

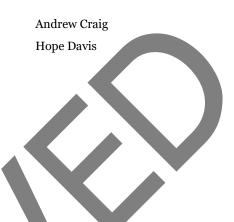
OWENS CROSS ROADS CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION MINUTES Tuesday, March 26, 2024 @ 6:00 p.m. Owens Cross Roads Court Room | 9032 Highway 431 S.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tony Craig, Mayor Scott Baker Elizabeth Craig Claude Lang Terry Mann **ABSENT:** James Mann

CITY HALL STAFF PRESENT:

Teresa Carpenter, Revenue Clerk Jason Dobbins, Police Chief Christie Eason, City Clerk Tim Gaines, Building Inspector Sonny Hatcher, Chaplain Lora Martin, Building Clerk Scott Worsham, Police Lieutenant **GUESTS PRESENT:**



MAYOR CRAIG: CALL TO ORDER @ 6:00 pm

MAYOR CRAIG: Stated that beginning with this Council meeting that the city will have an invocation before the pledge at each council meeting, as authorized by the State and Federal Government. The Chaplains for the City of Owens Cross Roads will lead the invocation for each meeting. If a pastoral leader within the city limits of Owens Cross Roads would like an opportunity to offer the invocation, they should contact our City Clerk, Christie Eason.

DR. SONNY HATCHER, CHAPLAIN: Invocation

TERRY MANN: Pledge of Allegiance

Meeting Minutes for March 12th Work Session, March 12th Regular Session and Bank Balances as of March 26, 2024 presented by Christie Eason, City Clerk/Treasurer

Motion to Approve: Claude Lang; 2nd Scott Baker

Terry MannElizabeth CraigYeaYea	Scott Baker	Mayor Tony Craig	Claude Lang	James Mann
	Yea	Yea	Yea	Absent

Minutes & Bank Balances APPROVED

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Resolution No. 24-012: Adaption of additional employee handbook policy regarding gym benefit Christie Eason, City Clerk explained

Motion to Approve: Terry Mann; 2nd Elizabeth Craig

Yea

Resolution No. 24-012: Approved and Adopted

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2. Resolution No. 24-013: Approving financial responsibility of gym benefit by City of Owens Cross Roads Christie Eason, City Clerk explained

Motion to Approve: Terry Mann; 2nd Claude Lang

Terry Mann	Elizabeth Craig	Scott Baker	Mayor Tony	Claude Lang	James Mann
Yea	Yea	Yea	Craig	Yea	Absent
			Yea		

Resolution No. 24-013: Approved and Adopted

3. Ordinance No. 24-004: Establishing regulations for campaign persons and signs Christie Eason, City Clerk explained

Motion to consider: Scott Baker; 2nd Elizabeth Craig

Terry Mann	Elizabeth Craig	Scott Baker	Mayor Tony Craig	Claude	Lang	James Mann
Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea		Absent

Motion to approve: Claude Lang; 2nd Scott Baker

Terry Mann	Elizabeth Craig	Scott Baker	Mayor Tony Craig	Claude Lang	James Mann
Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	Absent

Ordinance No. 24-004: Approved and Adopted

Department Comments

- a. Building Department: Lora Martin/Tim Gaines quarterly report included in packet
- b. Business License & Sewer Department: Teresa Carpenter getting caught up on business license; working on letter for overdue sewer accounts; working on getting cheaper postage rates for bulk mailing
- c. Court: Brandy Wilson/Polly Blalock absent
- d. Fire Department: Shannon Drake, Fire Chief/Bruce Swanson, Deputy Chief absent
- e. Local Government & Finances: Christie Eason, City Clerk Statement of Economic Interest reports due; working with Lexipol & Lora on personnel handbook; working on City App; Audit underway;
- f. Maintenance/Trash: C.T Locke (absent)
- g. Police Department: Jason Dobbins, Chief of Police/Scott Worsham, Lieutenant monthly report included in packet; working with Lexipol on Police Department SOP

Council Members Canvassed by Mayor Craig

Terry Mann – nothing

Elizabeth Craig - Bingo fundraiser for Reserve Police Officers - getting a lot of good support from community

Scott Baker - nothing

Claude Lang - nothing

James Mann – absent

Christie Eason, City Clerk – stated that Jake Roth, City Engineer is working with ALDOT and the City Attorneys on the blockade option for the lift station on Hamer Road. Thanked Scott Baker, Councilman for bringing it up in the council meeting last meeting.

Motion to Adjourn: Scott Baker; 2nd by Claude Lang

Terry Mann	Elizabeth Craig	Scott Baker	Mayor Tony Craig	Claude Lang	James Mann	ĺ
Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	Yea	

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:12 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by: Christie Eason, City Clerk and Teresa Carpenter, Revenue Clerk