

CITY OF EL LAGO
CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 3, 2016
7:00 P.M.

DRAFT MINUTES

10/3/2016 - Minutes

1. COUNCIL MEETING CALL TO ORDER

Pursuant to public notice as required by law, Mayor White called the October 3, 2016 City Council meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

The following city officials were present:

- Mayor Robert White
- Mayor Pro Tem John Skelton
- Councilperson Mark Briggs
- Councilperson Jim Kelly
- Councilperson Jeff Michalak
- City Secretary Ann Vernon

The following Official was absent:

- Councilperson Robert Kumar-Misir

2. PLEDGES

Mayor White led the pledges to both the American and Texas flags.

3. CITIZENS COMMENTS

Robert Gillispie of 1506 Lake Bank Court said he has kicked around the idea of getting an elevation certificate and was hoping to get a group discount by getting multiple residents to get an elevation survey at the same time. He asked if the Mayor knew the name of the person who was performing the elevation surveys a couple of years prior and giving a group discount. Mayor White said he would try to get the name for him.

John Tully of 310 Cedar lane said that he has noted that since Frontier has taken over the land line telephone service for the area, they seem to be listing the El Lago and State sales taxes on the bills twice.

Jeff Tave of 302 Pineview requested that the members of the Restroom Committee be named when the report is given in item 5.1. Mr. Tave also asked Council that when considering the M & O tax rate, that the proposed FY2017 budget for M & O is the largest in the last four years.

4. MEET NEW LPD OFFICER DAVID SULLIVAN

Chief Savage introduced the new LPD Officer David Sullivan, stating that Officer Sullivan's expertise is in "community policing" and that it was planned for Officer Sullivan to help train other LPD Officers in that area. City Council welcomed Officer Sullivan to the LPD and El Lago.

5. WORKSHOP SESSION - THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE FOR DISCUSSION ONLY, THERE WILL BE NO MOTIONS OR APPROVALS MADE.

5.1. Report By Mark Briggs On The McNair Park Bathroom Committee Recommendations

Councilman Briggs reported that the Committee is made up of himself, Mark Liberty, Mike Pennington, and Susan Briggs. The

Committee is working on a three-phase plan to provide restrooms or restroom access during McNair Park hours.

5.2. Discuss Proposed FY2017 Budget And Possible Changes
There were no changes suggested.

6. OTHER ITEMS COUNCIL WOULD LIKE TO SUGGEST FOR CONSIDERATION ON A FUTURE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

The following items were suggested to be considered on future agendas:

- updated report on the Restroom Committee recommendations
- possible renovation plans for the entrances
- a maintenance plan for the ballfield
- presentation of traffic study by Cobb Fendley
- solar plans for the city
- repetitive loss of electricity for certain residents.

7. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Councilman Michalak motioned and Mayor Pro Tem Skelton seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved by all and Mayor White adjourned the meeting at 7:40 p.m.

Robert White, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ann Vernon, City Secretary