

TOWN OF WILLIAMSTON

Regular Meeting

September 14, 2015 Meeting Minutes

(All newspapers were informed of this meeting in compliance with the guidelines set forth in the Freedom of Information Act)

1. Call to Order

Mayor Durham called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. All council members were present.

2. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance

Councilman Scott led the invocation and the Mayor led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Councilman Burgess to accept the August 6th minutes as presented. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. All voted in favor.

4. Public Comments

Daniel Gamble spoke to the council about his approval of the things happening in Williamston.

5. Presentations

Captain Marsee gave an update on the police department. Sonya Crandell gave an update on the Envision Williamston program and the statistics of the Spring Water festival. Rusty Burns, the County Administrator, spoke on behalf of Senator O'dell asking the Town Council to vote to appointment Mary Frances Cole as a assistant municipal judge.

6. Presentation of Bike/Pedestrian Plan

Alta Planning gave a presentation of the bike/pedestrian plan to the council that was done with a GPATS grant awarded to the town. They presented their recommendations along with suggestions on how to fund the project.

7. Appointment of Assistant Municipal Judge

A motion was made by Councilman Burgess to appoint Mary Frances Cole as Assistant Municipal Judge. The motion was seconded by Councilman Scott. All voted in favor.

8. Resolution for the Gatewood Entrance Repair

A motion was made by Scott to accept the resolution for the repair of the entrance. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. All voted in favor.

9. Proclamation for Hispanic Heritage Month

A motion was made by Councilman Hagood to accept the proclamation. The motion was seconded Mayor Durham. The vote passed. Councilman Harvell and Councilman Scott opposed.

10. Proposals for Engineering for Meter Change Out Project

A motion was made by Mayor Durham to accept Rogers & Calcott as the engineers on the project. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. All voted in favor.

11. Good of the Order

Councilman Scott asked for extra patrolling from the police department during the night.

12. Adjourn

A motion was made by Mayor Durham to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. All voted in favor.

DR. R. MACK DURHAM, MAYOR

MICHELLE STARNES, CLERK / TREASURER