

CITY OF ENNIS COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

JANUARY 06, 2014

7:00 P.M.

Mayor Thomas called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. on January 6, 2014, in the City Commission Chambers of the City of Ennis Municipal Building, 115 W. Brown Street, Ennis, Texas 75119.

PRESENT: Mayor Thomas, Commissioners Salik, Frazier, Haupt, Walker, Searcy, and Holley, Interim City Manager Hatchel, City Attorney Wilson, Chief Erisman, City Secretary Batchler, and News Media.

INVOCATION: Commissioner Frazier

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE was led by Mayor Thomas.

ROLL CALL to determine the presence of a quorum: The City Secretary called the roll and determined that a quorum was present.

MINUTES

Minutes of the December 16, 2014, workshop were approved as presented on a motion by Commissioner Holley, seconded by Commissioner Frazier with all members present voting AYE. Minutes of the December 16, 2014 regular meeting were approved as presented on a motion by Commissioner Haupt and seconded by Commissioner Walker with all members present voting AYE.

NEW BUSINESS

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 7:02 p.m. Mayor Thomas adjourned into Executive Session pursuant to the Texas Government Code, Ann.§551.074 Texas Open Meetings Act “Personnel Matters” selection of City Manager upon a motion by Commissioner Haupt and seconded by Commissioner Salik with all members in attendance voting AYE.

At 8:35 p.m. Mayor Thomas reconvened into open session. Commissioner Haupt moved to authorize Consultant Chris Hartung to continue on with the search of the City Manager for Ennis, Texas with a second by Commissioner Salik and all members in attendance voting AYE.

OLD BUSINESS

APPOINTMENTS TO CITY OF ENNIS BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:

There was no action taken.

REQUEST FROM CITY COMMISSION AND ROUNDTABLE: Commissioner Holley asked Interim City Manager Hatchel to research the possibility of making a quiet zone for the railroad area going through the City of Ennis.

With no further business, Mayor Thomas adjourned the meeting at 8:40 p.m.

ATTEST:

Russell R. Thomas, Mayor

Donna Batchler, City Secretary

