CITY OF CLOVERPORT

REGULAR CALLED MEETING

OF THE CLOVERPORT CITY COUNCIL

JANUARY 17TH, 2022

Mayor Candy Weatherholt called to order the regular called meeting of the Cloverport City Council at 5:30 p.m. Mayor Weatherholt then welcomed those in attendance and led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a prayer. Roll call of the Council revealed the following:

Gwan Bickett - Present Jenny Bradley – Absent

Melissa Burnett - Present Georgia DaleCannon – Present

Hal Jennings - Present Danny Smiley – Present

***Agenda.*** Co. Burnett moved to accept the agenda as presented, seconded by Co. Bickett with all ayes being cast.

***Minutes.*** Co. DaleCannon moved to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Co. Jennings with all ayes being cast.

***Financial Statements.*** Co. DaleCannon moved to accept the financial statements as presented, seconded by Co. Burnett with all ayes being cast.

***Reports.*** A. Mayor – Mayor Weatherholt asked that there be no questions during the reports section of the meeting. Mayor Weatherholt said she hoped everyone had a good Christmas and a Happy New Year and hopefully a better 2022. Weatherholt reported that the grants for the Walking Trail and Waste Water Plant projects are still under way. Mayor Weatherholt asked if anyone had any ideas for developing the 15 acres at the 105 boat ramp to please let her know. Weatherholt said there have been some ideas discussed of installing regulation tennis courts, a community swimming pool and a walking trail.

B. Clerk – City Clerk, Marcia Finley, reported 530 stickers sold to date and 31,100 gallons of tank water sold bringing in $277.75. Clerk Finley reported all bills for the month of December has been paid in full. Clerk Finley said 85 payments were received on-line for the month of December.

C. Police – Police Chief, Chris Woosley, reported his department completed 6 arrests, 1 city citation, 9 state citations, 6 warrants, and used 90 gallons of gas. Chief Woosley reported that he had attended Shop With a Cop and that he along with family, friends and Fellowship Baptist Church had also helped 2 families with receiving appliances and Christmas gifts. Chief Woosley said he has been receiving several complaints about parking in yellow lines and in front of fire hydrants and he encourages everyone to try not to park in these areas.

D. Public Works – Public Works Director, Eddie Lee was absent but turned in a report with his department completing 2 water leaks, 3 water connections, 1 disconnect, 6 disconnects for non-payment, 6 sewer issues, hand read 430 meters, 3 rechecks, 4 miscellaneous work orders, added 1 new garbage customer, cancelled 3 garbage customers, used 129 gallons of diesel, 85 gallons of gas, collected samples 4 days with no violations, completed 4 days of leak detection, collected 46 tons of refuse in 11 days and the water loss is at 74.5%

E. Fire – Josh Bostrom reported the Fire Department had a meeting and they presented their votes for Fire Chief and Assistant Chief. Bostrom said there were 10 votes for him, 7 votes for Derrick Blair and 3 votes for Chris Woosley. Bostrom said they had their last meeting and voted on the Saturday previous to this meeting. Bostrom reported the department had made 6 calls for service and 4 medical runs. Bostrom handed the Council quotes for repairs for the fire trucks. Bostrom then announced Breck Central will be hosting a symposium and is asking for donations.

F. Parks – City Clerk, Marcia Finley, reported that there is not much going on with parks right now but they are planning and waiting on warmer weather.

***Fire Department.*** Mayor Weatherholt asked Josh Bostrom to repeat how the voting went at the previous fire meeting. Bostrom reported 10 votes for himself, 7 for Derrick Blair and 3 for Chris Woosley. Mayor Weatherholt appointed Josh Bostrom as Fire Chief and Derrick Blair as Assistant Fire Chief. The City Council voted with all ayes being cast. Co. Burnett asked Chief Bostrom if he was aware that he still had a convicted felon on his state roster. Chief Bostrom said yes he was aware. Co. Burnett said she received a copy of the state roster and he needs to remove the convicted felon as soon as possible. Co. Bickett asked who the felon was and Co. Burnett said she was not allowed to mention his name. Co. Burnett asked Chief Bostrom if everyone has completed their basic 20 hours of training yet and he replied not everyone. Co. Burnett asked who has been driving the fire trucks. Chief Bostrom replied the certified ones. Co. Burnett asked if the State Fire Commission has accepted his EMT drivers training to use towards fire drivers training and he said yes. City Clerk, Marcia Finley reminded Chief Bostrom that she needs copies of drivers licenses for all drivers.

***Police Mifi.*** Police Chief, Chris Woosley presented 2 quotes to the Council. One for a mifi package and another for a mifi plus a Iphone package. Co. Burnett made a motion to accept the mifi/Iphone package, seconded by Co. Jennings with all ayes being accepted.

***Georgia DaleCannon.*** Co. DaleCannon passed and decided not to speak at this time.

***John Kroner.*** Was not present at the meeting.

***Citizen Input.*** None

***Council Input.*** Co. Burnett said she would like to let Chief Josh Bostrom know that he can call her anytime if he needs any help with anything.

***Adjournment.*** This concluding the business of the meeting, Co. Smiley made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Co. DaleCannon with all ayes being cast.

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Candy Weatherholt, Mayor

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Marcia A. Finley, City Clerk