City of Grays Prairie City Council Regular Meeting Tuesday – April 9th, 2024, 7:00PM 11858 FM 148, Scurry TX 75178

i. Call Regular Meeting to Order

Mayor Coogler called the meeting to order at 7:04pm. Council members Dayna Peavy, Sherry Aulds, and Lakesha Critton are present for this meeting.

ii. Previous Minutes Read

Mayor Coogler read the minutes from the previous meeting.

iii. Financial Report

Mayor Coogler read the financial report for the month of March. Council person Dayna Peavy made a motion to accept the previous meetings minutes and the financial report as read, council person Sherry Aulds seconded, and all council members approved.

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

-Road Repairs

Road repairs are completed on CR 4081 and CR 4061. CR 4081 required two extra loads of road base to repair. CR 4062 will be repaired once there is a break in the weather so that the road base will have time to cure properly. The county has a grant to complete the road work for the repairs on CR 4079 and CR 4080 but is unsure when the work would be completed. Mayor Coogler has asked Mr. Garcia for a quote to do minor repairs to make the roads more manageable until the county can get to them.

- Community Outreach Events for 2024

The city's first community outreach event is this month. The Grays Prairie Saturday Market will be held on the third Saturday of the month, April 20th, from 9:00am – 1:00pm. There are currently 9 vendors signed up with several others that have expressed interest. Mayor Coogler suggested purchasing some signage to help drive traffic to the markets. TNT Graphix quoted the city \$12 per yard sign and \$10 per square foot for a banner. It was decided the city would purchase 5 yard signs to place in front of the community center and at major local intersections. Mayor Coogler motioned to approve the funds to purchase 5 yard signs from TNT Graphix, council person Dayna Peavy seconded this motion, and all council people approved this motion.

Council person Dayna Peavy is finalizing the information for local graduating students to apply for a small scholarship from the city. Once this is finalized it will be posted on the city's website and

marketed on the city's Facebook page. The council hopes to have all scholarship applications received before the next monthly meeting so that recipients can be chosen during that meeting.

v. New Business Discussion

The city had no new business to discuss.

vii. Next Meeting will be May 14th, 2024, at 7:00pm.

viii. Adjournment

Mayor Coogler motion to adjourn at 7:17pm, council person Dayna Peavy seconded this motion, and all council members approved.