

The City Commission of the City of Canyon ,met at 9:00 am in the City Commission Chambers of the Civic Complex with the meeting broadcast on YouTube. Mayor Gary Hinders presided over the meeting with the following Commissioners in attendance, Mayor Pro-Tem Cody Jones, Roger Remlinger, Randy Ray, and Paul Lyons.

Also present were the following City Staff: City Manager Joe Price, Assistant City Manager Jon Behrens, City Secretary Gretchen Mercer, IT Manager Shaun Holtman, Business and Community Development Director Evelyn Ecker, and City Attorney Chuck Hester.

Item 1. Call to Order.

Mayor Hinders called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Item 2. Invocation.

Mayor Pro-Tem Jones gave the invocation.

Item 3. Pledge of Allegiance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Lyons.

Item 4. Approval of Minutes of the City of Canyon Commission Meeting of April 6, 2020.

Mayor Hinders stated the vote for the motion was not listed on Item 7. City Attorney Chuck Hester said his statement should include “Mr. Hester said that GA-14 allows municipalities to enforce rules and regulations not inconsistent with GA-14”.

Mayor Pro-Tem Jones moved, duly seconded by Commissioner Remlinger to approve the minutes of April 6, 2020 with stated changes. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 5. Consider and Take Appropriate Action on Proposed Amendment of the Approved Economic Development Corporation Budget 2019-2020 in the Amount of \$200,000 to Support the COVID-19 Small Business Recovery Grant Program as Recommended by the Canyon Economic Development Corporation Board.

Business and Community Development Director Evelyn Ecker presented a proposed amendment to the 2019-2020 CEDC Budget to provide Economic Recovery Grants to Canyon businesses that apply in response to COVID-19 hardships. Ms. Ecker stated the grants would be a max of \$5,000 each and available to “brick and mortar” businesses. Mayor Pro-Tem Jones asked if home-based businesses could be considered since they also are experiencing hardships due to non-essential business being shut down. Ms. Ecker replied all businesses are encouraged to apply.

Mayor Pro-Tem Jones moved, duly seconded by Commissioner Remlinger to approve amending the Canyon Economic Development Corporation Budget for 2019-2020 in the amount of \$200,000 to support COVID-19 Small Business Recovery Grant Program. Motion carried unanimously.

Item 6. Adjourn

There being no further business, Mayor Pro-Tem Jones moved this meeting be adjourned.

Gary Hinders, Mayor

ATTEST:

Gretchen Mercer, City Secretary