

**CITY OF TRAVELERS REST  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
March 19, 2020 6:00 P.M.  
MINUTES**

Travelers Rest City Council conducted its Regular Council Meeting on March 19, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. The following members were present: Brandy Amidon, Mayor, Harvey Choplin, Mayor Pro Tempore, Grant Bumgarner, Shaniece Criss, Kelly Byers, Jeff George, Rick Floyd, Brantly Vest and Sara Gilstrap. Also present were: Eric Vinson, City Administrator, Charlene Carter, City Clerk, Ben Ford Police Chief, Greg Robertson Fire Chief and Mac McMakin Assistant Fire Chief. The media were notified and did not attend the meeting. Due to the COVID-19, safety precautions for the meeting were taken and the meeting was streamed live on face book.

**A. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

1. Brandy Amidon, Mayor called the meeting to order and commented regarding safety precautions taken at City Hall and the Covid-19 outbreak.
2. Council then recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**B. OTHER BUSINESS**

1. The invocation was given by Council Member Ms. Kelly Byers with a special Reading also.

**C. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)**

1. Ms. Byers made a motion to approve the minutes for the Regular Council Meeting held on February 27, 2020. The motion was seconded by Dr. Criss. An omission of Chairman Vest name was mentioned and will be corrected for the record. The motion carried unanimously.

**D. PUBLIC HEARING**

None.

**E. CITIZEN PARTICIPATION**

None.

**F. ORDINANCE FOR SECOND READING**

Mr. Vest made a motion to approve Ordinance O-02-20 of the Major Modification to FRD Zoning for Trailview Townhomes Map #04960002033004. Mr. Bumgarner second the motion and carried unanimously.

**G. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. Chairwoman Byers provided a summary of the monthly Public Works Reports

2. Chairman Floyd provided a summary of the monthly Public Safety Reports
3. Mr. Bumgarner moved to hold the February Financial Reports for receipt and review until April. The motion was seconded by Mr. George carried unanimously.

#### H. RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

1. Mr. Floyd made the motion to adopt before Council Ordinance O-03-20 Existing Building Code amending City Code 05.04.060. Mr. Bumgarner seconded the motion and carried unanimously
2. Ms. Byers made the motion to adopt before Council Ordinance O-04-20 Small Cell Ordinance. Mr. Floyd seconded the motion and carried unanimously.

#### I. OLD BUSINESS

None.

#### J. NEW BUSINESS

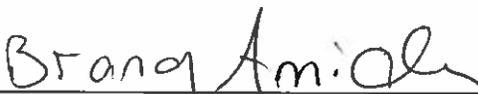
1. Mr. Choplin made a motion to adopt Emergency Ordinance O-05-20 COVID-19 and Mr. Floyd seconded the motion. Due to the nature of the Ordinance it only requires one reading and carried unanimously. All Council members commented on the current situation and impact on the community and small business.

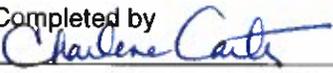
#### K. MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

City Administrator Vinson provided City update on calendar of events, and continued services for the community.

#### L. Adjournment

1. There being no other business to come before the Council, Mr. Bumgarner made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Mr. George and carried unanimously.

  
Brandy Amidon, Mayor

Completed by   
Charlene Carter, City Clerk & Treasurer

Reviewed by   
Eric Vinson, City Administrator