

**TOWN OF WOODWORTH**  
**9363 Hwy. 165 S. (P.O. Box 228)**  
**Woodworth, LA 71485**

**MUNICIPAL MINUTES**  
**January 3, 2019**  
**4:00 p.m.**  
**Woodworth Municipal Building**

The Mayor and Council Members met in regular session on Thursday, January 3, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. with Mayor Butler presiding and the following present:

David C. Butler, II, Mayor  
Charles "Chuck" Reich, Council Member  
Tommy B. Melder, Council Member  
Jimmie S. Cranford, Council Member  
Lisa A. Aymond, Council Member  
Kevin Kitchens, Council Member

Mary D. Pringle, Town Clerk  
Paul Delaniox, Fire Chief  
James P. Gonzales, Chief of Police  
John Gagnard, Town Engineer

Mayor Butler called the regular meeting to order, stating there was a quorum, Chief James P. Gonzales gave the invocation and Fireman Zachary Rougeou led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The public in attendance was asked if they had any comments on any agenda items, and there was none.

Approval of the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of December 6, 2018, was made by Council Member Cranford, seconded by Council Member Reich, said motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approval of all monthly invoices was made by Council Member Melder, seconded by Council Member Aymond, said motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Old business: No report on the David P. James, Et Al and Deborah James Waddell, condemnation progress by Pan American Engineers.

New Business:

Town Engineer, Mr. John Gagnard gave reports on various projects within the community, including the Sidewalk Project and Street Signage & Street Paving and modifications to splash pad.

**Ord. No. 35-92**, pertaining to Personnel Ordinance, public hearing was opened for input, there was none, therefore, public hearing was closed, upon motion by Council Member Reich, seconded by Council Member Melder, said ordinance was adopted.

**Res. No. 1730-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Police Chief, was made by Council Member Aymond, seconded by Council Member Cranford, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1731-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Fire Chief, was made by Council Member Reich, seconded by Council Member Melder, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1732-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Clerk & Tax Collector, was made by Council Member Cranford, seconded by Council Member Aymond, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1733-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Operations Superintendent & Streets Commissioner, was made by Council Member Melder, seconded by Council Member Cranford, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1734-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Attorney, was made by Council Member Aymond, seconded by Council Member Melder, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1735-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Auditor, was made by Council Member Reich, seconded by Council Member Cranford, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1736-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Fiscal Agent, was made by Council Member Reich, seconded by Council Member Melder, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1737-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Engineer, was made by Council Member Melder, seconded by Council Member Aymond, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1738-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Official Journal, was made by Council Member Cranford, seconded by Council Member Reich, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1739-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Magistrate, was made by Council Member Aymond, seconded by Council Member Cranford, thus passing by unanimous vote.

**Res. No. 1740-19**, pertaining to Appointment of Municipal Pro Tem (Charles E. “Chuck” Reich, and a Pro Tem (Tommy Melder) in absent of Pro Tem and Mayor, was made by Council Member Aymond, seconded by Council Member Kitchen, thus passing by unanimous vote.

Municipal Committees will be assigned by the Mayor and available for the February 7, 2019 Regular Scheduled Meeting.

Mayor briefed the Council on various ongoing and upcoming project reports.

Upon motion by Council Member Reich, seconded by Council Member Aymond, the town meeting was adjourned by unanimous vote.

ATTEST: Mary D. Pringle, CMMC  
Clerk, Town of Woodworth

David C. Butler, II  
Mayor, Town of Woodworth

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