. Upon voice vote, the motion passed unanimously.

J.4. Resolution Accepting Bid for the Bridge Project at 335 Polly Reed Road

Councilman Williams stated he met with the contractors regarding repairing the bridges at Reed Harvey Park. He obtained additional quotes. Councilwoman Jones made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 2023-46 Awarding the Bid to TNZ Construction for the Bridge Project. Councilwoman Copeland seconded the motion. Upon voice vote, the motion passed unanimously.

K. Reports- Mayor & Committee Chairs

Mayor Scott announced the Opening Day for the Baseball Season is April 16, 2023, and they will have fireworks at dusk. The fireworks display will be done by a professional company,

K.1. Economic Development/Public Safety- President D.M. Collins

K.2. Park & Recreation- Councilman Glenn Williams, Sr.

No report.

K.3. Public Works- Councilwoman Tiffany Moore

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No report.

K.4. Education & Library- Councilwoman Sharon Jones

No report.

K.5. Finance Report-Councilwoman Ebonee Copeland, Chair

No report.

L. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting stood adjourned.

Tameeka Vann, City Clerk

Approved:

Tiffany Moore, President Pro-tem

Date:

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