

City of Lockney Council
Regular Meeting Minutes
March 18, 2025
7:00am

I. CALL TO ORDER, QUORUM CHECK

Mayor, Steve Wright called the meeting to order at 7:00am.

Present: Mayor Steve Wright, Councilman Dart Carthel, Councilman Edward Marks, City Attorney, Lanny Voss, Councilwoman Rosio Reyes, Councilman Donnie McLaughlin, City Manager, Buster Poling, City Secretary, KayCee Thiebaud
Absent: None

II. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE

Councilmember Ed Marks led the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

IV. DISCUSS, CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION ON APPROVING THE MINUTES FROM:

Regular Council Meeting- February 18, 2025

Donnie McLaughlin made a motion to accept the minutes as presented from the regular council meeting held on February 18, 2025. Rosio Reyes seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion passed unanimously.

V. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS – CONSIDER AND TAKE ACTION ON VARIOUS REPORTS

- a. Financial Reports and Payment of Bills/Total Cash Balance: 88K in black ink
- b. Fire Department: few fires, working wrecks through the wind.
- c. Public Works Department:
- d. Mayor's Report
- e. City Manager/City Secretary Report: website is up, collection station once a month, mass texting
- f. EDC Report:

Donnie McLaughlin made a motion to accept the consent agenda items. Rosio Reyes seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote. Motion carried unanimously.

VI. THE CITY OF LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL SHALL TAKE ACTION TO CERTIFY THAT THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES ARE UNOPPOSED FOR THE ELECTION TO OFFICE FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON MAY 3, 2025.

COUNCILMEMBER, AT LARGE
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DONNIE MCLAUGHLIN
EDWARD MARKS
ROSIO REYES

A motion was made by Rosio Reyes to certify the above candidates running unopposed for the General Election to be held on May 3, 2025. Dart Carthel seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote, motion carried unanimously.

VII. THE LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL SHALL TAKE ACTION TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION, CANCELLING THE GENERAL ELECTION SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON MAY 3, 2025, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBCHAPTER C, SECTION 2.053 OF THE TEXAS ELECTION CODE.

A motion was made by Donnie McLaughlin, that due to unopposed candidates, the City of Lockney will adopt a resolution to cancel the upcoming general election on May 3, 2025. Dart Carthel seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote, motion carried unanimously.

VIII. THE LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL WILL DELIBERATE AND TAKE ACTION ON THE RATIFICATION OF A MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF PETERSBURG AND THE CITY OF LOCKNEY REGARDING DUAL EMPLOYMENT OF A LICENSED DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A motion was made by Ed Marks to accept the ratification of memorandum as presented. Dart Carthel seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote, motion carried unanimously.

IX. THE LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL WILL DELIBERATE AND TAKE ACTION ON THE RATIFICATION OF A SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN SOUTH PLAINS WASTE SERVICE LLC., AND THE CITY OF LOCKNEY TO PROVIDE THE CITY NON-HAZARDOUS, SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICES.

Donnie McLaughlin made a motion to approve the ratification of the service agreement between the City of Lockney and South Plains Waste Services, LLC. Ed Marks seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote, motion carried unanimously.

X. THE LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL WILL DELIBERATE A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION PROGRAM. THE CITY OF LOCKNEY CITY COUNCIL MAY TAKE ACTION.

Ed Marks made a motion to adopt a resolution authorizing the submission of the application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program. Rosio Reyes seconded the motion. All in favor by a 4-0 vote, motion carried unanimously.

XI. THE COUNCIL MAY DELIBERATE AND TAKE ACTION TO RECOMMEND THE ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE WHICH WOULD INCLUDE PERMITTED USES OF PROPANE WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF THE CITY INCLUDING RESTRICTIONS AND CONDITIONS RELATING TO PROPANE USAGE.

Item Tabled

XII. ADJOURN

Mayor Steve Wright adjourned the meeting at 7:48 am.

Passed and approved the 13th day of May 2025.


Steve Wright, Mayor

Attest:


KayCee Thiebaud, City Secretary