

COUPLAND CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
THURSDAY – MAY 9, 2019, 6:00 P.M.  
COUPLAND FIRE STATION  
403 FM 1466  
COUPLAND, TEXAS

**REGULAR MEETING**

- 1. Call Regular Meeting to Order and Declare a Quorum.**  
Mayor Jack Piper called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM and declared a quorum with the following Aldermen present: Susan Garry, Barbara Piper, Karen Marosko, and Sarah Torluemke.
- 2. Review and approve minutes of the Regular meetings held on April 11, 2019.**  
Barbara Piper made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Karen Marosko seconded the motion. The vote to approve the minutes was unanimous.
- 3. Financial Report as of April 30, 2019.**  
Mayor Piper reported the City's net worth as of April 30, 2019 was \$251,835.97. A list of checks written in the month of April was provided.
- 4. Citizen(s) Communications. (The City Council welcomes public comments on items not listed on the agenda. However, the Council cannot respond until the item is posted on a future meeting agenda. Citizens who wish to speak at a council meeting must complete an "Appearance Before City Council" form at the meeting. (Three-minute limit.)**  
There were no citizen communications.
- 5. Discussion concerning road maintenance in the City of Coupland.**  
Mayor Piper reported the road stop sign on Hoxie St. has been repainted. Repairs to the shoulders and potholes on CR 458 have been made as well as repairs on CR 459. The repairs on Hoxie St. in the city's right-of-way (Stock-up entrance) have been made. Bids will be received for repairs to the sidewalks on Spur 277.
- 6. Begin discussion on Nuisance Ordinance.**
- 7. The City's attorney will send a generic Nuisance Ordinance for the council to look at. Council will do a comparison and ultimately have a document for review. Workshops will be scheduled to discuss the above. Enforcement will be an important issue to consider.**
- 8. Preliminary report on City clean-up.**  
Two dumpsters were filled early in the day. Neighbors also picked up trash on CR 458 and one of the residents on 458 held a block party to celebrate the cleanup.
- 9. Coupland Volunteer Fire Department activity.**  
There was no report.

**10. Coupland citizens/events/announcements/recognitions.**

The Coupland Civic Organization will sponsor the second annual Golf Tournament fundraiser, May 18, at Taylor's Mustang Creek Golf Club. Proceeds from the tournament will go to continue the restoration of Coupland's historic caboose.

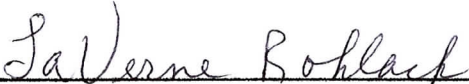
An interesting presentation on beekeeping and honey production was given by Steve Schiller at the CCO meeting in April.


**11. The next Coupland Council meeting will be June 13, 2019**

**12. Adjournment.**

The meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm.

**ATTEST:**

  
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**LAVERNE ROHLACK, CITY SECRETARY**

  
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**JACK R PIPER, MAYOR**