

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EAST DUBLIN MAYOR AND COUNCIL

January 13, 2020

The regular meeting of the East Dublin Mayor and Council was called to order by Mayor George Gornto.

Invocation was led by Council Member Tanner followed by pledge to the flag.

A motion was made by Council Member Roberson and seconded by Council Member Williams to approve the minutes as read of the previous meeting. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion to approve the bills was made by Council Member Brown and seconded by Council Member Sheppard. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Council Member Williams and seconded by Council Member Tanner to approve the financial statements along with a hotel/motel financial statement. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Council Member Williams and seconded by Council Member Roberson to add to the agenda "Lawn Mower Bids". All voted for the addition with none opposed.

The lawn mower bids were presented to the Council as follows:

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| Cullens Supply | \$8,424.00 |
| Myers Equipment | \$11,880.35 |
| Mid-State Tractor | \$13,825.00 |

After discussion was made on the bids, a motion was made by Council Member Brown and Council Member Sheppard to approve the lowest bid from Cullens Supply for \$8,424.00. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A list of City Department Head staff and professional personnel to be appointed was presented to Council for their review. After discussion, a motion was made by Council Member Tanner and seconded by Council Member Roberson to approve the appointment of City Department Head staff and professional personnel for a four-year term. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached List)

Discussion on the nomination and approval of Mayor Pro-Tem was made by Council and it was agreed by Council that the Mayor Pro-Tem position would be rotated on an annual basis by seniority and would begin in 2020 with Council Member Al Williams.

After discussion, a motion to nominate and approve Council Member Al Williams as Mayor Pro-Tem on a one-year term basis was made by Council Member Sheppard and seconded by Council

Member Brown. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Council Member Sheppard and seconded by Council Member Williams to give the City full-time employees a 2% cost of living adjustment and to move Police Chief Bill Luecke and Water/Sewer Superintendent Dwayne Lake up a pay-grade from 23F to 24F and all to be effective as of January 1, 2020. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Council Member Brown and seconded by Council Member Williams to approve amending Section 10-39 A (1) City Streets of Chapter 10 Motor Vehicles and Traffic of the City of East Dublin Code of Ordinances by adding Johnson Street and South Drive to the list of streets. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Mildred Jackson of 330 Branham Street, East Dublin, addressed the Mayor and Council about the status and/or possibly closing Karlan Street.

Being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Roberson and seconded by Council Member Williams. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Approved: 2/17/2020

Mayor

City Clerk

Attending:

Mayor George H. Gornto
City Attorney Buddy Butler
Police Chief Bill Luecke
City Clerk Melissa Bassett

Council Members:

Braxton Brown, Jr.
Brenda Roberson
John Sheppard
Len Tanner, Jr.
Al Williams