

# CITY COUNCIL MEETING SPECIAL SESSION & BUDGET WORKSHOP

Tuesday, July 30, 2024 at 4:00 PM

City Hall, 102 W. Ashley Wilson Rd, Sweeny, Texas

## MINUTES

BE IT KNOWN that the City Council of the City of Sweeny met in **Special Session** on **Tuesday, July 30, 2024 at 4:00 PM.** at City Hall, 102 W. Ashley Wilson Rd, Sweeny, Texas with the following agenda.

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### CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Mayor Hopkins called the meeting to order at 4PM.

Neal Bess Jr., Reese Cook, Brian Brooks, and John Rambo were in attendance.

### PLEDGES & INVOCATION

The pledges were led by Neal Bess Jr. The invocation was given by Reese Cook.

### CITIZENS WISHING TO ADDRESS CITY COUNCIL

Hector Garcia of 702 Pine Street stated he reported a gas leak at the same time power was being restored. City employees used equipment to complete repairs and made ruts in his yard. He is upset over the ruts and damage to his yard. The job still needs to be finished and smoothed out. He is requesting sand and grass to be placed in his backyard to look nice.

### REGULAR AGENDA

1. Discuss and consider appointing a replacement for vacancy created by the resignation of Council Member Pettigrew; Position No. 5

Mayor Hopkins stated there are questions surrounding how quickly we moved at the last meeting. He is confirming we didn't move out of law. Attorney Stevenson stated that the agenda item on the last meeting was broad enough, in his opinion, to cover this, but if Council would like to be more specific, they can retake that action under this specific agenda item to appoint that person.

Discussion only; no action.

2. Administering of the Oath of Office and Statement of Appointed Officer; Appointment of Official, Council Position No. 5

Oath of Office and Statement of Appointed Official was administered to Caniel "Shaun" Massey by the City Secretary.

3. Presentation of Certificate of Appointment

Mayor Hopkins presented Caniel "Shaun" Massey with his Certificate of Appointment to Position No. 5 of the Sweeny City Council.

Mr. Massey took his seat as Councilman Position No. 5.

4. FY 2024 / 2025 Budget Workshop

Discussion Only; No Action

### ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

Caniel Massey stated the Lions Club is this weekend. (The Back to School Backpack and Supplies Drive).

### ADJOURN REGULAR SESSION

Mayor Hopkins adjourned the meeting at 6:02PM.

Staff Present:

City Manager, Lindsay Koskiniemi

Terrence Bell, Public Works Director

Brad Caudle, Police Chief

David Jordan, Technical Advisor

Karla Wilson, Finance Director/ Personnel Services

Kaydi Smith, City Secretary

Passed and approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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Kaydi Smith, City Secretary