

**SPECIAL (CALLED) STATED SESSION
GILMER CITY COUNCIL
TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2019 5:15 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
110 BUFFALO, GILMER, TEXAS**

COUNCIL PRESENT:

**MAYOR TIM MARSHALL
COUNCILMAN WILLIAM HORNSBY, DISTRICT 1
COUNCILMAN MARTY JORDAN, DISTRICT 2
COUNCILMAN MICHAEL CHEVALIER, AT-LARGE
COUNCILMAN JAROM TEFTELLER AT-LARGE
COUNCILMEMBER TEATHEL HOLLIS, DISTRICT 4
COUNCILMAN BRIAN WILLIAMS, DISTRICT 3**

STAFF PRESENT:

**GREG HUTSON, CITY MANAGER
MARIA CISNEROS, CITY SECRETARY
STEPHANIE ELLIS, FINANCE DIRECTOR
HERMAN MONTGOMERY, GILMER POLICE DPT
JERRY TAYLOR, FIRE CHIEF**

OTHERS PRESENT:

**PHILLIP WILLIAMS
W.T. TURNER
EDDIE TURNER
STEVE DEAN**

MINUTES

**1. CALL TO ORDER
INVOCATION
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Tim Marshall called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. The invocation was led by Councilman William Hornsby and pledge of allegiance by Mayor Tim Marshall.

**2. CITIZEN COMMENTS
No Citizen Comments**

3. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 19-025 ADOPTING THE CITY BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF GILMER, TEXAS, FOR THE ONE YEAR PERIOD BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2019 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020 (ENCLOSURE).

Mayor Tim Marshall addressed council regarding proposed budget for the fiscal year 2019-2020. Mayor Tim Marshall mentioned two matters that were not mentioned in last Council meeting. This budget includes part-time utility clerk position going full time position beginning October 1, 2019. In addition, City Councilmembers will receive a \$25.00 per month increase.

Councilman William Hornsby made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 19-025 adopting budget with a second by Councilmember Teathel Hollis and a vote of 7/0 for approval.

4. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING PUBLIC HEARINGS ON PROPOSED TAX RATE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020 (ENCLOSURE).

Councilmember Teathel Hollis made a motion to approve public hearings on proposed tax rate with a second by Councilman Michael Chevalier and a vote of 7/0 for approval.

5. HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF GILMER, TEXAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020. THE PROPOSED TAX RATE IS \$0.629523 PER \$100.00 (ENCLOSURE).

Public hearing opened at 5:20 p.m.

The effective tax rate is the total rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for the City from the same properties in both the 2018 tax year and the 2019 tax year. A property tax rate of 0.629523 per \$100 valuation has been the same for the last three years.

Public hearing closed at 5:22 p.m.

6. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 19-027 AMENDING CHAPTER 86, TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, ARTICLE 4, STOPPING, STANDING, PARKING, DIVISION 2, SPECIFIC PLACES, OF THE CITY OF GILMER CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING SECTION 86-193, NO PARKING ON SCOTT STREET: ADDING (1) SCOTT STREET ALONG BOTH SIDES OF SAID STREET, BETWEEN BLEDSOE AND BRADFORD SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS A NO PARKING ZONE ON THE DAYS OF HOME FOOTBALL GAMES UNTIL NOVEMBER 8, 2019 (ENCLOSURE).

No Action Taken

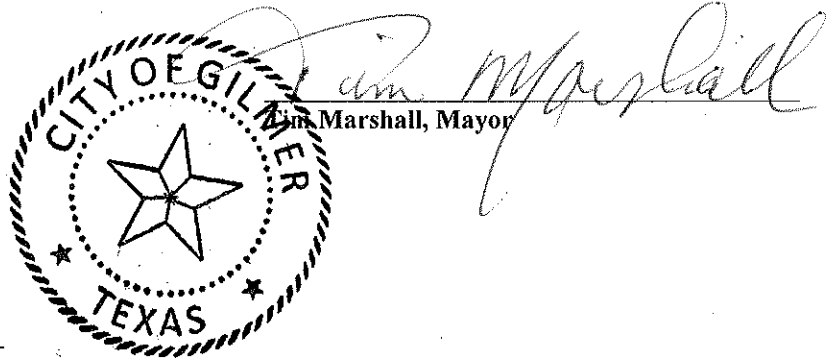
7. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING STREET CLOSURE OF DAVIS STREET FROM BUFFALO TO SH154 FOR BLOCK PARTY ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2019 FROM 5PM UNTIL 9PM.

Councilman Michael Chevalier made a motion to approve street closure with a second by Councilmember Teathel Hollis and a vote of 7/0 for approval.

8. ADJOURN

Councilman Brian Williams made a motion to adjourn with a second by Councilmember Teathel Hollis and a vote of 7/0 for approval.

Meeting Adjourned at 5:32 p.m.



ATTEST:



Maria Cisneros, City Secretary