Town of Pine Level

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MINUTES REGULAR MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL FEBRUARY 8, 2024, 5:45 p.m.

The Town of Pine Level held a Mayor and Council Regular Meeting on Thursday, February 8, 2024, in a meeting room of the Pine Level Volunteer Fire Department.

PLEDGE OF ALLIGANCE

INVOCATION Councilmember Bixler gave the invocation.

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u> In the absence Mayor Bigley, Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called roll. Present were Councilmembers Bixler, Hickman and Moore. Also, present was Town Clerk Theresa L. Cook and Town Attorney Nancy Kirby.

MINUTES Month of January, 2024

Regular Council Meeting, January 11, 2024

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called for a motion to approve these minutes. Councilmember Bixler made a motion and was seconded by Councilmember Moore.

Work Session of Mayor and Council, January 23, 2024

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called for a motion to approve these minutes. Councilmember Moore made a motion and was seconded by Councilmember Bixler.

Special Called Council Meeting. January 25, 2024

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called for a motion to approve these minutes. Councilmember Moore made a motion and was seconded by Councilmember Hickman.

OLD BUSINESS

Annexation of Properties of Larry Deavers and Spirit Walk Ministries

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced that these ordinances would be discussed in the new business.

NEW BUSINESS

Council Vacancy: Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester called for a ballot vote of William "Jae" Gray and Jason Mayhan. This resulted in a tie vote. Mayor Pro Tempore announced that there would be a Special Called Council Meeting and the date and time will be announced as soon as possible.

ORDINANCES:

2024-2, Sales Tax

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced this would be tabled for a second reading and vote at the March Regular Council Meeting.

2024-3, Lodging Tax

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced this would be tabled for a second reading and Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced this would be tabled for a second reading and vote at the March Regular Council Meeting.

2024-6, Motor Fuels Tax

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced this would be tabled for a second reading and vote at the March Regular Council Meeting.

2024-7, Annexation of Deavers Property

Motion was made by Councilmember Moore, Motion was seconded by Councilmember Hickman. The ordinance motion passed unanimously.

2024-8, Annexation of Spirit Walk Property

Motion was made by Councilmember Bixler. Motion was seconded by Councilmember Moore. The ordinance motion passed unanimously.

2024-9. Police Jurisdiction

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester announced this would be tabled for a second reading and vote at the March Regular Council Meeting.

RESOLUTIONS:

2024-007, Avenu

Motion was made to approve this resolution by Councilmember Moore and seconded by Councilmember Bixler. The resolution passed unanimously.

2024-008, Attorney General's Opinion request for Grocery Tax

Motion was made to approve this resolution by Councilmember Moore and seconded by Councilmember Bixler. The resolution passed unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tempore Worcester asked if there was anyone in attendance that would like to speak. Mr. Larry Deavers thanked the council for the approval of the annexation of his property.

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u> There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded passed unanimously by those present.

Respectfully submitted,

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Town Clerk

APPROVED:

Austin Worcester

Councilmember/Mayor Pro-Tempore