

JULY 7, 2016

ABBEVILLE CITY COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

Mayor Estes called the meeting to order after which he ask Chuck Taylor to give the invocation.

Present were Council Members T. Stanley, M. Lawson, C. Henderson. Employees present were J. Hendley, B. Smith, R. Henderson, and L. Brown. Visitors present were L. Hendley.

After a review of the June minutes C. Henderson made a motion to accept the minutes, M. Lawson seconded. All voted aye.

Chief Hendley gave the monthly police report.

Fire Chief L. Brown stated the fire department wished to sell the old fire truck. Suggestions were made to list the truck on govdeals.com, or to sell by bid.

A. Stephens brought to the council a bid to have a system put on the well that will notify employees when a problem occurs. After much discussion C. Henderson made a motion to purchase the equipment for the well, T. Stanley seconded. All voted aye.

Mayor Estes informed the council it was time for the City to set the millage rate. After much discussion T. Stanley made a motion to keep the same millage rate, C. Henderson seconded. All voted aye.

Mayor Estes informed the Council that the City had contracted with Henry Shaddix to perform the wastewater and water testing. The Mayor stated that the EPD had been in Abbeville and found that the test had previously not been conducted correctly. EPD has fined the City \$3,200.00. The Mayor stated that S. McMillan is in the process of getting his license to conduct these test.

T. Stanley presented the council with a Volunteer Responder Incentive. After much discussion the City Clerk will look into this for our volunteer fire fighters.

With no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by T. Stanley and seconded by M. Lawson. All voted aye.