

Meeting Minutes
October 25, 2018

The Board of Alderman of the City of Plantersville, Grimes County, Texas, met in a special called meeting on Thursday, October 25, 2018, 7:00 p.m. at Plantersville Town Hall, 11335 Lodge Lane, Plantersville, Texas.

The following members were present:

<i>Mayor – Karen Hale</i>	<i>Secretary – Kristina Keyser-Mayton</i>	<i>Alderman – Clay Godfrey</i>
<i>Mayor Pro Tem – Kimberly Allphin</i>	<i>Alderman – Otis Greenwood Jr</i>	<i>Alderman – Marilyn Bettes</i>

Thus constituting a quorum:

Visitors who signed up to speak were Roy Johnson and Sherry Fauth.

1. Mayor Karen Hale called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.
Invocation was given by Alderman Otis Greenwood.
The Board of Alderman and visitors recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and Texas Flag.
2. The minutes from regular meeting of October 8, 2018 were approved as presented.
3. Public Comments:
Roy Johnson made an announcement that on November 8, 2018 at the Grimes County Expo Center in Navasota will be a family event regarding the Texas High Speed Rail. He also wanted to know if there was ever a public meeting regarding the Highway 105 project.

Sherry Fauth spoke regarding the Highway 105 project stating that she sees no benefit of moving Highway 105 over and that it is going to be detrimental to Plantersville and is going to kill several of the businesses in Plantersville.
4. Representatives from TxDOT Chad Bohne and Ronnie Becker were present to give information and answer questions regarding the intersection of SH 105 and FR 1774. Chad Bohne state that the project originated in 2012 as a grade separation but the community was not happy about that.
5. There was an ad placed in the newspaper regarding the Election for Sales and Use Tax.
6. County Judge Joe Fauth gave a report on Region 7 Zoonosis Control Program. The health department regulates animals with rabies using this program. The only animal collected in Grimes County has been a bat. Each municipality in the county is required to have someone responsible for this program. Judge Fauth has spoken with Sheriff Don Sowell and is trying to get a county employee to be responsible for the Zoonosis Control Program and taking the dead animals to the correct laboratory. Judge Fauth is still researching this program and finding out more information.
7. Alderman Marilyn Bettes announced that there is a Five Star Metal Builders business being built on Highway 105. They will be constructing and selling metal buildings.
8. No executive session needed.
9. Alderman Marilyn Bettes made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Clay Godfrey with each Alderman voting yes. Mayor Karen Hale adjourned the meeting at 8:14 p.m.