

**MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING
MAY 8, 2023**

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 4:30 p.m., Navasota, Texas on the above date with the following being present:

**Bernie Gessner, Councilmember, Place # 1
Josh M. Fultz, Councilmember, Place # 3
Bert Miller, Mayor, Place # 4 (Arrived at 4:40 p.m.)
Grant E. Holt, Mayor Pro-Tem, Place # 5**

(Pattie Pederson, Councilmember, Place # 2, was absent)

Thus constituting a quorum.

STAFF PRESENT: Jason Weeks, City Manager; Susie M. Homeyer, City Secretary; Luke Cochran, Legal Counsel; Bobbie Ullrich, Marketing and Communication Director; Jennifer Reyna, Director of Utilities; Mike Mize, Police Chief; Rayna Teicheira, Economic Development Director; Lupe Diosdado, Director of Development Services; Pat Gruner, Municipal Judge; Ryan Hendricks, Parks and Recreation Manager; and Jon MacKay, Graduate Civil Engineer.

VISITORS: Connie Clements, Steve Duncan, James Harris, Tim Wolff, Ron Gailey (via zoom), Brad Stafford and Elizabeth Ferry.

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

1. Mayor Pro-Tem Grant Holt called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.
2. Remarks of visitors: None.
3. A presentation was held by On-Point Insights related to a proposal to conduct a city-wide survey. The concept is to survey city residents and businesses to better understand areas of concern and prioritized focus during the budget process.
4. A workshop was held to discuss the results from R. W. Harden & Associates for the Groundwater Availability Study for the City of Navasota. City staff has also been working with Bleyl Engineering on this project. Bleyl Engineering has provided a proposed water well development site about one mile east of the City along Highway 90. R. W. Hardin & Associates evaluated the site as well as

the surrounding area within the City to identify potentially favorable production areas to meet the City's long-term water demands in terms of aquifer yield and quality of groundwater.

5. Mayor Bert Miller adjourned the meeting at 5:35 p.m.


BERT MILLER, MAYOR

ATTEST:


SUSIE M. HOMEYER, CITY SECRETARY

