

Mayor Estes called the meeting to order after which he ask Norris Hall to give the invocation.

Present were Council Members M. Lawson, C. Henderson and M. Cook. Employees present were B. Smith, R. Henderson, W. Bass and L. Brown. No visitors were present.

After a review of the August minutes M. Cook made a motion to accept the minutes, T. Stanley seconded. All voted aye.

Mayor Estes stated that the City's mosquito sprayer was over 40 years old. He also stated that it was torn up and no longer used. He stated that the City needed to purchase a new Mosquito Sprayer and that he was looking at two different kinds. The cost is between \$8,000 - \$13,000. C. Henderson made a motion to purchase a new sprayer. T. Stanley seconded. All voted aye.

Mayor Estes stated the City was looking into a PPG grant to replace the water lines and build a new well. After much discussion the Mayor stated the Carter and Sloope, the engineers in charge of the project, would come and speak with the council about the scope of work and answer any questions.

Mayor Estes informed the Council that SPLOST would be voted on next year and that a decision had to be made where the funds would be spent. The Mayor suggested using the SPLOST funds for the downtown building improvements. T. Stanley made a motion to use SPLOST Funds for the downtown building improvements, C. Henderson seconded. All voted aye.

Mayor Estes stated that John Hendley's appeal needed to be scheduled. After much discussion it was decided the appeal would be held Monday September 12th at 6 p.m.

Mayor Estes stated a Mayor Pro Tem needed to be appointed for the appeal hearing. After much discussion T. Stanley made a motion to appoint M. Cook as Mayor Pro Tem, C. Henderson seconded. All voted aye.

W. Bass gave the monthly police report.

Clerk B. Smith explained to the Council that the City's Auditor Eddie Long had suggested that the \$100,000 plus the \$47,000 for expenditures for opening Primary Care be written off the General Funds books. She stated that until Primary Care was financially secure it would clean up the books, leaving the funds clear. T. Stanley made a motion, C. Henderson seconded. All voted aye.

With no further business M. Cook made a motion to adjourn. C. Henderson seconded. All voted aye.

