



City of Onalaska

P.O. Box 880 • Onalaska, Texas 77360

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

MINUTES

OCTOBER 12, 2021

THE STATE OF TEXAS]
THE COUNTY OF POLK]
THE CITY OF ONALASKA]

The City Council of the City of Onalaska, Texas, met in the chamber room of City Hall for the regular monthly meeting on October 12th, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. Roll was called and the following were present:

Shirley Gilmore]	Mayor Pro Tem
James Arnett]	Councilmembers
JR Chance]	
Carl Cruse]	
Paul Laverty]	
Angela Stutts]	City Administrator
Jessica Stanton]	Police Chief
Jay Stutts]	Fire Chief
Lee Parrish]	Permit Manager
Sherry Brecheen]	Librarian

And the following visitors:

Sign in sheet attached.

Quorum being present Mayor Chip Choate's absence was excused, the Mayor Pro Tem continued with the meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to hear from the public, approve the consent agenda minutes, voucher list and accept the financial report, hear reports from the departments, review and approve Ordinance 415 Repealing Ordinance 395 Manufactured and Modular Home Ordinance, Ordinance 396 Building Regulations and Ordinance 409 Building Regulations and announce any other upcoming events.

PLEDGE & PRAYER

Sherry Brecheen opened the meeting with a prayer and Paul Laverty led the pledge to the American and Texas Flags.

PUBLIC FORUM

None

CONSENT AGENDA

It was moved by James Arnett and a second was made by Paul Lavery to accept and approve items listed on the consent agenda as presented.

VOTE: For – All; Against – None. Motion carried.

REPORTS – POLICE DEPARTMENT

Police Department reported that the department traveled 2822 miles during September 2021; 216 Subdivision Patrols, 63 Business Checks, 329 Calls for Service, 4 Felony Arrests, 2 Misdemeanor Arrests, 50 Citations, 50 Warnings, Assisted PCSO 10 times, Assisted DPS 0 times and Assisted OVFD/EMS 9 times, 35 Cases, 0 Narcotic/DWI Arrest and worked on 11 warrants worked.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Department reported that the Fire Department responded to 28 calls for assistance during September 2021. 15 medical calls, 2 structure fires, 4 grass fires, 0 vehicle fires, 1 motor vehicle accident, 3 lake rescues, 0 landing zone calls, 1 hazmat call, 2 assist calls and 0 mutual-aide calls, totaling 207 volunteer man hours.

CODE ENFORCEMENT/PERMITTING

PERMITTING:

There were a total of 183 permits and/or licenses issued for the fiscal year 10/01/2020 – 09/30/2021.

The total added value to the City of Onalaska was \$ 8,196,396.00.

The total Permit fees collected for the fiscal year were \$ 81,671.70

CODE ENFORCEMENT:

Fiscal Year 10/01/2020 – 9/30/2021

134 Citations/Warnings/Warrants issued for Ordinance Violations

4 Cases for Environmental Violations/Illegal Dumping/etc.

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS:

There were 11 total fire investigations for the year. Of the eleven, five were determined to be unfounded, two were determined to be intentionally set, the remaining four were ruled accidental.

ASSIST OTHER AGENCIES:

Assist OPD 32 times.

Assist OVFD 41 times. (Medical, fire suppression, landing zones)

Assist EMS, TXDPS, San Jacinto CO, Polk County SO/Constables 18 times

OTHER CASES WORKED (NOT CODE VIOLATIONS):

There were 17 Cases worked that were not Ordinance Violations or Fire Investigations.

LIBRARY BOARD REPORT

No Report

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Librarian reported for the month of September: Current borrowers 1698. Books checked out: 393; Patrons: 299; Computer Usage: 79; Copies/Faxes \$307.25; Fines: \$0.00; Membership Fee: \$10.00; Postage: \$9.00; Book Replacement: \$15.00; Restricted Donations: \$0.00 and Regular Donations: \$54.20 and 51.3 Volunteer Hours were documented.

REVIEW AND APPROVE ORDINANCE 415 REPEALING ORDINANCE 395 MANUFACTURED AND MODULAR HOME ORDINANCE, ORDINANCE 396 BUILDING REGULATIONS AND ORDINANCE 409 BUILDING REGULATIONS

It was moved by James Arnett and a second was made by Paul Lavery to approve Ordinance 415 Repealing Ordinance 395 Manufactured and Modular Home Ordinance, Ordinance 396 Building Regulations and Ordinance 409 Building Regulations.

VOTE: For – All; Against – None. Motion passed.

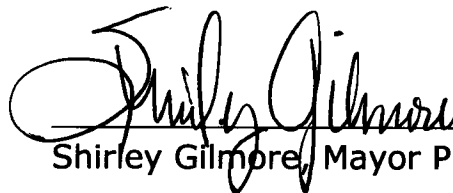
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ADJOURNMENT

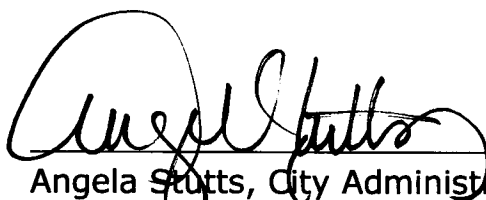
At approximately 5:15 p.m., it was moved by Paul Lavery and a second was made by James Arnett to adjourn the meeting.

VOTE: For – All; Against – None. Motion carried.

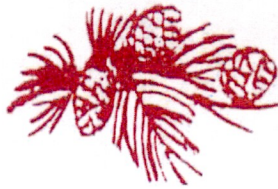
APPROVED:


Shirley Gilmore, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Angela Stutts, City Administrator
DATE: November 9, 2021





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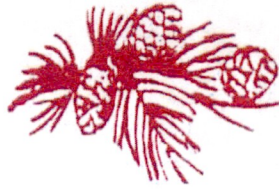
**PUBLIC FORUM
SIGN-IN
LIMIT 3 MINUTES**

DATE: 10/12/2021

NAME

SUBJECT

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____



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Tuesday, October 12, 2021 REGULAR MEETING SIGN-IN SHEET

1	Lee Pih	12	
2	Sherry Peice	13	
3	Linda Stromowa	14	
4	Blanton	15	
5	Barbara Hudson	16	
6	Harold Cessell	17	
7	JACK WILLIAMS	18	
8	Sherry Breckeen	19	
9	Jessie Perry	20	
10	Grace Jewell	21	
11	Jay Smith	22	