

Special Meeting Minutes—City of Plantersville
March 5, 2025

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Plantersville, Grimes County, Texas, met at 5:30 p.m. p.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2025, in Town Hall, 11335 Lodge Lane, Plantersville, Texas.

Members Present:

Karen Hale, Mayor

Kim Allphin, Mayor Pro-Tem

Dedrick Mallard, Alderman

Marilyn Bettes, Alderman, Secretary

Absent: Sonya Brewer, John Greenwood, IV, Alderman

Visitors: None

1. **Call to Order:** Quorum established. Mayor Hale called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m. The Invocation was given by Alderman Kim Allphin followed by the pledges led by Alderman Bettes.
2. **Public Comments:** none
3. **Discuss/consider/approve:** discussion of 2025-2026 Texas Community Development Fund Grant, CDBG Program of Texas Department of Agriculture location possibilities:
Discussion: Steve Duncan with Bleyl Engineering was present to describe the location possibilities that fit the requirement by DOA for the grant. There are 2 main locations that fit the requirement: CR 311 and CR 203, with CR 203 in the greatest need for improvements. Mr. Duncan brought maps for each Alderman. He showed us the scope of the project that he recommends. He mentioned that CR 311 is already up for some fairly major work. Mayor Hale said that Grimes County Road & Bridge will soon be fixing the culvert situation at the curve on the creek and will overlay a long section of CR 311 starting at the far end and going toward SH 105. The materials will not reach SH 105, but the Mayor has asked for a quote on what the materials to finish the overlay on the road to SH 105 would be so that the City can possibly pay for those materials and have all of CR 311 in good shape. Mr. Duncan answered a few questions.
Motion: to pursue CR 203 as the project for this grant by Alderman Mallard
Second: Alderman Bettes
Voting: Yes. Unanimous
Final Resolution: Motion carries
4. Closed Session: not needed
5. Open Session: not needed
6. Adjourn: The Mayor adjourned the meeting at 5:50 pm.

Approved:


Karen Hale, Mayor

Attest:


Suzan Jones, City Secretary

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