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**Minutes of the City of Creola Council Meeting
Thursday, December 23, 2021
Creola City 9, 2021 Hall
Meeting 5:00 P.M.**

The regular council meeting was called to order by Mayor Don Nelson at 6:00 p.m. We were led in prayer by Mayor Nelson. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Nelson. Roll call was taken by City Clerk Marcy Brown. Present at the meeting was Mayor Nelson, Cody Chambliss, Kendal Hadaway, Wendy Lynch, and Harold Parmer. Council Member Mark Howell was absent. Also present was City Attorney, Daniel Mims.

Item #5 -Approval of the Minutes –

Approval of the Minutes - The minutes of the December 9, 2021, regular meeting minutes were reviewed. A motion was made by Mr. Parmer to accept the minutes, as written. The motion was seconded by Mayor Nelson. All in favor and the motion was carried.

Item #6- Financials/Bill List-

Mayor Nelson gave an update on the finances and bank balances. Mr. Chambliss made a motion to approve the financials as presented. Mrs. Lynch seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.

Mr. Chambliss made a motion to approve the bill list in the amount of \$5888.99 dated December 24, 2021, as presented. Mrs. Lynch seconded the motion.

Mr. Hadaway made a motion to table the Avenue Contract for the collection of the sales tax until they've had a chance to review it. Mr. Chambliss seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.

Item #7 - Departmental Reports –

Police Dept. - Mr. Hadaway was going to contact CTS about changing the code for the Creola Police Department as well as adding a greater storage capacity for the cameras and extending the storage capacity to at least a month. Chief Hammond talked about getting a new taser system for all the officers. More information will be gathered to present to the mayor and council.

Sail Center – No report given.

Fire Dept. – Chief Moye stated that he needed some new fire hoses. Mr. Kendal made a motion to approve phase I for the purchase of new fire hose for squad 10 and engine #2 in the amount of \$3386. Mr. Parmer seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.

Mr. Chambless made a motion to approve the new appointed officers for the Creola fire department. Mr. Parmer seconded the motion. All in favor, except for Mr. Hadaway who is an officer, and the motion was carried.

Public Works Department – No report given

Zoning Board – The next zoning board meeting will be January 18, 2022.

Item #8 - New Business-

- a. **Police Department Requests.** - Mr. Hadaway made a motion to table items a – e which is Change police locks and entry codes to all doors/buildings. Current policy on body camera. Current background check policy for police officers. Body Camera footage - all officers and chief download footage to one central server that is backed up by cloud and Discuss cameras being installed in all cells. Mr. Chambless seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.
- b. **CDBG UPDATES** – The CDBG grant application is just about ready to turn in.
- c. **Surplus Vehicles** – Mayor Nelson is looking for some trucks for the street and building Departments.
- d. **House Numbers** – Mayor Nelson is asking for suggestions for making sure that all houses located in Creola have house numbers that are visible for emergency responders to locate.
- e. **Amy Grimes Transfer to Satsuma** – Mr. Hadaway made a motion to approve the transfer of Amy Grimes to the City of Satsuma. Mayor Nelson seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried.


Item #9 - Mayors Comments

ADEM has approved the permit renewal for the solid waste disposal for the Eco South land fill. Mayor has posted the letter in 3 places for the public to know.

Mr. Hadaway made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mrs. Lynch seconded the motion. All in favor and the motion was carried. The meeting was adjourned at 5:47 p.m.



Don Nelson
Mayor



Marcy Brown
City Clerk