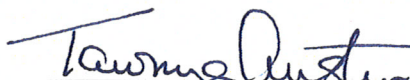


# Minutes


July 18<sup>th</sup> 2019 @ 6:00pm  
Regular Council Meeting

1. Call to Order @ 6:00 pm.
2. Council Members Whitfill, M<sup>c</sup>Donald, Napoles, Sestito, and Harrison were present. Quorum was established with Mayor Austin presiding.
3. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance by Mayor Austin.
4. Citizen Comments: Citizens wishing to speak on an agenda item must sign up to do so (3 Minute Maximum)
5. Approve Minutes: June 20<sup>th</sup> 2019, Special Meeting and June 20<sup>th</sup> 2019 Regular Meeting. Motion to approve was made by Council Member McDonald, second by Council Member Whitfill. Motion passed 5/0.
6. Approve Consent Agenda Items "A" thru "G"; Monthly Activity Reports for June 2019 as presented: (A) Municipal Court; (B) Police; (C) Financial and Expenditure; (D) Maintenance; (E) Building (F) Code Enforcement and; (G) Animal Control. Motion to approve was made by Council Member Napoles, second by Council Member Sestito. Motion passed 5/0.
7. General discussion regarding the order of a special election for the purpose of authorizing an additional sales and use tax of one percent (1%) to perform maintenance and repair work on municipal streets of the city. Mayor Austin stated that we were one of the only Cities on the lake that does not have the additional 1% sales tax. She went on to explain that if approved, this tax would be dedicated for road maintenance and would generate a million dollars over the next ten years which would help us pay down current debt and finish roads sooner. Community Member Dale Price asked when this would be approved. Mayor Austin stated that the election would be ordered at next month's meeting. Council Member Whitfill asked about the expiration of the tax levy and stated that she was in favor of it not expiring. Council Member Sestito stated that the tax revenue could only be used to repair existing streets, but not build new streets. Community Member from Paradise Bay POA asked for a timeline on street repairs. Mayor Austin said it was her hope, if this tax was approved, to do more roads in 2020 but a lot had to happen before then and that it takes a Council vote.
8. Staff
9. Next Meeting: August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019
10. Adjourn @ 6:26 pm

  
Tawnya Austin, Mayor



Attest:

  
Makenzie Lyons, City Secretary