



REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

March 18th, 2010, @ 6:00 P. M. at the Oran White Civic Center

Minutes

The City of Tool Regular City Council Meeting was called to order at 6:00pm. Present were Council Members Sonka, Wright, Reeder and Bush. Council Member Phillips was absent. Quorum was established with Mayor Black Presiding.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Sonka.

Approve Minutes as presented: Regular City Council Meeting February 18th, 2010 and Special Meeting March 03, 2010. Motion to approve minutes as presented was made by Council Member Reeder, second by Council Member Bush. Motion passed 4-0.

Consent Agenda: Consideration and/or action to approve Monthly Activity Reports for December 2009: (A) Municipal Court Report, (B) Police/Animal Control/Code Enforcement Report, (C) Financial and Expenditure Report, (D) Maintenance/Street Department Report, (E) Building / Street Department Report, (F) City of Tool Volunteer Fire Department Report. Motion to approve was made by Council Member Bush second by Council Member Reeder. Motion passed 4-0.

ITEM 1: Consideration and/or action to approve Allied Waste customer rate increase, effective April 1st. Motion to approve Allied Waste customer rate increase, effective April 1st was made by Council Member Reeder, second by Council Member Sonka. Motion passed 4-0.

ITEM 2: Consideration and/or action to approve Allied Waste request to stop "bag service" for the City. This item was tabled until further information is gathered as to the number of customers subscribing to "Bag Service" is ascertained. Motion to table was made by Council Member Reeder, second by Council Member Bush. Motion to Table passed 4-0

ITEM 3: Consideration and/or action to appoint Oleta Sims as Presiding Election Judge and Vicki Fuller Mayfield, Alternate Election Judge for the May 08, 2010 General /Special Election. Motion to appoint Oleta Sims as Presiding Election Judge and Vicki Fuller Mayfield, Alternate Election Judge for the May 08, 2010 General /Special Election was made by Council Member Sonka, second by Council Member Wright. Motion passed 4-0.

ITEM 4: Request for consideration and/or action to approve a variance of the ordinance limiting the age of a mobile home that may be brought into the City of Tool for residential use. Subjects did not show up. Item died due to lack of motion.

ITEM 5: Consideration and/or action to approve participation in the East Texas Council of Governments Marketing Program for 2010, to include advertising with "Business Images". Council discussed costs of magazine and asked if Admin would do research on other advertising opportunities and compare costs.



Council Member Bush made motion to table participation in the East Texas Council of Governments Marketing Program for 2010, to include advertising with "Business Images", second by Council Member Wright. Motion to Table passed 3-1 with Council Member Sonka opposed.

Announcements: General announcements were made.

ADJOURN: Motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Reeder, second by Council Member Bush. Motion passed 4-0 at 6:35.

Passed and approved this 15th day of April 2010.

ATTEST:

J. Michael Black, Mayor

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Neva Tankursley, City Secretary

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