

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

MUNICIPAL MINUTES
April 4, 2023
4:00 p.m.
Woodworth Municipal Building

The Mayor and Council Members met in regular session on **Tuesday, April 4, 2023** at 4:00 p.m. with Mayor Butler presiding and the following present:

David C. Butler, II, Mayor
Mary D. Pringle, Town Clerk
Paul Delanoix, Fire Chief
James P. Gonzales, Chief of Police
Wesley Miller, Town Engineer

Charles "Chuck" Reich, Council Member
Jimmie S. Cranford, Council Member
Tommy B. Melder, Council Member
Lisa A. Aymond, Council Member
Kevin P. Kitchen, Council Member

Mayor Butler called the regular meeting to order, stating there was a quorum. Mr. Matt Johns led the invocation and Assist. Fire Chief Eric Hilton led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Special plaque presentation was given to recognize Chief James P. Gonzales for his 30 years of service in law enforcement with the Town of Woodworth. Thank you Chief for your dedicated service.

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 **March 2, 2023**, was made by Council Member **Melder**, seconded by Council Member **Cranford**, said motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approval of all monthly invoices was made by Council Member **Reich**, seconded by Council Member **Kitchen**, said motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Old business: None
New Business:

Mr. Wesley Miller with Pan American Engineers updated the council on the Brookwood sewer project. It is on target to be awarded at the June meeting. The PHMSA grant was awarded for \$1.9 million to replace 6 miles of PVC pipe with PE pipe.

Ord. No. 46-89, pertaining to **Traffic Regulations - Amendment**, was introduced by Council Member **Aymond**, and is proposed for adoption at the next regular council meeting of May 30, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. at the Woodworth Municipal Building.

Ord. No. 58-2023A, pertaining to **Amended Operating Budget**, was introduced by Council Member **Reich**, and is proposed for adoption at the next regular council meeting of May 30, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. at the Woodworth Municipal Building.

Ord. No. 58-2023, pertaining to **Operating Budget**, was introduced by Council Member **Aymond**, and is proposed for adoption at the next regular council meeting of **May 30, 2023** at 4:00 p.m. at the Woodworth Municipal Building.

Res. No. 1867-23, pertaining to Rescheduled Regular Town Council meeting to **Tuesday, May 30, 2023** at 4:00 p.m., at the Woodworth Municipal Building, motion by Council Member **Aymond**, seconded by Council Member **Kitchen**, thus passing by unanimous vote.

Res. No. 1868-23, pertaining to Contract Authorization with Drug Testing Consortium, motion made by Council Member **Reich**, seconded by Council Member **Melder**, thus passing by unanimous vote.

Mayor briefed the Council on various ongoing and upcoming project reports. The police, fire department and public works reports were also given.

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