

March 13, 2023

The City Council of the City of Lavaca met for a regular monthly meeting Monday March 13, 2023, at City Hall in Lavaca. Board members present were Mayor Hugh Hardgrave; Aldermen Mike Ray, Gerald Schaeffer, Rick Edgerton, Dale Teague, Lorie Robertson, and Benny Hunter; City Attorney John Verkamp and Recorder Shelly Hockaday. Aldermen Dale Teague arrived at 6:05 after roll call. Visitors present were Dwayne Wallace and Randy Toon.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P. M. Mike Ray led the Pledge of Allegiance and Mayor Hardgrave led the prayer.

The Council reviewed the minutes of the February regular meeting. Benny Hunter made a motion to approve the minutes as printed. Lorie Robertson seconded the motion and all voted in favor except Dale Teague, who had not arrived yet. Motion passed.

Council members reviewed the report from the Police Dept. The Department answered 531 calls in February. LPD issued 8 tickets and 18 warnings. There were 2 arrests made in the month of February. Council members reviewed the report from the Fire Dept. They responded to 1 vehicle accident, 1 fire alarm, 1 gas leak, 1 tree/power line down, and 12 EMS calls in February.

Council members reviewed a replat request for lots 64A and 66A in River Pointe subdivision by Chris Hamrick. The replat would convert lots 64A and 66A back to 3 original lots with new lot numbers of 64B, 65B and 66B. Rick Edgerton made a motion to approve the replat back to 3 lots. Gerald Schaefer seconded the motion and all voted in favor. Motion passed.

Council members reviewed the 1 bid received from Emergency Remarketing in the amount of \$1888.18 for the 2013 Police Tahoe. Rick Edgerton made a motion to reject the bid and Dale Teague seconded the motion. All voted in favor and motion passed. After some discussion a motion was made by Gerald Schaefer to donate the 2013 Police Tahoe as is to the Bonanza Police Dept. Mike Ray seconded the motion. Rick Edgerton voted against the donation but all others voted in favor and motion passed.

Council members reviewed proposed resolution 2023-02 to utilize federal aid transportation alternatives program or recreational trails program (TAP grant). This resolution is required to apply for the grant to build a sidewalk along the East side of Hwy 96 from Dollar General to Hanson Drive. The grant funding would pay for 80% and the City would pay for 20% of the project if awarded. Lorie Robertson made a motion to approve the resolution. Mike Ray seconded the motion and all voted in favor. Motion passed.

Gerald Schaefer made a motion to pay the bills for the month of March. Lorie Robertson seconded the motion and all voted in favor. Motion passed.

With no further business on the agenda, meeting was adjourned. (DT, LR)

Mayor

Attest: Recorder