



City of Hawkins
City Council Minutes
July 15, 2024



On this day July 15, 2024, at 6:00 pm, Mayor Debbie Rushing called a Regular City Council Meeting to order with council members Greg Branson, Eric Maloy, Eleta Taylor, Clara Kay, and Meredith Hancock. The department heads present were Norma Hallmark, Ty Musick, and Mandy Thomas. Mike Maberry and Paul Holland were not present.

Jeff Karlson gave the invocation.

U.S. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Deb Rushing.

Mayor Deb Rushing let the citizens on the speaking list discuss items on the agenda.

Councilmember Eric Maloy made a motion to approve the mobile home permit at 225 W. Blackbourn Street. Councilmember Eleta Taylor seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Clara Kay made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda which consists of minutes from June 17, 2024, Regular City Council Meeting and June 25, 2024, Special City Council Meeting and Financial Reports. Councilmember Eric Maloy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Mayor Deb Rushing discussed the 2023 Consumer Confidence Report for Public Water System City of Hawkins.

Councilmember Clara Kay made a motion to table hiring Leigh Thompson as City of Hawkins; Seconded by Councilmember Greg Branson. The motion passed.

Councilmember Eric Maloy made a motion to approve Monthly Departmental Reports; seconded by Councilmember Meredith Hancock. The motion passed.

Mayor Deb Rushing discussed Hawkins Police Department pay scale with other local city police departments pay scale.

Councilmember Meredith Hancock made a motion for the Certificate pay raise for Hawkins Police Departments. Councilmember Clara Kay seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Greg Branson made a motion to approve abolishing City Ordinance 91.02 Fireworks (B) *Prohibited sales in city limits* by Citizen Ashley James. Councilmember Clara Kay seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Councilmember Eric Maloy made a motion to appoint Paige Bing to Hawkins Community Development Corporation Board; seconded by Councilmember Meredith Hancock. The motion passed.

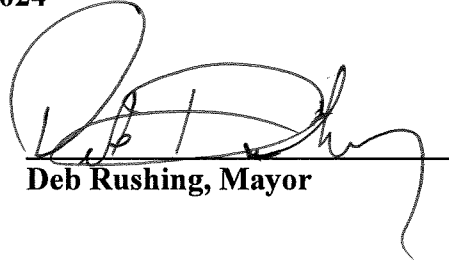
Councilmember Meredith Hancock made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Councilmember Eric Maloy. The motion passed.



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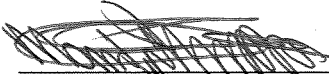


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Deb Rushing, Mayor

Attest:



Mandy Thomas, City Secretary