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William Criswell Leanne Greene Harold Martin Avis Walker Tonya Moss Kendal Hadaway Mayor

Council members

Kim W. Green

Linda Hoiles

Ric Daves

Jeffery Reeves

City Clerk

Court Clerk

Chief of Police

Fire Chief

AGENDA FOR THE CITY OF CREOLA ORGANIZATIONAL **COUNCIL MEETING** HELD AT CREOLA S.A.I.L. CENTER ON November 7, 2016 @ 5:30 PM

Mayor Criswell called the meeting to order Mr. Ron Blake gave invocation. Pledge

INTRODUCTION OF OFFICER ADMINISTERING OATH

David Zimmerman introduced oath administrator, Judge Jay Ross.

ADMINSTRATION OF OATH OF OFFICE IN DUPLICATE

Judge Ross administrated the oath of office to all council members.

PRESENTATION OF NEW ADMINISTRATION

Judge Jay Ross presented the New Mayor and Council.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Criswell Councilwoman Greene Councilman Martin Councilman Walker Councilwoman Moss Councilman Hadaway

NOMINATIONS FOR PRO-TEMPORE MAYOR APPOINTMENT

Mayor Criswell asked to hear a motion for the Pro-Tem mayor appointment. Councilwoman Greene states that they previously served 6 months at a time starting with place one and just going down. Councilwoman Greene states they are happy with it if he is.

Mayor Criswell states he is happy with it and asked all in favor of it. All favored.

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ESTABLISHMENT OF TIME AND PLACE OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Mayor Criswell states that next Thursday night, November 10 will be a meeting at the Sail center for the first council meeting of the year official for the formation of the committees that will be established and will continue to do that twice a month and will be posting when the council meetings will take place by normal law and order requirements thru Mrs. Kim Green.

ADOPTIONS OF RULES OF PROCEDURE

Mayor Criswell asked to hear a motion to the adoption of the Roberts Rules of order for council.

Councilwoman Green made a motion to continue using the Roberts Rule of order for the meetings.

Councilwoman Moss second, all favored

APPOINTMENT OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Mayor Criswell states that the appointment of council committees will be next Thursday night.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ONLY

Mayor Criswell states that they have had to look for a new chief for this next period of time. Mayor Criswell states that reviewed 5 different resumes and information from 5 different candidates and the council have reviewed them. Mayor Criswell asked the council for a motion for a new chief.

Councilman Martin made a motion to appoint Mr. Richard Daves as the permanent police Chief for the City of Creola.

Councilman Hadaway second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried

Roll Call for Police chief Ric Daves

Councilman Hadaway	yes
Councilwoman Moss	yes
Councilman Walker	yes
Councilman Martin	yes
Councilwoman Greene	yes
Mayor Criswell	yes
Motion carried by majority	vote.

Mayor Criswell states that they need to establish a relationship with a legal firm and they are looking to hire the Mims firm. Mayor Criswell asked for a motion to hire the Mims Firm as the legal firm.

Councilwoman Moss made a motion to hire the Mims Law Firm as the City attorney.

Councilwoman Greene second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

Roll Call for Hiring Mims law Firm

Councilman Hadaway	yes
Councilwoman Moss	yes

Councilman Walker yes
Councilman Martin yes
Councilwoman Greene yes
Mayor Criswell yes
Motion carried by majority vote.

Mayor Criswell asked Richard Daves to come forward. Mayor welcomed him as the Police chief and with the understanding of the submittal that was on your resume to the council with how much you was asking and conditions of that informed. Mayor asked Mr. Daves if he was ready to assume position of chief. Mr. Daves stated yes. Mayor presented Mr. Daves with 2 bars that say you are Chief.

Adjournment

Councilman Walker made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Martin second, all favored, none opposed, motion carried.

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