

GILMER CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL(CALLED)STATED SESSION  
**VIA TELEPHONE CONFERENCE**  
TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2020 5:15 P.M.  
110 BUFFALO, GILMER, TEXAS

**COUNCIL PRESENT:** MAYOR TIM MARSHALL  
MAYOR PRO-TEM WILLIAM HORNSBY, DISTRICT 1  
COUNCILMEMBER TEATHEL HOLLIS, DISTRICT 4  
COUNCILMAN MARTY JORDAN, DISTRICT 2

**COUNCIL ABSENT:** COUNCILMAN JAROM TEFTELLER, AT-LARGE  
COUNCILMAN BRIAN WILLIAMS, DISTRICT 3  
COUNCILMAN MICHAEL CHEVALIER, AT-LARGE

**STAFF PRESENT:** GREG HUTSON, CITY MANAGER  
MARIA CISNEROS, CITY SECRETARY  
MIKE MARTIN, CITY ATTORNEY

**OTHERS PRESENT:** PHILLIP WILLIAMS  
ALISE NOLAN  
HUEY MITCHELL  
JOHN MARTIN, HILLTOP SECURITIES  
JEFF GULBAS, McCALL,PARKHURST & HORTON  
ED WILLIAMS, WILLIAMS INSURANCE

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MINUTES

**1. CALL TO ORDER**  
INVOCATION  
ROLL CALL

Mayor Tim Marshall called the meeting to order at 5:17 p.m. The invocation was led by Councilman William Hornsby and roll call was announced by City Secretary Maria Cisneros.

**2. CITIZEN COMMENT**

No citizen comments

**3. CONSENT AGENDA**

- a. Consider approval of City minutes from May 12, 2020
- b. Consider approval of Expense Report May, 2020

Councilmember Teathel Hollis made a motion to approve consent agenda with a second by Councilman William Hornsby and a vote 4/0 for approval.

**4. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 20-015 AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF CITY OF GILMER OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2020; APPOINTING A PRICING OFFICER AND DELEGATING TO THE PRICING OFFICER THE AUTHORITY TO APPROVE THE SALE OF THE BONDS; ESTABLISHING CERTAIN PARAMETERS FOR THE SALE OF THE BONDS;LEVYING AN ANNUAL AD**

**VALOREM TAX AND PROVIDING FOR THE SECURITY FOR AND PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS;AND ENACTING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE SUBJECT(ENCLOSURE).**

John Martin, regional managing director with Hilltop Securities discussed refunding information with council.

Councilmember Teathel Hollis made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 20-015 and a second by Councilman William Hornsby and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

**5. CONSIDER DISCUSSION AND TAKE ACTION REGARDING CERTIFICATE FOR ORDINANCE (ENCLOSURE).**

This was part of agenda item no. 4 and ordinance was approved.

**6. CONSIDER AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVAL OF TITUS STREET CLOSURE AND INTERSECTIONS WALKER, MADISON, SCOTT, TAYLOR, AND CASS AND CLOSURE AT JEFFERSON AND BUFFALO STREET TO GILMER HIGH SCHOOL WITH CLOSURES ON THE INTERSECTIONS TRINITY, MONTGOMERY, NORTH BLEDSOE, AND ALLEN STREETS FOR GILMER HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2020 PARADE (ENCLOSURE).**

Councilman William Hornsby made a motion to approve street closure with the approval of different parade route with a second by Councilmember Teathel Hollis and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

**7. CONSIDER AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVAL OF STREET CLOSURE OF SIMPSON STREET FROM STATE HIGHWAY 154 TO JEFFERSON/BUFFALO STREET FROM 11:00 AM UNTIL 6:30 PM EVERY SATURDAY FOR THE MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER 2020 FOR THE FARMER'S MARKET (ENCLOSURE).**

No Action Taken

**8. CONSIDER AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION DISCOUNTING FEES FOR PEDDLER'S PERMIT IF PERMIT IS PURCHASED ALL DAYS FOR FARMERS MARKET.**

City Manager Greg Hutson recommended discounting the peddler's permit fee to \$75.00 if each permit holder purchased peddlers permit for all days for Farmers Market.

Councilmember Teathel Hollis made a motion to approve discounting permit fees with a second by Councilman William Hornsby and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

**9. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 20-004 NOMINATING RICHARD GAGE FOR A TWO YEAR TERM POSITION ON THE UPSHUR COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS (ENCLOSURE).**

No Action Taken

**10. CONSIDER AND TAKE ACTION MOVING FUTURE CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS TO GILMER CIVIC CENTER BEGINNING IN JUNE 2020.**

Open meetings suspension ends June 12, 2020, moving future meetings to Gilmer Civic Center will allow everyone to continue with social distancing.

Councilman William Hornsby made a motion to approve moving future City Council Meetings with a second by Councilmember Teathel Hollis and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

**11. CONSIDER AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE LOCAL DISASTER DECLARATION ISSUED ON MARCH 31, 2020.**

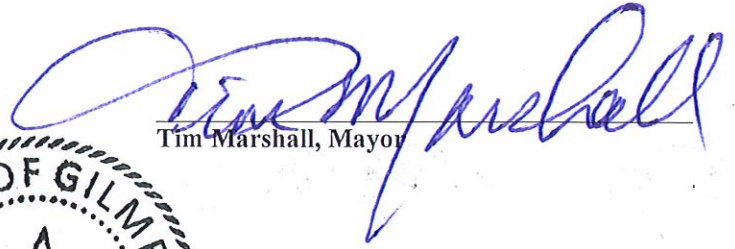
Councilman William Hornsby made a motion to allow City Manager Greg Hutson and City Attorney Mike Martin to amend local disaster with a second by Councilman Marty Jordan and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

**12. ADJOURN**

Councilman William Hornsby made a motion to adjourn with a second by Councilman Marty Jordan and a vote of 4/0 for

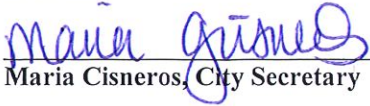
approval.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:27 p.m.



Tim Marshall, Mayor

ATTEST:



Maria Cisneros, City Secretary

