

City of Coolidge  
Council Meeting  
**SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN**

June 20, 2023  
6:30 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Causey; City Manager Cole; Council Members F. Johnson, Gilligan, Braswell, Leger, and M. Johnson

ABSENT:

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Diane H. Causey

**INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Councilmember Adam Gilligan

**COUNCILMEMBER FREDDIE JOHNSON ADMINISTERED OATH OF OFFICE FOR COUNCIL SEAT**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

May 9, 2023 Workshop Minutes:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

May 9, 2023 Council Meeting Minutes:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

May 18, 2023 Workshop Minutes:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

**SPEAKER APPEARANCES:** None.

**APPROVAL OF ORDER OF AGENDA:**

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

**APPROVAL OF BILLS TO BE PAID:**

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

**CITY MANAGER'S REPORT**

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT:**

APPROVE 1<sup>st</sup> READING OF SPECIAL ELECTION ORDINANCE NAMING MERITTA PATILLO AS  
SUPERINTENDANT OF QUALIFYING:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

DISPENSE WITH 2<sup>nd</sup> READING AND ADOPT SPECIAL ELECTION ORDINANCE:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

APPROVE RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THOMAS COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

APPROVE RESOLUTION TO AMEND BUDGET ON A QUARTERLY BASIS:

**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:  
CHIEF'S REPORT**

**WATER AND WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT:**

RATIFY PURCHASE OF 1,000 FEET OF WIRE TO CONNECT AERATOR:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

RATIFY SMITH ELECTRIC ESTIMATE FOR WELL #3 TRANSFORMER AND ASSOCIATED MECHANISMS –  
SPLOST:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

**OLD BUSINESS:**

DISCUSS/APPROVE SOUND-PROOFING MEASURES FOR COUNCIL ROOM – RUGS:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

DISCUSS/APPROVE METHODIST CHURCH ESTIMATE:  
**WORKSHOP TO BE SCHEDULED TO DISCUSS PLAYGROUND AND METHODIST CHURCH**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION: PERSONNEL**

MOTION TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

MOTION TO EXIT EXECUTIVE SESSION:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)

APPROVE PAY INCREASE AND TAKE-HOME CAR (60-DAY TRIAL BASIS) FOR CHIEF CAMPBELL:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (4 AYE votes, 1 NAY vote)

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION TO ADJOURN:  
**APPROVED AS PRESENTED** (5 AYE votes, 0 NAY votes)