

**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARENDON, TEXAS
TAX RATE PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR MEETING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Sandy Skelton at 6:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Mayor Sandy Skelton
Alderman Jacob Fangman
Alderman John Lockhart
Alderman Larry Jeffers
Alderman Eulaine McIntosh
Alderman Terri Floyd
Administrator David Dockery
City Secretary Machiel Covey

ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: None

AUTHORIZATIONS BY CITY COUNCIL:

**Public Hearing for the Purpose of Adopting the City of Clarendon's
Property Tax Rate of \$0.613750 per \$100 for Fiscal Year 2021-2022.**

Mayor Skelton Closed the Public Hearing at 7:00 p.m. with no citizens in attendance.

Mayor Skelton Opened the Regular Meeting of the Clarendon City Council at 7:01 p.m.

INVOCATION: Alderman Jeffers

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

AUTHORIZATIONS BY CITY COUNCIL:

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1. Discussion and possible action on the Consent Agenda.

- Meeting Minutes for Regular Meeting August 12, 2021
- Meeting Minutes for Public Hearing & Called Meeting August 26, 2021
- Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department Report
- Donley County Commissioners Report
- Burton Memorial Library Report
- Clarendon Municipal Court Report
- Code Enforcement Report
- Animal Control Report

A motion was made by Alderman Jeffers and seconded by Alderman Floyd to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

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2. Discussion and possible action on the Council Report (List of Bills).

A motion was made by Alderman Fangman and seconded by Alderman Lockhart to approve the Council Report as presented. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1333. Discussion and possible action on the Statement of Revenue and Expense.

A motion was made by Alderman Lockhart and seconded by Alderman Jeffers to approve the Statement of Revenue and Expense as presented. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1344. Discussion and possible action on adopting an Ordinance amending Ordinance 485, Increasing a portion of the public utilities inside and outside the city limits of the City of Clarendon.

A motion was made by Alderman Fangman and Seconded by Alderman Jeffers to approve an Ordinance amending Ordinance 485, Increasing a portion of the public utilities inside and outside the city limits of the City of Clarendon by 6%. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1355. Discussion and possible action on adopting an Ordinance approving the property tax rate for the 2021-2022 Fiscal year for the City of Clarendon.

A motion was made by Alderman Floyd and seconded by Alderman Lockhart to approve Ordinance adopting the property tax rate for the 2021-2022 Fiscal year for the City of Clarendon at \$0.61375 per \$100 valuation. With a roll call vote, Alderman Floyd, Lockhart, Jeffers, Fangman, and McIntosh voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1366. Discussion and possible action on approving a Resolution to ratify the previous year's tax rate to support the 2021-2022 Fiscal year Budget for the City of Clarendon.

A motion was made by Alderman Fangman and seconded by Alderman McIntosh to approve a Resolution to ratify the previous year's tax rate to support the 2021-2022 Fiscal year Budget for the City of Clarendon. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1377. Discussion and possible action on accepting a bid to resurface a portion of S. Kearney.

A motion was made by Alderman Jeffers and seconded by Alderman Lockhart to approve a bid to resurface a portion of S. Kearney from 4th to 6th Street, and S. Taylor from 6th to 7th Street. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

02-1388. Discussion and possible action on nominating up to five (5) candidates for Board of Directors to the Donley County Appraisal District.

A motion was made by Alderman Floyd and seconded by Alderman McIntosh to nominate Jacob Fangman for the Board of Directors to the Donley County Appraisal District. With each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.

20-1399. Discussion and possible action on the City Administrators Report.

- Update on Employees
- Aquatic Center Update
- Street Resurfacing
- Connect Nation

MAYOR COMMENTS: Mayor Skelton thanked everyone and commented that there has been a full quorum for the last two meetings. He reminded Council of the Building Standards Commission Public Hearing on the Linda Lewis house at 602 S. Bugbee on September 30th at 6:00 p.m.

COUNCIL COMMENTS: Alderman McIntosh informed Council that she will not be able to attend the Building Standards Commission Public Hearing. Alderman Floyd said a gentleman who was visiting in town had commented on how impressed he was with the streets.


Adjournment:

There being no further business on the agenda, a motion was made by Alderman Fangman and seconded by Alderman Floyd to adjourn the meeting at 8:13 p.m., with each Alderman voting AYE, the motion carried.



Sandy Skelton, Mayor

Attest:



Machiel Covey, City Secretary