

AGENDA

EAST MOUNTAIN CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
JUNE 8TH, 2020
MONDAY 6:00 PM
CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM

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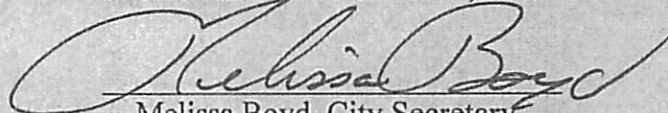
*PUBLIC COMMENTS

*APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: May 11, 2020 Regular Session

AGENDA ITEMS

1. **Discuss Bobby Jenkins Contract** – *Mayor Marc Covington*
2. **Report from Police Department**– *Chief James “Mike” Rider*
3. **Update on Community Cleanup** – *Ms. Mary “Jo” Popma*
4. **Review and Discuss Comprehensive Zoning Plan and Consider approval**–
Mr. Jay Bissell, Chairman
5. **Discuss Interviewing for Part Time Help** – *Mayor Marc Covington*
6. **Adjournment**

WITNESSED MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL
OF THE CITY OF EAST MOUNTAIN, TEXAS
ON THIS THE 5th DAY OF JUNE, 2020


Melissa Boyd, City Secretary

POSTED THIS THE 5th DAY OF JUNE, 2020 AT 12:00 P.M.

**CITY OF EAST MOUNTAIN
CITY COUNCIL – REGULAR SESSION
June 8, 2020 - 6:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Marc Covington. The invocation was given by Mr. John Adams. All present participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Those Council Members present were: Ms. Mary “Jo” Popma, Mr. John Adams, Mr. Eugene Brown, Mr. Richard Lattier and Mr. Billy Morrow.

Approval of the Previous Minutes:

Mr. John Adams made a motion to approve the Regular Session Minutes dated May 11, 2020, and Mr. Richard Lattier seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Open Discussion: None.

Agenda Item One, Discuss Bobby Jenkins Contract – Mayor Marc Covington:

Ms. Mary “Jo” Popma made a motion to accept Bobby Jenkins Contract. Mr. Richard Lattier seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Agenda Item Two, Report on the Police Department – Chief James “Mike” Rider:

Chief Rider briefed the council on the abandoned trailer on Medlin Road. A certified letter is being sent to the person who claimed ownership of the abandoned trailer giving the owner 10 days to remove the trailer. If the owner doesn’t remove the trailer, the city will have it removed. The owner will be responsible for any fees and damages.

Chief Rider is working on getting our ORI (dispatching capabilities) back up and running.

Chief Rider has been out in the community making his presence known.

Chief Rider explained that if anyone in the community needs assistance from the police department to call 911 in the event of an emergency and for non-emergencies to call the non-emergent number. Dispatch will direct calls to him accordingly.

Agenda Item Three, Update on Community Cleanup – Ms. Mary “Jo” Popma:

Ms. Mary “Jo” Popma reported that Community Clean up went well. They had to close up at 4pm on Saturday because all three dumpsters were filled to the top.

Agenda Item Four, Review and Discuss Comprehensive Plan and Consider Approval – Mr. Jay Bissell, Chairman:

Mr. Jay Bissell explained to the council that the Planning & Zoning Committee met on March 9th, 2020 to review the final draft of the Comprehensive Plan that the University of Texas Arlington put together. They agreed that University of Texas Arlington completed what was asked of them and are requesting the council to consider approving the Comprehensive Plan so that they can move forward and meet with the attorney to look at future planning for the city.

Mr. John Adams made a motion to approve the Comprehensive Plan. Mr. Richard Lattier seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Agenda Item Five, Discuss Interviewing for Part Time Help – Mayor Marc Covington:

Mayor Marc Covington discussed the need for part time help.

Mr. Richard Lattier made a motion to begin searching for part time help. Mr. John Adams seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

Agenda Item Six, Adjourn:


Mr. John Adams made a motion to Adjourn. Mr. Eugene Brown seconded. The vote was unanimous.

Adjourned approximately 7:14 p.m.

Accepted and approved this 20th day of July, 2020.



Mayor, Marc Covington

Attested: 

City Secretary, Melissa Boyd