

Meeting Minutes

July 31, 2017

The Mayor and Board of Commissioners met in a workshop session and called meeting on Monday, July 31, 2017 at 5 pm at City Hall.

Mayor Lowe called the meeting to order with Commissioners present being: Commissioner Lamar Hughes, Sam Moser, Edward Lee, Billy G. West, and Bill W. Stockton. City Attorney John Cleveland was not present.

A public hearing was opened to take comment on Ordinance NO. 951 to amend the budget for the year ending June 30, 2017. No written or oral comments were given. The public hearing was closed at 5:05 p.m.

Commissioner Hughes moved to approve Ordinance NO. 951 to amend the budget for the year ending June 30, 2017 on second and final reading. Commissioner Stockton seconded the motion. Upon Roll Call Voting, the Ayes were as follows: Commissioner Hughes, Moser, Lee, West, and Stockton. Nays being none. The motion was carried.

In the workshop discussion, Mayor Lowe raised the issue of the property adjacent to Hunt Commons, which was available for purchase. Commissioner West requested the city investigate an offer that was made through City Attorney John Cleveland a few years ago on a land swap. No action was taken.

Commissioner Stockton passed a long a request from Sweetwater Utilities Board to consider raising the salary for board members to \$400 per month, the same as City Commissioners. The board indicated they were not interested in increasing the salary at this time. No action was taken.

Commissioner Moser updated the board that the SJHS gymnasium project would be bid at the end of August.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

This the 31st day of July, 2017.