

**CITY OF ELKHART
CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

January 4, 2021

6:00 pm

City Hall

A. CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE, AND INVOCATION

With a quorum present, the Regular Meeting of the City of Elkhart City Council was called to order by Mayor Pro Tem at 6:01 p.m. at City Hall, 110 West Parker Street, Elkhart, Texas 75839

Present: Mayor Pro Tem Chuck Conner, Councilmember Lucia Butler, Councilmember James Warren, Councilmember Daryll Faulk, Councilmember Tammy Baughman.

Absent: Mayor Jennifer McCoy

Pledge of allegiance was followed by the invocation given by Councilmember James Warren.

B. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

C. REGULAR SESSION

1. Discuss and take action, if any on sewer services for 102 Oakwood requested by owner Morgan Syper.

Motion was made by Councilmember Warren, Seconded by Councilmember Faulk to move this item to closed session. Upon Vote the motion carried unanimously 5-0.

D. PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

Update given by Public Works Director Eric Clark

E. CLOSED SESSION

Mayor Pro Tem convened into closed session at 6:17 p.m.

1. City council will convene into closed session pursuant to Section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code regarding matters to discuss the employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of Public Works Employee's Stanley Stewart and Anthony Chimney.
2. Discuss and take action, if any on sewer services for 102 Oakwood requested by owner Morgan Syper.

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F. RECONVENE IN REGULAR SESSION

Mayor Pro Tem reconvened into regular session at 7:00 p.m.

1. Discuss and take action, if any, on the employment evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of Public Works Employees Stanley Stewart and Anthony Chimney.

Motion was made by councilmember Butler, Seconded by Councilmember Warren to increase Stanley Stewart's pay at the rate of \$12.50/hour and to hire fulltime Anthony Chimney as Public Works Operator at the rate of \$11.50/hour with health benefits. Upon Vote the motion carried unanimously 5-0.

2. Discuss and take action, if any on sewer services for 102 Oakwood requested by owner Morgan Syptert.

Motion was made by Councilmember Faulk, seconded by Councilmember Warren to table this item until February 1, 2021. Upon Vote the motion carried unanimously 5-0.

G. COUNCIL COMMENTS

Regarding matters appearing on the agenda, recognition of community members, city employees, and upcoming events; inquiry regarding specific information or existing policies.

Council would like to see a Municipal Court and Budget item on the agenda.

H. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Minutes of December 7, 2020

Motion was made by Councilmember Butler, seconded by Councilmember Faulk to accept the minutes. Upon Vote the motion carried unanimously 5-0.

I. ADJURN

Motion was made by Councilmember Butler, seconded by Councilmember Warren to adjourn meeting. Upon vote, motion carried unanimously 5-0, dismissing the meeting at 7:20 p.m.


Jennifer McCoy, Mayor
Ami Ashworth, City Secretary