



Orchard City Council Regular Meeting, August 15, 2023

1. Call to Order and Announce a Quorum is Present:

With a quorum of the Commissioners present, Mayor Rod Pavlock called the Regular Meeting of the Orchard City Council to order at 5:15 p.m. on Tuesday, August 15, 2023 in the Council Chambers of the Orchard City Hall, 9714 Kibler, Orchard, Texas.

2. Roll Call:

Rod Pavlock, Mayor
Renee Wesbrooks, Commissioner
Melissa Andel, City Secretary

3. Public Recognition: no one

4. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to approve the minutes of the July 11th 2023 meeting. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

5. No action taken on Orchard Motors. There will be a third public hearing on 9/12/2023.

6. Mayor Pavlock made a motion to raise the trash price from \$34.75 to \$38.50 per house with additional \$17.23 for extra carts. The OBRA will change from \$65.00 to \$70.00. Commissioner Wesbrooks seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

7. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to approve the 2023 / 2024 budget. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

8. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to approve the 10/20 year write off of property taxes per Texas Property Tax Code Section 33.05 "Limitation of Collection of Taxes" suggested by Fort bend CAD. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

9. Mayor Pavlock made a motion that the city approve a tax rate of 0.377502 / \$100.00 at September meeting. Commissioner Wesbrooks seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

10. No new updates on the grants.

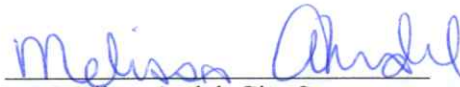
11. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to approve the July financial statements. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

12. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to approve the payment of bills for July 2023, which included a transfer of \$20,000.00 from general funds savings to general funds checking on 7/19/2023 and a transfer of \$20,000.00 from general fund savings to general fund checking on 7/31/2023. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Commissioner Wesbrooks abstained from the check number: 9391 and Mayor Pavlock abstained from check number 9367.

13. Announcements: Next meeting September 26th
Third public hearing for Orchard Motors September 26th
Shade sails and picnic tables are being placed close to the pavilion
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14. Commissioner Wesbrooks made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:58 p.m. Mayor Pavlock seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.


Rod Pavlock, Mayor


Melissa Andel, City Secretary