



**Acts of
City Council of Hinton
Regular Meeting
Tuesday, December 19, 2017
11:00 a.m. -- Hinton City Hall**

1. Call to order/Roll Call – Mayor Joe Blankenship called the meeting to order, and the record showed that Councilman Meador, Councilman Pat Jordan, Councilman Jack Scott and Councilwoman Roberta Sorg were present.
2. Invocation / Pledge of Allegiance – City Manager Cris Meadows led the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Approval of Agenda – Councilman Meador moved to approve the agenda. Councilwoman Sorg seconded the motion, and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
4. Approval of Minutes- Councilman Jordan moved to approve the minutes of the November Regular Council Meeting. Councilwoman Sorg seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
5. Approval of Paid Invoices – Councilman Meador moved to approve the paid invoices. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
6. Approval of Financial Report November 2017 – Councilman Scott moved to approve the financial report. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
7. Approval of Flex-e-grant resolution – Cris stated this was for us to get the money for our comprehensive plan. WVU law will be handling it for us and they have already committed that we will be getting the money. Councilman Jordan moved to approve the resolution. Councilwoman Sorg seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
8. Appearance of Citizens – none appeared
9. Discussion and or action regarding city hall security – Cris stated that city hall is not very secure. There are no locked doors or windows for staff to escape from hostile people. He wants to change the lobby back to putting Heidi behind a window and keep people from being able to access the other offices so easily. Council discussed it and asked him to get some options.
10. Discussion and or action regarding police station – Cris discussed moving the police department. They have looked at building all over town and recently viewed the Avis school. It is not in the best shape but could be a good location. Council discussed many options but came to no resolution.
11. Councilman Jordan 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