

CITY COUNCIL MEETING September 14, 2020

MINUTES OF THE PLUM GROVE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR OPEN MEETING HELD ON THE 14TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2020, AT THE PLUM GROVE FIRE DEPARTMENT, 7733 FM 1010, Cleveland, Texas 77327, IN THE CITY OF PLUM GROVE, COUNTY OF LIBERTY, TEXAS AT 7:00 PM.

The Council met in a regular session with the following council members present session with the following council members present:

Lee Ann Penton-Walker - Mayor

Barbara Norris

Diana Chunn

Mary Lou Smith

Sharron Reed

Ronnie Culberth

*** CM denotes Council Member***

1. Call Meeting to Order at 7:00 P.M.
2. Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Walker
3. Invocation led by Jacob Clay
4. Public Comments
 - Mike Pierce- making sure there will be no meter on city well.
 - Mona McGraw – questions about fixing the roads and traffic study.
 - Mildred Martin- Complaining about the city wasting money on fixing the roads and wanting to know about FEMA and Glo funds.
 - Maria Acevedo- Tired of people trespassing on her property. When Calvin nelson sold his property he lost his rights to the easements.
5. Motion to approve minutes for September 14, 2020 made by CM Reed, 2nd by CM Chunn, passed unopposed.
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7. Motion to approve Treasurer Report for September 2020 by CM Chunn, 2nd by CM Reed, passed unopposed.
8. Motion to add Plum Grove volunteer fire department to deed of the building currently owned by the city made by CM Culberth, 2nd by CM Reed, motion passed unopposed.
9. Motion to compensate Sam Blacklock for city hall lawn maintenance and to pay him the \$70.00 every two weeks by CM Smith, 2nd by CM Norris, motion passed unopposed.
10. Motion to adopt a code of conduct for elected city officials CM Norris, 2nd by CM Culberth, passed unopposed.
11. Motion to table announce tax hearing to adopt tax rate CM Chunn, CM Norris, passed unopposed.
12. Motion to table public notice for adoption of proposed city budget 2020/2021 by CM Chunn, 2nd by CM Norris, passed unopposed.

13. Motion to instruct city attorney to draft commercial vehicle ordinance regulating permitting fees, road bonds and fine amounts, and related matters by CM Smith, 2nd by CM Norris, passed unopposed.
14. Motion to post the Chief of Police job description in the designated websites as provided by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement and the Texas Municipal League. and related matters by CM Reed, 2nd by CM Chunn, passed unopposed.
15. Discussion for the final stages of opening of Plum Grove city hall prior to November 2020 elections, and related matters.
16. Discussion on our cities 50th Birthday and City Hall Celebration, and related matters.
17. Motion for public notices on of the installation of speed humps and the locations of the speed humps, and related matters by CM Norris, 2nd by CM Chunn, passed unopposed.
18. Discussion about a date and time for community prayer at Plum Grove Volunteer Fire Department flagpole, and related matters.
19. Motion to table purchase traffic cameras for locations around the city for safety and security, and related matters by CM Culberth, 2nd by CM Norris, motion passed unopposed.
20. Discussion and input on a road areas that need immediate attention, and related matters.
21. Discussion on boulders and rock on private property, and related matters.
22. Discussion on GLO-Harvey updates, and related matters.
23. Discussion on FEMA DR-4332 updates, and related matters.
24. Discussion on Emergency Management Report, and related matters.
25. Discussion on Fire Department Report, and related matters.
26. Discussion on local, county and state updates, and related matters.
27. Motion to approve the expense of a survey by the City Engineer to determine the current city limits of the City of Plum Grove, Texas, and related matters by CM Smith, 2nd by CM Reed, passed unopposed.
28. **Executive Session-Section 551.074, Texas Government Code**
Motion to adjourn to executive session made by CM Norris, 2nd by C Reed, passed unopposed. Council moved to executive session at 8:14 P.M.
 - (1) Matters relating to potential action against County regarding City equipment and temporary road closures, including the pursuit of criminal charges against individuals for theft of City equipment and related matters.
 - (2) Consult with City Attorney concerning non-performance of obligations under Colony Ridge Development Agreement, and related matters.
Mayor Penton-Walker called meeting back to order at 9:14 P.M
29. Motion to instruct city attorney to pursue an action against Liberty County regarding City equipment and temporary road closures, and related matters made by CM Chunn, 2nd by CM Norris, passed unopposed. CM Culberth-Yes CM Smith-Yes, CM Reed-Yes, CM Norris-Yes, CM Chunn-yes
30. Motion to pursue criminal charges on the alleged crimes, impersonating elected officials, theft and assaults on city property, elected officials, city representatives or labor volunteers by CM

Chunn, 2nd by CM Reed, passed unopposed. CM Culberth-yes, CM Reed-yes, CM Norris-Yes, CM Chunn-yes, CM Smith-yes

31. Motion to Adjourn meeting made by CM Reed, 2nd by CM Norris, passed unopposed meeting adjourned at 9:21 P.M.