

Odessa Town Council Minutes
September 24, 2018

PUBLIC HEARING FOR LIVESTOCK WAIVER

ProTem Mayor Watkins called the public hearing to order at 7:02 p.m. Present were Councilmember Hunt, Councilmember Iverson, Councilmember Kramer, Councilmember Lobe, Councilmember Watkins, Fire Chief Strebeck, Police Chief Clark, PWD Webster and public citizens. Mayor Crossley was absent. A lengthy discussion ensued, including an optional zone change.

REGULAR MEETING CALL TO ORDER

ProTem Mayor Watkins called the public hearing to order at 7:16 p.m. Present were Councilmember Hunt, Councilmember Iverson, Councilmember Kramer, Councilmember Lobe, Councilmember Watkins, Fire Chief Strebeck, Police Chief Clark, PWD Webster and public citizens. Mayor Crossley was absent.

ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS TO AGENDA

There were no additions or deletions to the agenda

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- The minutes of the September 10, 2018 regular meeting were approved upon a motion by Councilmember Kramer, seconded by Councilmember Lobe.

APPROVAL OF FINANCIALS

- The September Claims checks # 8070-8084 in the amount of \$37,368.04 were approved upon a motion by Councilmember Lobe, seconded by Councilmember Hunt.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Ms. Angela Juarez Hays presented Council with a written request to keep FFA chickens on her property.

ProTem Mayor Watkins read aloud OMC 17.08.220.

Ms. Joyce McNeil presented council with a written request to keep her pet rabbit.

Ms. Paige Smith made a verbal request to keep her pet rabbit.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Nuisance Ordinance 696 was read and approved upon a motion by Councilmember Hunt, seconded by Councilmember Lobe.
- Ordinance 697 Amending Dangerous Dog Definition was read and passed upon a motion by Councilmember Iverson, seconded by Councilmember Kramer.
- Council did not receive a reply or the neighborhood approval letters as requested from Ms. Gundstrom. The approval of the emotional support rabbit was conditional upon receipt of the neighborhood approval letter consequently the request is hereby denied by consensus.
- The Waiver to Livestock Ordinance for Ms. Iverson was tabled until the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

- The Odessa Memorial Hospital Mutual Aid Agreement was read and approved upon a motion by Councilmember Kramer, seconded by Councilmember Hunt.

FIRE REPORT

Chief Strebeck reported on departmental activities.

POLICE REPORT

Chief Clark reported on departmental activities.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

PWD Webster reported on departmental activities.

COUNCIL REPORT

There were no council reports.

MAYORS REPORT

There was no Mayor's Report.

ADJOURN

With no further business ProTem Watkins declared the meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Mayor William F. Crossley

ATTEST:

Denise Snead, Clerk-Treasurer