

CITY OF CUMBY
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 1, 2012

THE CITY OF CUMBY, TEXAS, MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2012, AT 6:00 PM, 100 E. MAIN STREET, CUMBY TEXAS.

THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT: MAYOR JEFF STRICKLAND, ALDERMAN CHUCK TUGGLE, ALDERMAN BILL JENKINS, ALDERMAN CODY TALLEY, ALDERMAN KATHY HALL CARTER, ALDERMAN LARRY WHITE, ANGIE ALLEN, LANORA POWELL, SCOTT SEWELL, DENNY WHEELER, JAMES MURPHY, JESSE LANE, MIKE LANE, BRENDA LALONDE, GREG ROSATO.

1) MAYOR STRICKLAND CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 6:00 PM.

2) ALDERMAN TALLEY MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MONTH MEETING. ALDERMAN TUGGLE SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL APPROVE. MOTION PASSED.

3) PRESENTATION FROM THE CITIZENS: TERESA PETTY
MRS. PETTY ASKED THE COUNCIL IF SOMETHING COULD BE DONE ABOUT THE TREES THAT ARE HANGING OVER THE ROAD ON DENTON STREET. MAYOR STRICKLAND STATED THAT HE HAS SPOKE TO THE HOME OWNER ABOUT THE SITUATION. MRS. PETTY STATED THAT SHE WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER HER TIME TO CLEAN UP THE DEAD TREES.

4) OLD BUSINESS:

- A) STREETS: STREETS IN FAIR CONDITION, WILL PATCH AS NEEDED.
- B) WATER FACILITIES: WELLS PUMPED 2,798,300, WATER SOLD 2,364,600, THE WWTP & CHURCHES USED 407,900. THERE WAS A LOSS OF 25,800 GALLONS. 218 POUNDS OF CHLORINE WERE USED.
- C) SEWER PLANT: CLEANED OUT CONTACT CHAMBER AT WWTP.
- D) WELL SITUATION: WELLS RUNNING GOOD, WILL BE CONDUCTING STATIC LEVEL TESTING ON WELLS NEXT WEEK.
- E) LEAK SITUATION: NO LEAKS REPORTED.

5) NEW BUSINESS:

A) DISCUSS/ACTION GARBAGE PROPOSALS: MAYOR STRICKLAND STATED THAT THE CITY RECEIVED 3 GARBAGE PROPOSALS FROM COUNTRY SANITATION, REPUBLIC SERVICES, AND IESI.
MAYOR STRICKLAND STATED THE CITY COUNCIL WILL NOW GO INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION – UNDER ARTICLE 6252-17 OF THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW. ALDERMAN JENKINS MADE A MOTION TO GO INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION UNDER ARTICLE 6252-17 OF THE OPEN MEETINGS LAW TO DISCUSS GARBAGE

PROPOSALS. THE MAYOR STATED THE TIME AS 6:10 PM. ALDERMAN TUGGLE SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL APPROVE. MOTION PASSED.

OPEN SESSION: THE MAYOR RECONVENED THE MEETING AT 6:21PM. ALDERMAN JENKINS MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE ALTERNATE BID THAT INCLUDED USING 96 GALLON WHEELED CARTS FROM REPUBLIC SERVICES. ALDERMAN TUGGLE SECONDED THE MOTION. THREE VOTES FOR, TWO VOTES AGAINST. MOTION PASSED. MAYOR STRICKLAND THANKED EVERYONE WHO SUBMITTED A PROPOSAL. JESSE LANE FROM COUNTRY SANITATION STATED THAT HE APPRICIATED THE CITY'S BUSINESS FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS.

B) DISCUSS/ACTION ZONING CHANGE/ TRAVIS BAXLEY ZONING BOARD:

MR. BAXLEY STATED THAT THE ZONING BOARD HELD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED ZONING CHANGE. THE ZONING BOARD RECOMENDS THAT THE CITY COUNCIL ISSUE A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT AT 102 W. MAIN STREET. ALDERMAN TUGGLE MADE A MOTION TO ISSUE A SPECIFIC USE PERMIT TO 102 W. MAIN STREET. ALDERMAN TALLEY SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL APPROVE, MOTION PASSED.

6) POLICE DEPT.: FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH THERE WERE A TOTAL OF 191 CITATIONS ISSUED, 1 FELONY ARRESTS, 2 MISD. ARRESTS, 7 OFFENSE REPORTS TAKEN, 3 INCIDENT REPORTS, 3 CASE FILED WITH THE COUNTY ATTORNEY, 1 CASES FILED WITH THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 1 ACCIDENT REPORTED.

7) PAY MONTHLY BILLS: ALDERMAN WHITE MADE A MOTION TO PAY THE MONTHLY BILLS. ALDERMAN JENKINS SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL APPROVE. MOTION PASSED.

8) ITEMS FROM COUNCIL: ALDERMAN HALL-CARTER STATED THAT SHE HAS HAD SEVERAL CITIZENS COMPLAIN ON BURNING PLASTIC SMELL ON FIRSCO, DEPOT AND BARKER STREETS. MAYOR STRICKLAND STATED THAT THE WATER FAUCET IN THE PARK WAS REPORTED BROKEN.

WITH ALL BUSINESS COMPLETE THE MEETING WAS ADJORNED AT 7:35PM.


MAYOR JEFF STRICKLAND

ATTEST:



