City of Grays Prairie City Council Regular Meeting

Tuesday – February 13, 2024, 7:00PM

11858 FM 148, Scurry TX 75178

i. Call Regular Meeting to Order

Mayor Coogler called the meeting to order at 7:03. Dayna Peavy, Terry Wood, Toni Bardin, Sherry Aulds, and Lakesha Critton are the council members present.

ii. Previous Minutes Read

Mayor Coogler read the minutes from the previous meeting.

iii. Financial Report

Mayor Coogler read over the financial reports from November, December, and January. Mayor Coogler made a motion to approve the previous minutes and financial reports as made. Council person Dayna Peavy seconded this motion, and all council members were in favor.

iv. Citizen(s) Communications. (The City Council welcomes public comments on items not listed on the agenda. However, the Council cannot respond until the item is posted on a future meeting agenda. Citizens who wish to speak at a council meeting must complete a speaker card provided before the meeting. Three-minute limit.)

v. Old Business Discussion

-Community Center Facility Updates

Circle B construction provided a bid in the amount of \$2,875.00 to patch holes, repaint the main area and add a security light outside. Council person Dayna Peavy also suggested having the front and back doors repainted to cover the many scuffs. This will be added to the work order for Circle B Construction. Mayor Coogler motioned to approve the funds to complete this project, Terry Woods seconded the motion, and all council members were in favor.

vi. New Business Discussion

-Repairs for CR 4081

Mayor Coogler is still waiting for the county to provide a quote to have this road fully repaired. Once Mayor Coogler has received the quote, he will call a special meeting to have the funds approved to complete the repairs.

-Community Outreach Events for 2024

The city council would like to host additional outreach events for the year. A tentative date was set for a spring market/ garage sale on April 27th. The council also discussed having another fall and Christmas market in 2024. City Secretary Sarah Coogler is going to reach out to other local businesses to

potentially partner in hosting additional markets. The city will charge for booths at all markets and the proceeds will be added to the Christmas sponsorship fund for the 2024 Christmas season.

The city is also going to restart their college scholarship program. Council person Dayna Peavy is going to reach out to the SRHS and Victory Prep to see who a point of contact for these local schools would be for scholarships.

-Monthly Meeting Schedule

All 2024 city council meetings will be held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm. These dates have been added to the city's calendar on the city website.

vii. Next Meeting will be March 12, 2024, at 7:00pm.

viii. Adjournment

Mayor Coogler motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:18pm. Council person Toni Bardin seconded this motion, and all city council people were in favor.