

CITY OF EMORY

Minutes of the City Council Meeting Tuesday the 18th Day of May 2021 at 7:00 pm

The City Council of Emory met May 18, 2021 at 7:00 pm with the following members present: Mayor Earl Hill III, Mayor Pro-Tem Blake Cooper, Emery Cathey, Travis Potts, Jannie Stephens. Others present: Relentless Motor Cycle Club, Southern Heritage Motor Cycle Club, City Attorney Philip Alexander, City Administrator Mike Dunn, Public Works Director Blake Brumit, Chief of Police Cliff Gloar, Officer Keith Lewis and City Secretary Donna Raper.

Meeting called to order by Mayor Earl Hill III at 7:00 pm.

Invocation and Pledges given by Jannie Stephens and Earl Hill III.

Consent Agenda

Motion made by Blake Cooper, seconded by Jannie Stephens to approve the consent agenda, approving minutes from the April 20, 2021 City Council meeting, payments of the bills and the Interlocal Governmental Service Agreement between the County of Rains and the City of Emory. Motion carried unanimously.

Items for Consideration and/ or Action

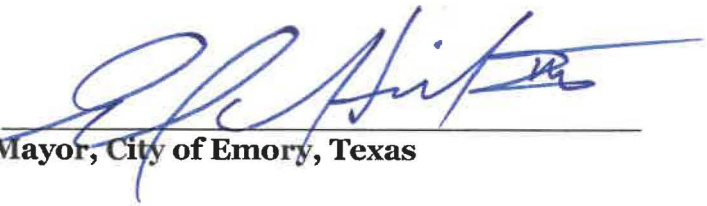
- A. Mayor - Earl Hill III, Place 2 - Travis Potts and Place- 3 Emery Cathey were sworn into office.
- B. Mayor Earl Hill III presented A Proclamation Proclaiming the Month of May as Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month.
- C. Departmental updates: Dunn stated with City's Code Enforcement Officer Ed Hall retiring, the city will need to consider an outside inspector, Ed Hall has been handling the inspection. With that being said, the permit fees for residential and commercial will increase to \$450.00 up from \$150.00 and \$200.00 respectively. Dunn also provided information on the City's electric bill from Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT), went from regular amount of \$5000.00 to almost \$25,000.00, with the contract the City of Emory has with ERCOT allows for such an increase and the city would need to pay the amount.
- D. Motion made by Emery Cathey, seconded by Blake Cooper to reappoint Landon Williams, Don Spencer, Lori Honeycutt, and Mary White to the Planning and Zoning Commission. Motion carried unanimously.
- E. Motion made by Blake Cooper, seconded by Travis Potts to amend the date on the Order of Cancellation of the May 1, 2021 Election from May 1, 2021 to March 16, 2021. Motion carried unanimously.
- F. Motion made by Travis Potts, seconded by Jannie Stephens appointing Blake Cooper as Mayor Pro-Tem. Emory Cathey voted for and Blake Cooper abstained.

Executive Session

City council did not go into executive session.

Motion made by Emery Cathey seconded by Jannie Stephens to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:21 pm.



Mayor, City of Emory, Texas

ATTEST:



City Secretary