GILMER CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL (CALLED) STATED SESSION COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17th, 2022 4:30 P.M. 110 BUFFALO, GILMER, TEXAS

COUNCIL PRESENT:

MAYOR TIM MARSHALL

COUNCILMAN JAROM TEFTELLER, AT-LARGE COUNCILMAN EDWIN P HERRMANN, DISTRICT 3

COUNCILMEMBER JASMINE CUNNINGHAM, DISTRICT4

COUNCIL ABSENT:

MAYOR PRO-TEM WILLIAM HORNSBY, DISTRICT 1 COUNCILMAN MICHAEL CHEVALIER, AT-LARGE COUNCILMAN MARTY JORDAN, DISTRICT 2

STAFF PRESENT:

GREG HUTSON, CITY MANAGER MARIA CISNEROS, CITY SECRETARY MIKE MARTIN, CITY ATTORNEY JERRY TAYLOR, FIRE CHIEF

OTHERS PRESENT:

PHILIP WILLIAMS, GILMER MIRROR

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MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER INVOCATION ROLL CALL

Mayor Tim Marshall called the meeting to order at 4:32 p.m. The invocation was led by Councilmember Edwin P. Herrmann and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilmember Jarom Tefteller.

2. CITIZEN COMMENT

No citizen comments

3. CONSIDER AND ACT ON AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL TO APPROVE THE ORDER OF ELECTION FOR A GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD MAY 7, 2022 CONSIDERAR Y ACTUAR EN AUTORIZAR EL ALCALDE Y EL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL APROBAR EL ORDEN DE ELECCIÓN PARA UNA ELECCIÓN GENERAL QUE SE CELEBRARÁ EL 7 DE MAYO DE 2022

Councilmember Edwin P Herrmann made a motion to accept order of election for general election to be held on May 7, 2022 with a second by Councilmember Jasmine Cunningham and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

4. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 22-005 CALLING FOR A GENERAL ELECTION TO ELECT COUNCILMEMBERS FROM DISTRICT(S) ONE, FOUR AND AT-LARGE FOR TWO-YEAR TERMS IN THE CITY OF GILMER, TEXAS TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 7TH, 2022, ESTABLISHING DATE OF THE ELECTION, PROVIDING FOR EARLY VOTING; DESIGNATING POLLING PLACE; APPOINTING ELECTION JUDGE(S); PROVIDING FOR COMPENSATION OF ELECTION WORKERS; FINDING AND DETERMINING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH THIS ORDINANCE WAS PASSED COMPLIED WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT; MAKING OTHER FINDINGS AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

CONSIDERAR Y TOMAR ACCIÓN PARA APROBAR LA ORDENANZA NÚM. 22-005 CONVOCANDO UNA ELECCIÓN GENERAL PARA ELEGIR MIEMBROS DEL CONSEJO PARA LOS DISTRITOS UNO, CUATRO, Y EL DISTRITO EN GENERAL POR TÉRMINOS DE DOS AÑOS EN LA CIUDAD DE GILMER, TEXAS, A CELEBRARSE EL SÁBADO, 7 DE MAYO DE 2022, ESTABLECIENDO LA FECHA DE LA ELECCIÓN, PROVEYENDO PARA LA VOTACIÓN ANTICIPADA (ADELANTADA); DESIGNANDO EL LUGAR DE VOTACIÓN; NOMBRANDO JUEZ (JUECES) DE ELECCIÓN; PROVEYENDO PARA LA COMPENSACIÓN PARA TRABAJADORES ELECTORALES; INVESTIGANDO Y DETERMINANDO QUE LA REUNIÓN EN LA QUE ESTA ORDENANZA FUE APROBADA CUMPLIÓ CON LA LEY DE TEXAS DE REUNIONES

Councilmember Jarom Tefteller made a motion to approve Ordinance No. 22-005 with a second by Councilmember Edwin P. Herrmann and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

- 5. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVING CLOSURE OF THE FOLLOWING CITY STREETS FOR CHILI COOK OFF BEGINNING ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. UNTIL SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2022 AT 10:00 A.M.
 - a. Simpson Street from Hwy 154 to Jefferson St.

Councilmember Edwin P Herrmann made a motion to approve street closure for chili cook off with a second by Councilmember Jarom Tefteller and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

6. CONSIDER DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE NO.22-006 ESTABLISHING AND IMPLEMENTING A PROGRAM TO CHARGE MITIGATION RATES FOR THE DEPLOYMENT OF EMERGENCY AND NON-EMEGENCY SERVICES BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR SERVICES PROVIDED/RENDERED FOR THE CITY OF GILMER FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Chief Jerry Taylor stated that this is an update to amend ordinance for new rates. Rates are charged to insurance.

Councilmember Jarom Tefteller made a motion to approve ordinance no. 22-006 with a second by Mayor Tim Marshall and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

7. CONSIDER AND ACT ON APPROVAL OF ORDINANCE NO. 22-007 AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 18-020 GAMING REGULATIONS, SECTION 4 PREREQUISITES OF LICENSING, (A)2 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF GILMER, TEXAS.

City Manager Greg Hutson stated that our current gaming ordinance no. 18-020 states no amusement redemption machine shall be located within 300 feet of a residential use or residential district, church, school, daycare, city park, library, or public swimming pool/splash park. City Manager Greg Hutson recommended to Council to amend ordinance no. 18-020 by adding senior citizen care facility.

Councilmember Jarom Tefteller made a motion to amend current ordinance no 18-020 Section 4 (A) 2 adding senior citizen care facility with a second by Councilmember Edwin P. Herrmann and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

Councilmember Jarom Tefteller made a motion to adjourn with a second by Councilmember Jasmine Cunningham and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Councilmember Jarom Tefteller made a motion to go back in session with a second by Councilmember Edwin P. Herrmann and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

Meeting back in session at 4:46 p.m to take roll call vote for agenda item no. 6.

Councilmember Edwin P Herrmann made a motion to adjourn with a second by Councilmember Jarom Tefteller and a vote of 4/0 for approval.

Meeting adjourned at 4:47 p.m.

Tim Marshall, Mayor

ATTEST:

Maria Cisneros, City Secretary