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# CITY COUNCIL MEETING

August 26, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Wolfforth City Hall - 302 Main Street Wolfforth, TX

## MINUTES

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### **CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Addington at 6:00 PM.

### **INVOCATION - Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson**

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - Councilmember Place 4 McDonald**

### **ROLL CALL AND ESTABLISH A QUORUM**

#### **PRESENT**

Mayor Charles Addington

Councilmember Place 1 David Cooper

Councilmember Place 2 Wesley Houck

Mayor Pro Tem Doug Hutcheson

Councilmember Place 4 Charlotte McDonald

Councilmember Place 5 Austin Brashier

### **SAFETY REVIEW**

### **CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT**

This is an opportunity for the public to address the City Council regarding an item on the agenda, except public hearings that are included on the agenda. Comments related to public hearings will be heard when the specific hearing begins. Citizen comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker, unless the speaker requires the assistance of a translator, in which case the speaker is limited to six (6) minutes, in accordance with applicable law. Each speaker shall approach the designated speaker location, complete the citizen engagement sign-in sheet and state his/her name and city of residence before speaking. Speakers shall address the City Council with civility that is conducive to appropriate public discussion. Speakers can address only the City Council and not individual city officials or employees. The public cannot speak from the gallery but only from the designated speaker location.

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There were no public comments.

## **REGULAR SESSION**

1. Consider and take appropriate action on Ordinance 2024-019

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS ADOPTING THE CITY OF WOLFFORTH'S ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2024, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2025; AND PROVIDING OTHER DETAILS RELATING TO THE PASSAGE OF THIS ORDINANCE

Motion to approve Ordinance 2024-019

Motion made by Councilmember Place 1 Cooper, Seconded by Councilmember Place 5 Brashier.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Place 1 Cooper, Councilmember Place 2 Houck, Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Councilmember Place 5 Brashier

2. Consider and take appropriate action on Resolution 2024-030

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS, RATIFYING THE PROPERTY TAX INCREASE REFLECTED IN THE CITY'S FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 OPERATING BUDGET AS REQUIRED BY TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 102.007 WHEN ADOPTING A BUDGET THAT WILL REQUIRE RAISING MORE REVENUES FROM PROPERTY TAXES THAN IN THE PREVIOUS YEAR; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

Motion to approve Resolution 2024-030

Motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Seconded by Councilmember Place 1 Cooper.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Place 1 Cooper, Councilmember Place 2 Houck, Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Councilmember Place 5 Brashier

3. Consider and take appropriate action on Ordinance 2024-020

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF CITY OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS TAX NOTE, SERIES 2024; LEVYING AN ANNUAL AD VALOREM TAX AND PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF SAID NOTE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ENACTING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE SUBJECT

Motion to approve Ordinance 2024-020

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Motion made by Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Seconded by Councilmember Place 1 Cooper.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Place 1 Cooper, Councilmember Place 2 Houck, Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Councilmember Place 5 Brashier

4. Consider and take appropriate action on Ordinance 2024-021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOLFFORTH, TEXAS, ADOPTING AN AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAX RATE OF \$0.779979 AND LEVYING TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 TO PROVIDE REVENUE FOR THE PAYMENT OF CURRENT EXPENDITURES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND ORDAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF.

Motion that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of \$0.779979, which is effectively a 15.4% increase in the tax rate.

Motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Seconded by Councilmember Place 4 McDonald.

Record Vote

Cooper - Yea

Houck - Yea

Hutcheson - Yea

McDonald - Yea

Brashier - Yea

**ADJOURN**

Motion to adjourn at 6:11 PM.

Motion made by Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson.

Voting Yea: Councilmember Place 1 Cooper, Councilmember Place 2 Houck, Mayor Pro Tem Hutcheson, Councilmember Place 4 McDonald, Councilmember Place 5 Brashier

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**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 16TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024.**

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Charles Addington, II, Mayor  
City of Wolforth, Texas

ATTEST:

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Terri Robinette, City Secretary

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