LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL BUDGET WORKSHOP SPECIAL MEETING **JUNE 23, 2020**

6:30 P.M.

CLARK LIBRARY ANNEX-COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 217 SOUTH MAIN STREET, $3^{\rm rd}$ FLOOR, LOCKHART, TEXAS

Council present:

Mayor Lew White

Councilmember Juan Mendoza

Mayor Pro-Tem Angie Gonzales-Sanchez (arrived 6:35 p.m.)

Councilmember Kara McGregor

Councilmember Jeffry Michelson

Councilmember Brad Westmoreland

Council present virtually: Councilmember Derrick David Bryant

Staff present:

Connie Constancio, City Secretary

Miles Smith, Public Information Officer

Randy Jenkins, Fire Chief

Staff present virtually: Monte Akers, City Attorney

ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER.

Mayor Lew White called the special meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Mayor White announced that the budget items of the agenda would not be considered because Steve Lewis, City Manager is unable to attend the meeting tonight.

ITEM 2. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ITEM 3-A. PRESENTATION, DISCUSSION AND CONSIDER ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 BUDGET BY GUADALUPE-BLANCO RIVER AUTHORITY (GBRA) FOR THE LOCKHART WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS.

Mayor White announced that the GBRA presentation would be rescheduled.

ITEM 3-B. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF THE CITY MANAGER'S PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 BUDGET.

Mayor White announced that the budget workshop would be rescheduled.

ITEM 3-C. DISCUSS THE MAYOR'S AMENDMENT OF DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER TO REQUIRE COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENTS IN THE CITY TO IMPLEMENT POLICIES REQUIRING FACIAL COVERING.

Mayor White stated that he is officially amending the Local Disaster Declaration to require all commercial entities in the City of Lockhart providing goods or services directly to the public, must require, at a minimum, that all employees and visitors wear facial covering of the nose and mouth over the age of 10 while on the commercial entity's business premises or other facilities, with exceptions as outlined in the Mayor's Declaration. The Order will be effective Thursday, July 25, 2020 at midnight until July 2, 2020.

There was discussion regarding the facial coverings and about providing a sign announcing the facial covering requirement to businesses for posting. The wording on the sign should read as follows:

BY ORDER OF THE MAYOR OF LOCKHART UNDER THE TEXAS DISASTER ACT OF 1975: Effective June 25, 2020 starting at 11:59 p.m., all persons over the age of 10 entering, working, or visiting this establishment are required to wear covering over the nose and mouth for the purpose of slowing the spread of the COVID-19 virus and promoting the re-opening of the Lockhart economy. Your cooperation is both critical and appreciated to protect public health and safety. We look forward to serving you with your mask.

ITEM 5. ADJOURNMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 7-0. The meeting was adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 21st day of July 2020.

CITY OF LOCKHART

Lew White Mayor

ATTEST:

Connie Constancio, TRMC

City Secretary

