

MINUTES OF SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

This is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting for the City of Brookshire held August 31, 2023 at 6:30pm.

- 1. Call to Order 6:32pm
 Mayor Branch present
 Alderman Neuendorf present
 Alderman Taylor present (late due to meeting time change)
 Alderman McAnelly present
 Mayor Pro Tem Hill present
 Alderman Branch present
- 2. Prayer Alderman Branch
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Public Comments (In accordance with Texas Open Meetings Act and Texas Government Code 551.007, City Council may not discuss or take action on any item NOT listed on the Agenda. Each member of the public wishing to speak must sign in prior to the meeting and is limited to 3 minutes.) None
- 5. Consider and take action on Consent Agenda Items listed under the Consent Agenda are considered routine and are generally enacted in one motion. The exception to this rule occurs when a Council Member requests one or more items removed from the Consent Agenda for separate discussion and action.
 - a. Minutes from the August 17, 2023 City Council Meeting.
 Motion to approve consent agenda Alderman Neuendorf 2nd Mayor Pro Tem Hill
 For 5
 Against 0
 Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

New Business

a. Discuss and consider contract for services for tax assessor/collector. Presentation by Assessments of the Southwest, Inc.

Motion to approve contract for tax assessor/collector services Alderman Branch

2nd Alderman Neuendorf

For 5

Against 0

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

Discuss and consider to post request for proposals for Banking Services.
 Motion to approve posting RFP for Banking Services Mayor Pro Tem Hill
 2nd Alderman Neuendorf

For 5

Against 0

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

Discuss and consider to post request for proposals for Trash Services.
 Motion to approve posting RFP for Trash Services Alderman Branch
 2nd Alderman Neuendorf

For 5

Against 0

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

d. Discuss and consider to post request for proposals for Engineering Services.
 Motion to approve posting RFP for Engineering Services Alderman Branch
 2nd Alderman McAnelly

For 5

Against 0

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

7. Executive Session. The City Council will meet in closed session pursuant to Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code for the purpose of:

Adjourn into Executive Session 7:05pm

- a. Consultation with legal counsel
- b. Deliberations on personnel (Section 551.074) regarding the appointment, appeal, employments, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or

dismissal of: the police chief, city secretary, city administrator, municipal court director, or public works director.

Reconvene into Open Session 8:55pm

- 8. Discussion and possible action resulting from the Executive Session. (if needed)
 - a. Consider and take action to demote Clyde Miller from Interim Chief of Police to resume his position as warrant officer.

Motion to demote Miller to Warrant Officer Alderman Neuendorf 2nd Alderman McAnelly

For 4

Against 1

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

b. Consider and take action to appoint Captain Oscar Garcia as acting Chief of Police until the new appointed Chief starts his position.

Motion to appoint Captain Garcia as acting Chief of Police Alderman Neuendorf

2nd Alderman McAnelly

For 4

Against 1

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

c. Consider and take action to appoint James Hines as Chief of Police

Motion to appoint James Hines as Chief of Police Alderman Neuendorf

2nd Alderman McAnelly

For 3

Against 2

Approved Mayor Branch Motion Carried

Adjournment. 9:00pm

Mayor Darrell Branch

Attest:

City Secretary Erica Molina