

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

March 23, 2020

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Ray Schultz  
Mayor Pro tem Sherrie Williams  
Councilwomen Kelly Ewing and Lori Shierry  
Councilmen Andy Payne and Brad Wynn

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

PERSONNEL: Jerry Flemming, City Manager  
Steve Davis, Chief of Police  
Amie Schultz, Library Director  
Janice Newman, City Secretary

VISITORS: Dolores Hamilton

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1: Call to Order.

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: Invocation.

The Mayor gave the invocation.

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3: General Consent.

- A. Acceptance and Approval of the Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting of March 9, 2020.
- B. Acceptance and Approval of the Minutes of the Planning and Zoning Meeting of March 9, 2020.

Motion was made by Councilwoman Williams and seconded by Councilman Payne accepting and approving the general consent agenda as presented. Motion carried with five ayes. (Unanimous)

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: Resolution.

- A. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Iowa Park, Texas Declaring a Local State of Disaster for Public Health Emergency Pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code.

It was noted that on March 19, 2020, the Texas Department of State Health Services determined that COVID-19 represents a public health disaster within the meaning of Chapter 81 of the Texas Health and Safety Code and Governor Greg Abbott issued Executive Order No. GA-08 relating to

COVID-19 preparedness and mitigation. On March 20, 2020, Mayor Ray Schultz formally declared a local state of disaster for public health, pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code. The declaration continues for a period of not more than seven days unless continued or renewed by the City Council. Staff recommends the Council adopt the resolution and for the public health emergency to continue until further notice. Motion was made by Councilwoman Williams and seconded by Councilwoman Ewing approving and adopting Resolution Number 20-08 declaring a local state of disaster for a public health emergency pursuant to Section 418.108(a) of the Texas Government Code. Motion carried with five ayes. (Unanimous)

The meeting adjourned at 7:24 p.m.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020.

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Mayor Ray Schultz

ATTEST:

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City Secretary Janice Newman