

CITY OF WALKER

MINUTES

October 10, 2011

7:00 P.M.

The regular meeting of the Walker Mayor and Board of Alderman was held at the Walker City Hall on October 10, 2011 at 7:00 PM. Present were Mayor Bobby Font, Alderman, Scarlett Major, James Phillips, Jack Summerell and Richard Wales. Absent was Alderman Elton Burns.

The meeting was opened with prayer led be Mr. Richard Wales.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Font.

Mr. James Phillips made a motion, seconded by Mr. Jack Summerell to approve the minutes of the September 12, 2011 meeting as presented.

Yeas: Major, Phillips, Summerell and Wales

Nays: None

Absent: Burns

Mr. Mickey McMorris a candidate for Livingston Parish Sheriff was present to request the support of the Mayor and Board in the October 22, 2011 election.

Mr. Jason Ard a candidate for Livingston Parish Sheriff was present to request the support of the Mayor and Board in the October 22, 2011 election.

Mr. Jack Summerell made a motion, seconded by Mrs. Scarlett Major to approve the resolution authorizing change order no. 1, recommended by Chad Bacas with Forte & Tablada Engineering Firm in the amount of \$3,463.00; to include insulation for the roof and walls in the maintenance area for the new DPW Building.

Yeas: Major, Phillips, Summerell and Wales

Nays: None

Absent: Burns

Mr. Richard Wales made a motion, seconded by Mr. James Phillips to approve the resolution awarding Hard Rock Construction, LLC's bid in the amount of \$96,470 for Phase II - Walker Landscaping Project.

Yeas: Major, Phillips, Summerell and Wales

Nays: None

Absent: Burns

Mrs. Scarlett Major introduced an ordinance to amend Section 3.8 B of the Alcohol Beverage Control Ordinance be set for a public hearing at the regular scheduled meeting on November 14, 2011.

Following a public hearing Mrs. Scarlett Major made a motion, seconded by Mr. Richard Wales to approve Amendment 1 for the 2011 Budget to include \$97,500 increase to the General Fund revenues and \$313,639 increase in General Fund expenditures and a \$264,210 increase in General Fund Other Financing Sources.

Yeas: Major, Phillips, Summerell and Wales

Nays: None

Absent: Burns

Captain Marliam Lee presented the Walker Police Report indicating 120 citations were issued in the month of September 2011.

Captain Lee indicated that the new hire for the reserves were to be removed from the agenda and Chief Grimes wanted the Aldermen to keep Car Fax in mind.

Mayor Font explained that the work over at Sidney Hutchinson Park was extending the walking trail so that it could be lengthened and lighted.

Mr. Brandon Young with Hard Rock Construction was present and introduced himself to the Board, indicating that he lived in Walker and would make himself available for any concerns involving Phase II of the Walker Landscape Project if any arise.

There being no additional comments or business to discuss, Mr. Richard Wales made a motion to adjourn with a second by Mr. Jack Summerell.

Yeas: Major, Phillips, Summerell and Wales

Nays: None

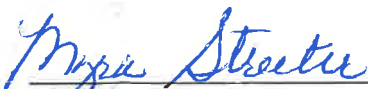
Absent: Burns

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED



MAYOR BOBBY FONT

ATTEST:



Myra Streeter, Clerk
CMC; CMA; CAA