

City of Whitewright
City Council
Emergency Called Meeting
Whitewright Visitor Center
111 W. Grand
February 16, 2020, 6:30 p.m.

## Minutes

The City of Whitewright met for an Emergency Called Meeting, Sunday, February 16, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. in the Whitewright Visitors Center, the same being open to the public with the following members present:

Mayor - James Lawrence

Councilmember Place 1 - Traci Barr

Councilmember Place 2 - Bart Bodine (Videoconference)

Councilmember Place 3 - Rick Magers

Councilmember Place 5 - Jason Summers

Other Present: Brandon Latimer, John Simon, James Sauls, Sarah Owen, Lauri Summers, Mark Steinbachen, Russell Ponder, Officer James Scott, Shonda Latimer, Gwyn Jordan

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Call to order by the Mayor. 6:40 p.m.
- 2. INVOCATION Invocation given by Mark Steinbachen
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Pledge given
- 4. ROLL CALL

Jamie Lawrence — Mayor – Present — Traci Barr – Present Rick Magers – Present

Bart Bodine – Video Conference – *Present* Jason Summers – Mayor Pro Tem - *Present* 

5. CITIZEN COMMENTS — At this time, any person may address the City Council regarding an item on this meeting agenda that is not scheduled for public hearing. Also, at this time, any person may address the Council regarding an item that is not on this meeting agenda. Each person will be allowed up to three (3) minutes to speak. No discussion or action may be taken at this meeting on items not listed on this agenda, other than to make statements of specific factual information in response to a citizen's inquiry or to recite existing policy in response to the inquiry.

Sarah Owen - Questioned the validity of the meeting with the lack of quorum siting Local Gov. Code 22.039

## 6. ACTION ITEMS

6.1 Authorize pest treatment for Whitewright Municipal Building.

Councilmember Magers made a motion to discuss

Councilmember Summers second

It was discussed that for the sake of transparency and notifying the council and public of the issue that even though there was one Councilmember attending by videoconference, that the Mayor will authorize staff to get treatment done.

Councilmember Summers stated that authorization by the Mayor was ok with him and all Councilmembers agreed.

7. ADJOURN Meeting adjourned 7:08

Jamie Lawrence - Mayor

ATTEST:

Gwyn Jordan - Interlim City Secretar