

City of Coldspring, Texas
Minutes of the Special Called Council Meeting
Tuesday, May 9, 2023

1. Meeting called to order 7:00 PM

2. Roll call.

Present: Alderman Jennifer Manuel, Dianne Griffith, Nichole Gatewood, and Mayor John Benestante

Absent: Jessica Sewell and Kyle Currie

Visitors: None

3. Public Comments: None

4. Agenda: Mayor Benestante presented the agenda for the meeting. Alderman Nichole Gatewood made a motion to adopt the agenda. Alderman Jennifer Manuel seconded the motion. All in favor.

5. OLD BUSINESS: None

6. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Discuss and possible action on a resolution of the City approving the submission of a Detailed Application (Phase II) to the Texas Department of Transportation for a Transportation Alternative (TA) Project also appointing a signatory and match (if applicable). After a general discussion a motion was made by Alderman Jennifer Manuel to approve a resolution of the submission of a Detailed Application (Phase II) to the Texas Department of Transportation for a Transportation Alternative (TA) Project and appoint signatory and match. This motion was seconded by Nichole Gatewood. All were in favor.
- B. Discussion and possible action on City Ordinance 92-1 parade requirements. Council had a general discussion and are waiting on city attorney Greg Magee to make changes discussed at May 1, 2023 council meeting.
- C. Discussion and possible action on 2023 Juneteenth Parade public event application. After a general discussion on the 2023 Juneteenth Parade public event application, a motion was made by Alderman Dianne Griffith to approve the 2023 application pending the required insurance. The city must have the required insurance by June 1, 2023. This motion was seconded by Jennifer Manuel. All were in favor.
- D. Discussion and possible action regarding Brian Stevens old shopping center. Mayor John Benestante briefed the council on the old shopping center. No action by City Council at this time.

E. Discussion and possible action on a potential tow company's purchase of land. Mayor John Benestante briefed the Council over the potential tow company's purchase of land. No action was taken by City Council at this time.

F. Discussion and possible action on new city ordinance and city business permit requirements. No action was taken by City Council at this time.

7. ADJOURN:

A motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Nichole Gatewood at 7:17 PM and was seconded by Alderman Jennifer Manuel. All in favor.


John Benestante, Mayor

Attest:


Jody Barr, City Secretary