



# CITY OF HARDIN

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CITY MAYOR

HARRY JOHNSON

COUNCIL MEMBER #1  
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COUNCIL MEMBER #5

CHRISTIAN GOODWIN  
ANTHONY LANDRY  
RACHAEL SMART  
MORRIS NELMS  
HARVEY FINLEY

## CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

REGULAR CALLED MEETING - HARDIN CITY HALL  
142 CR 2010 LIBERTY, TEXAS  
SEPTEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2020 AT 7:00 P.M.  
ZOOM MEETING

1. Call meeting to order.

**Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:02pm**  
**Council Members present –Chris Goodwin, Anthony Landry, Mayor Harry Johnson, Rachael Smart, Morris Nelms and Harvey Finley**  
**City Secretary – Heather Tanner, City Attorney – Wes Hinch**

2. Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and the State of Texas.  
(State of Texas Pledge: "*Honor the Texas flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.*")  
(This line item is postponed until meetings resume in person)

3. Visitors to be heard. Public Comments: Agenda Items Only (Please hold comments to three (3) minutes).

4. Discussion and possible action on the following items:

A. Consider approving Minutes for Regular Called Meeting held August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

- **Morris Nelms made a motion to approve August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020 minutes**
- **Anthony Landry offered a second**
- **All in favor**

B. Consider approving bills to be paid for September 2020.

- **Rachael Smart motioned to pay bills for September 2020**
- **Morris Nelms offered a second**
- **All in favor**

C. Discuss and take action: Bid for bank proposal.

- **Rachael Smart motioned to accept the depository contract with FLNB**
- **Anthony Landry offered a second**
- **All in favor**



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D. Discuss and take action: Updating City Sewer Ordinance to add that companies on sewer provide quarterly grease manifest.

- **Discussion only: Tabled**

E. Discuss and take action: Liberty County Central Appraisal District vote for nominee for Agricultural Advisory Board.

- **Morris Nelms motioned to re-elect Frank Green for Advisory Board**
- **Rachael Smart offered a second**
- **All in favor**

F. Convene into Executive Session under Local Government Code Section 551.071 – Consultation with Attorney, 7:47pm.

- 1) Sewer Contract
- 2) Tax Rate
- 3) Possible acquisition of property by the City for future sewer development
- 4) City Attorney for 2021

5. Take action on items discussed in executive session. Back in session at 8:30pm.

1.) Sewer Contract –

- **Chris Goodwin motioned to accept the IUO Bid**
- **Anthony Landry offered a second**
- **All in favor**

2.) Tax Rate – **Tabled**

3.) Property to be purchased by the city for future sewer development –

- **Died to lack of motion**

4.) City Attorney for 2021 –

- **Died to lack of motion**

6. Requests and announcements.

- a. LJA announcements and report.
- b. Announcements by Mayor and Council.
- c. Request by Council to place items on future agenda.

7. Adjourn.

**8:45pm Rachael Smart motioned to adjourn**

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Passed and approved this \_\_12th\_\_ day of \_\_October\_\_ 2020.

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Harry Johnson, Mayor  
City of Hardin, Texas

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Heather Tanner, City Secretary  
City of Hardin, Texas