

August 13, 2018

The City Council of the City of Lavaca met for a regular monthly meeting Monday August 13, 2018, at City Hall in Lavaca. Board members present were Mayor Hugh Hardgrave; Aldermen: Mike Ray, Rick Edgerton, Jeff Price, Dale Teague, Benny Hunter, attorney John Verkamp, and Recorder Shelly Hockaday. Ward 1 Position 2 seat was vacant during this meeting. Visitors present were Steve Helms, Butch Maness, Ken VanDusen, Lynn Ledbetter, Mark & Dana Crawford, Randy Toon and Lorie Robertson.

The meeting was called to order at 7 P. M. Steve Helms led the Pledge of Allegiance and Hugh Hardgrave said the prayer.

The Council approved the minutes of the July regular as printed. (RE/DT)

Council members reviewed the report from the Police Dept. The Department answered 491 calls in July. LPD issued 12 traffic tickets, 2 criminal tickets, 3 city ordinance tickets, and 37 warnings. There were 6 arrests made in the month of July.

Council members reviewed the report from the Fire Dept. The Department responded to 20 first responder calls, 2 fire call, 1 accident, and 5 other calls.

Council members voted to proceed with an on-call agreement for engineering services with Hawkins Weir. (MR/BH)

Council members voted to adopt resolution # 2018-02 pertaining to the Sebastian County Hazard Mitigation Plan. (RE/DT)

Council members voted to decline an ordinance adopting the Sebastian County interlocal agreement for the Crisis Stabilization Unit. (RE/DT)

Council members voted to accept the resignation of Randy Overbey for council seat Ward 1, Position 2 effective August 9th 2018 and declare this seat vacant. (MR/JP)

Council will appoint a city resident to fill this position at the next regularly scheduled council meeting on Sept. 10, 2018.

The Council voted to pay the bills for the month of August. (DT/ MR)

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Mayor

Attest: Recorder

