

**MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 22, 2020**

The City Council of the City of Navasota, Grimes County, Texas met at the City Council Chambers, Room No. 161, located at 200 E. McAlpine Street at 6:00 p.m., Navasota, Texas on the above date with the following being present:

**Bernie Gessner, Councilmember, Place # 1
Geoff Horn, Councilmember, Place # 2
Josh M. Fultz, Councilmember, Place # 3
Bert Miller, Mayor, Place # 4
Grant E. Holt, Mayor Pro-Tem, Place # 5**

Thus constituting a quorum.

STAFF PRESENT: Brad Stafford, City Manager; Susie M. Homeyer, City Secretary; Lance Hall, Finance Director; Lupe Diosdado, Community Development Director; Michael Mize, Lieutenant; Hung Mai, IT Specialist; Madison Brooks, Marketing and Communication Coordinator; Rayna Willenbrink, Economic Development Specialist; Jeff Greer, Director of Utilities; Jason Katkoski, Fire Chief/EMC; Shawn Myatt, Police Chief/Assistant City Manager; and Pat Gruner, Municipal Judge.

VISITORS: Connie Clements, Audrey Sauls, Deborah Richardson, Archie Sauls, Doris Sauls, John Sanders, Alexyia Lewis, Shaneka Ngom, Debra Bookman and others.

THE ITEMS ON THE AGENDA WERE TAKEN UP IN DUE ORDER AS FOLLOWS:


1. Mayor Bert Miller called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
2. Invocation was given by Mayor Pro-Tem Grant Holt. The City Council, staff members and visitors then recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and the Texas Flag.
3. Remarks of visitors: Doris Sauls addressed the City Council about the concept of a Navasota Blue Zone in Navasota where citizens live well into their hundreds.
4. Staff report:
 - (a) City Manager Brad Stafford and Fire Chief/EMC Jason Katkoski gave an update on COVID-19 response;

- (b) Municipal Judge Pat Gruner gave an update on the reopening of Municipal Court;
 - (c) Marketing and Communications Coordinator Madison Brooks gave an update on the Freedoms Festival;
 - (d) Economic Development Coordinator Rayna Willenbrink gave an update on her department;
 - (e) Community Development Director Lupe Diosdado gave an update on his department;
 - (f) Utility Director Jeff Greer gave an update on his department;
 - (g) There was not an update on Boards and Commissions;
 - (h) Councilmembers and staff informed the audience about upcoming events.
5. Councilmember Josh Fultz moved to approve the second reading of Ordinance No. 932-20, regarding a voluntary annexation request submitted by Miriah Cunneen on behalf of Anthony J. Cunneen for a 9.063-acre tract of land in the Daniel Tyler Survey, A-55, Navasota, Grimes County, Texas, seconded by Councilmember Bernie Gessner and with each Councilmember voting AYE, the motion carried.
6. Councilmember Bernie Gessner moved to approval the sale of property described as H & TC, Block J, Lot 4 (S21') 5, located in Navasota, Grimes County, Texas by utilizing the sealed bid process with a minimum bid of \$10,000.00, seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem Grant Holt and with each Councilmember voting AYE, the motion carried.
7. Mayor Bert Miller adjourned the meeting at 6:34 p.m.



BERT MILLER, MAYOR

ATTEST:



SUSIE M. HOMEYER, CITY SECRETARY

