

January 20, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: O. C. Hall  
Aldermen: T. LaRousse, L. Silverberg, D. Lounsberry,  
Ed Holton, Lillian Franklin  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Deputy: D. Barnes  
Attorney: G. Goodson

~~Liberty~~ C.A.T.V.

*Bridge City*

Al McKay  
Eleven Visitors

Invocation by Holton.

Minutes approved as printed.

Mr. Goodson and Mr. McKay discussed and answered questions about C.A.T.V. This service should be available by the fall.

M/M/2/C That we adopt ordinance granting contract to Liberty Cable Television.

M/M/2/C That we give approval to Jefferson County Mosquito Control to fly over city. LaRousse, Franklin.

M/M/2/C That we adopt truck ordinance regulating truck routes in city. LaRousse, Holton.

M/M/2/C That we adopt trailer park ordinance as amended. Section V, Paragraph VI to read 14 feet.

Mr. Goodson reported that town could remove access dirt from drainage ditch with approval of Temple Industry.

Mrs. Neichoy named two others to serve on her committee. John Fisher, Joe McKee.

M/M/2/C

That we adopt resolution commending the Fire Department. Lounsberry, Franklin.

Mayor reported election date for city to be April 4, 1981.

Filing to be February 3, 1981 to March 5, 1981

Absentee voting to be from March 15th to April 1, 1981.

Adjourn: 9:15 P. M.

Treasurer's Report:	First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
	First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
	First Federal Pass Book	6,070.93
	Central Bank Checking Account	380.51
	Bevil Oaks Building Fund	816.82

*Feb.*

March 17, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: O. C. Hall

Aldermen: T. LaRousse, L. Silverberg, Ed Holton,  
D. Lounsberry

Marshall: H. Richey

Invocation by Holton.

Minutes approved as printed.

M/M/2/C That we approve Mrs. Jetton as election  
judge for 1981. Lounsberry, Silverberg

M/M/2/C That we approve D. Collins as alternate  
judge. Lounsberry, Holton

M/M/2/C That all official notices will be put in  
one edition of Hardin County News and  
Beaumont Enterprise. LaRousse, Silverberg

Discussed street lights in Lowery Addition.  
No action taken until next month.

Ron Thomas discussed a city meeting to be  
held in center. A "Meet The Candidate  
Night".

Discussed discontinuing the position of  
Deputy Marshall. No action taken.

Adjourn: 9:15 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	766.64
Central Bank Checking Account	1,939.30
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,437.82

March 17, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: O. C. Hall

Aldermen: T. LaRousse, Ed Holton, D. Lounsberry  
L. Silverberg, Lillian Franklin

Marshall: H. Richey

Invocation by Holton.

Mrs. Hall gave a talk on Stewardship.

Minutes approved as printed.

M/M/2/C That we discontinue the position of  
Deputy Marshall. Franklin, Lounsberry

M/M/2/C That the City take over the payment of  
the last street light in the Lowery  
Addition. Holton, Lounsberry

M/M/2/C That we have an attorney write a letter  
to B.O.M.U.D. to clear the obstruction  
in drain pipe on Endwood between Shipley  
and Sweetgum. LaRousse, Franklin

City Council wishes to express their  
appreciation to Bubba Doucette for  
painting the sign board.

Mayor read a poem.

Mrs. Adams presented Mayor with a cake  
and read a poem she had written.

Adjourn: 8:15 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:	First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
	First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
	First Federal Pass Book	766.64
	Central Bank Checking Account	1,273.42
	Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,437.82

April

~~May~~ 21, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: O. C. Hall  
Aldermen: T. LaRousse, L. Silverberg, Ed Holton,  
D. Lounsberry, Lillian Franklin  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Attorney: Guy Goodson

Invocation by Bill Armstrong

Mayor appointed Nancy Walters, L. Silverberg,  
Harry Godbold to a audit committee to audit  
the books.

M/M/2/C

That all previous committees be disbanded to  
allow new mayor to appoint committees.  
LaRousse, Franklin

Mayor reported that town had purchased some cold  
mix to repair streets if anyone needed any.

Minutes approved as printed.

M/M/2/C

That we accept election results of 1981.  
LaRousse, Lounsberry.

Mayor gave a short talk.

T. LaRousse presented Mayor a gavel from him,  
to show appreciation for the many years they  
served together.

Adjourned to auditorium for swearing in cere-  
monies.

Received \$1,193.37 check for street rental for  
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Adjourn: 8:30 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:	First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
	First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
	First Federal Pass Book	766.64
	Central Bank Checking Account	1,273.42.
	Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,437.82

May 19, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer  
Aldermen: T. LaRousse, Sherry Adams, Nancy Walters,  
Lillian Franklin, L. Silverberg, H. Davidson  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Attorney: G. Goodson

Invocation by Silverberg

Minutes approved as printed

Charles Bordeman (G.S.U.) discussed and answered questions concerning G.S.U. rate increase.

M/M/2/C

That we suspend to a future date of 120 days from June 5th pending P.U.C. hearing on G.S.U. rate increase. Davidson, Franklin

Nancy Walters reported for Audit Committee. They had met on April 22 and audited books from July 1974 to April 1981. They found books were in good order.

M/M/2/C

That we accept Audit Committee report.  
LaRousse, Silverberg

L. Silverberg - Elected Treasurer  
T. LaRousse - Elected Secretary  
H. Davidson - Elected Mayor Pro-Tem

Mayor stated that any business to be brought before the council must be on the agenda. This must be presented to secretary a week before meeting.

All persons will be allowed to speak but action will not be taken unless it is an emergency.

Mayor stated that he would have a report next meeting on streets and drainage.

Marshall to have a list of street signs that are needed.

Adjourn: 8:30 P.M.

Treasurer's Report

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	371.23
Central Bank Checking Account	1,296.95
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,835.52

June 16, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer  
Aldermen: H. Davidson, Nancy Walters, Lillian Franklin,  
Sherry Adams, L. Silverberg, T. LaRousse  
Attorney: Guy Goodson

Invocation by Silverberg

Minutes approved as printed.

M/M/2/C That we ask Mr. L. Godkin to head up a historic  
committee. Franklin, Davidson

Mayor read letter from First Baptist Church  
inviting council to church on the morning of  
July 5, 1981.

R. Adams made a report from Fire Department.

Mayor made a report that drainage district would  
clean major ditches if they could get access to  
property.

Attorney recommended that council inform drainage  
district that town would be willing to work with  
them.

Mayor reported that County would re-pave most  
streets one more time before making a commitment  
on maintaining streets.

M/M/2/C That town acquire a bulk mailing permit.  
Walters, Adams.

Discussed fire crackers in town. No action taken.

M/M/2/C That town join Texas Municiple League.  
Adams, Walters.

Discussed insurance. No action taken.

Attorney had received a letter from U.S. Attorney  
General's office approving coversion of town  
to city.



Lots were drawn for length of terms in office.

Ward 1	One Year	Silverberg
Ward 1	Two Years	Walters
Ward 2	One Year	LaRousse
Ward 2	Two Years	Franklin
Ward 3	One Year	Davidson
Ward 3	Two Years	Adams

Adjourn: 9:00 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	842.53
Central Bank Checking Account	586.94
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,835.52

*July*  
~~June~~ 16, 1981

THE CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer  
Aldermen: T. LaRousse, L. Silverberg, Nancy Walters,  
Sherry Adams, Lillian Franklin, H. Davidson  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Attorney: Guy Goodson

Invocation by Silverberg

Minutes approved as printed.

M/M/2/C

That we approve a budget of \$18,285.00 for 1981-82. Davidson, Franklin

R. Adams made report for Fire Department.

Mr. Don Giblin discussed an ordinance preventing live stock in town.

Attorney said an ordinance passed now would not change this situation that now exist.

Mr. Adams recommended that town by not having an ordinance, that the matter should be left to Environmental Control with co-operation of town.

Attorney would check on book of ordinances.

M/M/2/C

That we transfer \$1000.00 from Revenue Sharing fund to be replaced in fall. LaRousse, Silverberg

M/M/2/C

That we change name of aldermen to council person. T. LaRousse, L. Silverberg

M/M/2/C

That we purchase Workmans Compensation Life Insurance of \$117.00 per year for Marshall. Walters, Adams

Mr. Silverberg read letter from Dolores Hall concerning health clinic.

Adjourn: 8:50 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	42.53
Central Bank Checking Account	681.76
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,835.52

August 18, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer

Councilpersons: T. LaRousse, Nancy Walters, Emma Lillian Franklin,  
H. Davidson, L. Silverberg

Marshall: H. Richey

Invocation by Franklin

Minutes approved as printed.

R. Adams gave a report from Fire Department.

H. Richey gave a report from Marshall's Office.

Mayor discussed River Bend. Road believed to be unsafe for school bus to travel. Lawyer had recommended sending letter to school board stating condition of road and suggested using another route.

M/M/2/C That town send a letter to B.I.S.D. informing them of the condition of River Bend Road.  
Davidson, Franklin

Nancy Walters discussed building permits.

Sewer problems on Inwood discussed. No action taken.

M/M/2/C That town purchase Compensation Life Insurance for Marshall Richey for one year. Franklin, Davidson

M/M/2/C That town send out news letter to town periodically.  
LaRousse, Franklin

M/M/2/C That Mayor, Secretary or Mayor Pro-Tem be designated to sign town papers. Franklin, LaRousse

Al McKay would be in town on the 19th to survey town for C.A.T.V. with Engineer.

Adjourn: 9:00 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:	First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
	First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
	First Federal Pass Book	525.30
	Central Bank Checking Account	465.10
	Bevil Oaks Building Fund	1,371.29

September 15, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer

Councilpersons: Nancy Walters, L. Silverberg, Emma Lillian Franklin, H. Davidson, Sherry Adams

Marshall: H. Richey

Invocation by Silverberg.

Minutes approved as printed.

Mayor reported school bus was not using River Bend, as the Council had requested.

R. Adams gave a report from Fire Department stating that they would contact each person that had signed note for the Civic Center and inform them that the Civic Center was paid for.

H. Richey reported that he needs seat covers for Marshall's car. He said he would get estimates and report back to Council next month.

E. Lindsey and B. Cammack from Bevil Oaks Municipal Utilities District asked the Council to split in half the cost of installing a 48 inch culvert in the large drainage ditch draining under Inwood.

M/M/2/C

That the City of Bevil Oaks pay up to \$1500.00 on the cost of installing the culvert (48 inch) under Inwood between Sweetgum and Shipley; that the City pay one-half of the total cost and that BOMUD pay one-half equally. Davidson, Adams.

M/M/2/C

That the City of Bevil Oaks purchase a new Civil Defense antenna, approximate cost of \$80.00. Adams, Franklin.

Mayor discussed the Big Thicket Preserve regulations.

Nancy Walters reported that she is gathering information on liability insurance for the roads and Civic Center.

Adjourn: 9:00 p.m.

Treasurer's Report: As of August 31, 1981:

First Fed. Money Mkt. Cert.	\$10,000.00
First Fed. Money Mkt. Cert.	\$10,000.00
First Fed. Pass Book	25.30
Central Bank Checking Acct.	329.94
Bevil Oaks Bldg. Fund	1,371.29

October 1, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Special Call Meeting

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer

Alderspersons: LaRousse, Silverberg, Walters, Davidson,  
Adams

Marshall: H. Richey

Attorney: Guy Goodson

Lee Everette, Judy Moses (Gulf States Utilities)

Al McKay and Associate (Bridge City CATV)

Visitor: Mr. Walters

M/M/2/C

That we adopt ordinance granting G.S.U. a 48.9  
million per anum rate increase.

LaRousse, Davidson

Opposed by Nancy Walters

Discussed CATV. No action taken.

Adjourn: 9:00 P.M.

October 20, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer  
Alderspersons: T. LaRousse, N. Walters, E.L. Franklin,  
L. Silverberg  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Attorney: Guy Goodson  
CATV: Al McKay

Visitors

Invocation by Silverberg

Minutes approved as printed

Fire Department report by R. Adams

Report from Marshall Richey

M/M/2/C That we grant rate ordinance to Bridge City  
Cable Television. Franklin, Walters

M/M/2/C That we purchase a Comprehensive General  
Liability Policy from Floyd West Insurance  
Company for \$413.00 per year. T. LaRousse,  
Franklin

Discussed street light at corner of Shipley  
and Inwood. No action taken.

Adjourn: 9:00 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	10,284.12
Central Bank Checking Account	4,608.57
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	348.01

*Now*  
~~December~~ 17, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: J. Whitmeyer

Alderspersons: T. LaRousse, E.L. Franklin, N. Walters,  
S. Adams, L. Silverberg, H. Davidson

Marshall: H. Richey

Attorney: G. Goodson

Invocation by Silverberg

Minutes approved as printed.

R. Adams gave a report from Fire Department.

Marshall Richey reported a number of cases of vandalism in town.

M/M/2/C

That we have an ordinance concerning the drilling of oil wells in City be drawn up by the attorney. LaRousse, Franklin

Discussed Drainage District 6 working on ditches in City. Attorney to write them a letter and some members of council plan to attend their next meeting.

Mrs. Walters brought a picture of Ex-Mayor Hall to be hung in Center.

Check for \$1,776.11 was received from Entex.

Mrs. Adams gave an acknowledgement to a group of citizens who had been putting up some street signs.

Adjourn: 9:05 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	10,827.67
Central Bank Checking Account	793.86
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	895.29



December 15, 1981

CITY OF BEVIL OAKS

Mayor: Jim Whitmeyer  
Alderspersons: T. LaRousse, S. Adams, L. Silverberg, N. Walters,  
H. Davidson  
Marshall: H. Richey  
Attorney: G. Goodson  
Visitors: R. Thomas, R. Adams, H. Walters

Minutes approved as printed.

Mayor made a report of his meeting with County Commissioners.

Discussed ordinance regulating drilling of oil wells in City.

Discussed garbage dump in Hardin County. Garbage collector said there was no problem.

M/M/2/C To pay \$550.00 for road liability insurance.  
Davidson, Adams

Discussed B.O.M.U.D. finishing streets. Council to ask B.O.M.U.D. to meet with council at next work session.

M/M/2/C That a letter be sent to town stating the three options that the town has concerning taxes, etc. This letter to be mailed to each home.  
Davidson, Adams

Adjourn: 9:30 P.M.

Treasurer's Report:

First Federal Money Market Certificate	\$10,000.00
First Federal Money Market Certificate	10,000.00
First Federal Pass Book	10,827.67
Central Bank Checking Account	2,011.19
Bevil Oaks Building Fund	895.29