

REGULAR MEETING

The Lexington City Council met in a Regular Meeting on Wednesday, February 9, 2022, at 6:00 p.m., at City Hall, 604 Wheatley, Lexington, Texas.

Present was Mayor Allen Retzlaff, Councilpersons David Mason, Chris Billings, Elvis Lewis, Bobby Wesner and Dana Matson.

Mayor Allen Retzlaff brought the meeting to order and welcomed the guests.

2. Presentation to Zach Strouth with the Lexington Police Department. Zach was promoted to Corporal.

3. Citizen Comments: Sharon Martin

4. David Mason made the motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of January 12, 2022, Special Meeting of January 19, 2022 and January 26, 2022. Chris Billings seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

5. David Mason made the motion to approve paying the bills for the month of January, 2022. Chris Billings seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

6. David Mason made the motion to call for the 2022 City Election to be May 7, 2022 for the positions of a Mayor for a two (2) year term, two (2) Council members for a two (2) year term and one (1) Council member for a one (1) year term. Bobby Wesner seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

7. Bobby Wesner made the motion to accept the Contract from the Lee County Elections Administrator for the 2022 General Election. David Mason seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

8. Georgia Allen with the Lexington Chamber discussed homecoming plans for 2022 and wished to make no changes except for Interim Chief Jarmon's suggestion to close Giddings Street from Third Street to Fourth Street. Dana Matson made the motion to accept the Homecoming plans as presented for Friday, April 29, 2022 through Sunday, May 1, 2022. Chris Billings seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

9. Elvis Lewis made the motion to approve the sale of the right-of-way property for \$5,000.00 to Larry Biehle. David Mason seconded the motion. Vote 4 for. 1 abstained (Bobby Wesner)

10. Bobby Wesner made the motion to approve the Easter Egg Drop to be held Saturday, April 9, 2022. Elvis Lewis seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

11. Bobby Wesner made the motion to pay off loan with TIB, N.A. loan number: ML-000085365. Chris Billings seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

12. David Mason made the motion to adopt Ordinance No. 22-0209-12 an ordinance amending Chapter 110 Utilities, Article II Water, Sec. 110.40 Water Conservation of the Code of Ordinances, City of Lexington, Texas. Bobby Wesner seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

13. Chris Billings made the motion to table action to adopt Chapter 91 of the City of Lexington, Texas Code of Ordinances regulating special events. Elvis Lewis seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

14. The City Council convened into Executive Session at 6:25 p.m. in accordance with the Texas Government Code Chapter 551.074 to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

The City Council reconvened into Public Session at 7:19 p.m. in accordance with the Texas Government Code Chapter 551.074 to act upon the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

David Mason made the motion to take no action to reduce the municipal court clerk position to part-time. Chris Billings seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

15. Bobby Wesner made the motion to allow reserve police officers to work off duty traffic control. David Mason seconded the motion. Vote 5 for.

16. The Financial/Budget reports, Police reports, Code Enforcement report, Public Works report, Mayor/Council reports were given.

17. Chris Billings made the motion to adjourn. Dana Matson seconded the motion. Vote 5 for. The meeting was adjourned at 7:39 p.m.



Allen Retzlaff – Mayor