

MINUTES
CITY OF WHITE DEER
OCTOBER 16, 2023

COUNCIL PRESENT: Robert Peets, Randal Barrett, Summer Kelly, Johnny Freeman, Karl Vigil, Nick Ball

EMPLOYEES PRESENT: Katrina Warminski, Kassie Heagen, Anthony Scott, Rusty Ricks

GUESTS PRESENT: Nelson Britten, Mirah Chaney, Drew Watson, John Ingle, Asley Montgomery, Pat and Derryl Wyatt, Leroy and Anita Haiduk, Mike Short, Dean and Carolyn Wheeler, Josh Cook, Wade Petty, Kelly Vigil, Justin Freeman, Cassidy Bichsel, Brian and Darla Pulse, Kyle Hefner, Erik Winters

1. Call the meeting to order. With a quorum present Mayor Peets called the meeting to order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the United State of American Flag.
3. The invocation was given by Mayor Peets.
4. Approve the agenda for the meeting. Johnny Freeman made the motion to approve the agenda for the meeting, seconded by Nick Ball, all for, motion carried 5-0.
5. Approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Summer Keely made the motion to approve the minutes from the regular September 18th meeting, seconded by Karl Vigil, all for, motion carried 5-0.
6. Comments from concerned citizens. The crowd that was at the meeting spoke concerning the increased tax rate for the City of White Deer. The mayor and council members explained to the citizens that the increase is for the repairs in the city's infrastructure along with some other repairs that are needing to be done and that the rate in only for the 2023 year and will be reduced for the next property tax year.
7. Lion's Club block FM 294 (300 Block of Main Street) for the Lion's Club sponsored Trunk or Treat Tuesday, October 31st from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Randall Barrett made the motion to approve the blocking of FM 294 (300 block of Main Street) for the Lion's Club Trunk or Treat on Tuesday, October 31st from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., seconded by Johnny Freeman, all for, motion carried 5-0.
8. Accounts Payable. Summer Kelly made the motion to approve the accounts payable for the month of September as presented, seconded by Johnny Freeman, all for, motion carried 5-0.
9. Reports. Anthony Scott presented the utility report. And went over the plans for the first project in fixing the city infrastructure. The water line replacement for Highway 60. Kassie Heagen presented the EMS report.

10. Concerned Citizens. There were no additional comments from concerned citizens.

The next council meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 13th at 6:00 p.m. There being no further business on the agenda Nick Ball made the motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Johnny Freeman, meeting adjourned.

Mayor Robert Peets

City Secretary Katrina Warminski