

City of Coolidge
Council Meeting
SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN

August 8, 2023
6:30 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Diane H. Causey; City Manager Don Cole; City Attorney Tommy Coleman; Councilmembers F. Johnson, Leger, M. Johnson, Braswell (arrived at 6:50 PM)

ABSENT: Councilmember Gilligan

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Diane H. Causey

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: City Manager Don Cole

SPEAKER APPEARANCES: NO SPEAKER APPEARANCES

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

JULY 11, 2023, WORKSHOP MINUTES:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

JULY 11, 2023, COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

JULY 18, 2023, CALLED MEETING MINUTES:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

APPROVE BILLS TO BE PAID:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT:

CITY MANAGER REPORT

MOTION TO SCHEDULE COUNCIL RETREAT FOR OCTOBER 21, 2023:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

FINANCE DEPARTMENT:

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO MERITTA PATILLO, INTERIM CITY CLERK

ADOPT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING INTERIM CITY CLERK MERITTA PATILLO AND CITY MANAGER DON COLE AS SIGNATORIES ON THE WASTEWATER GRANT ACCOUNT, WITH MAYOR DIANE H. CAUSEY AS EMERGENCY BACKUP SIGNATORY:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

APPROVE SPLOST INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT – ALLOCATION – 1.15%:

APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

CHIEF'S REPORT

APPROVE TAKE-HOME CAR FOR CHIEF DREW CAMPBELL:
NO MOTION FOR APPROVAL

APPROVE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) LIDAR RADAR UNIT - \$1,500.00:
APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

STREET DEPARTMENT:

APPROVE THOMAS COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS ESTIMATE TO CLEAN DRAINAGE DITCHES:
APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

WATER AND WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT:

NO BUSINESS TO DISCUSS

RECREATION DEPARTMENT:

UPDATE ON PLAYGROUND UNIT AND SIGNS

OLD BUSINESS:

DISCUSS/APPROVE MEDIACOM RIGHT-OF-WAY AGREEMENT:
NO MOTION FOR APPROVAL

APPROVE COLOR CHOICE FOR RUGS – ORIGINAL COLOR CHOICE UNAVAILABLE:
MOTION TO APPROVE “WHEAT” AS COLOR CHOICE FOR RUGS:
APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

DISCUSS/APPROVE ESTABLISHMENT OF CITY OF COOLIDGE FACEBOOK PAGE:
MOTION TO ESTABLISH CITY OF COOLIDGE FACEBOOK PAGE POLICY:
APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

NEW BUSINESS:

MOTION TO HAVE AUDIO RECORDING OF MEETINGS EMAILED TO COUNCIL:
APPROVED AS PRESENTED (4 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

NO EXECUTIVE SESSION

ADJOURNMENT