



**Acts of
City Council of Hinton
Regular Meeting
Tuesday May, 19 2015
7:00 p.m. -- Hinton City Hall**

1. Call to order/Roll Call – Mayor Joe Blankenship called the meeting to order and the record showed that Councilman Larry Meador, Councilman Pat Jordan, Councilman Bob Basham and Councilwoman Roberta Sorg were present. City Manager Cris Meadows and City Attorney Richard Gunnoe were also in attendance.
2. Invocation / Pledge of Allegiance – Roy Carter led the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Approval of Agenda – Councilman Basham moved to approve the agenda. Councilman Meador seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
4. Approval of Minutes- Councilman Basham moved to approve the minutes of the April 2015 regular city council meeting. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
5. Approval of Paid Invoices – Councilman Basham moved to approve the paid invoices. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
6. Approval of Financial Report April 2015 – Councilman Meador moved to approve the financial report April 2015. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
7. Approval of building permits – Councilman Basham moved to approve the building permits. Councilman Meador seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
8. Appearance of Citizens – Rick Eades complained about the placement of the speed sign and he felt there was a lot of speeding in his part of the city. Joel Lorenz asked that something be done about his neighbor’s property and was told they had been written a ticket.
9. Discussion and or action regarding city code revisions – Council stated to start an email chain to discuss dates that are available to meet.
10. Discussion and or action regarding hiring waterslide employees – Councilman Basham moved to hire all of the employees for the waterslide as presented. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
11. Discussion and or action regarding fire truck purchase – Steve Pack discussed the need for a bigger and more sturdy truck for the rescue supplies. Steve stated he had obtained pricing from several dealers for between \$49,997 and \$54,120. Cris stated that a purchase could not be made on anything over \$25,000 without a public notice in the paper per state code. Richard agreed with Cris so Council asked Steve to get the information to Cris so he could follow the proper procedure and come back with it after

that. Councilman Meador moved to request sealed bids per code. Councilman Basham seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.

12. Discussion and or action regarding Public Works Director- Mayor Blankenship recommended Billy Dan Gill as Public Works Director at a Salary of \$31,500. Councilman Basham moved to promote Billy Dan Gill on the Mayor's recommendation effective May 4, 2015. Councilman Meador seconded the motion. The motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
13. Adjournment – Councilman Basham moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilwoman Sorg seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.

Cris C. Meadows/ City Manager

Joseph M. Blankenship/ Mayor