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June 8, 2021
Council Meeting @7:00 PM
City Hall Council Chambers

PRESENT

Mayor Barry Whitley
Councilperson Deborah Williams
Councilperson Amanzie Jenkins
Councilperson Jacob Hopkins
Councilperson Glenn Harris
Ashley Lawhorn
Attorney Jack Nichols

MEDIA PRESENT

Taylor County New

INVOCATION: Mayor Barry Whitley

OPENING STATEMENT: Ashley Lawhorn

OLD BUSINESS:

Approval of the May 11, 2021 Regular Council Meeting and the May 27, 2021 Called Meeting Minutes:

A motion to accept and approve the minutes of the May 11, 2021 Regular Council Meeting and the May 27, 2021 Called Meeting was made by Councilperson Amanzie Jenkins and a second was made by Councilperson Jacob Hopkins. The vote was unanimous. (*Mayor Pro-Tem Guinn was absent*)



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NEW BUSINESS:

Official Oath of Office for Chief Matthew Woodard: Judge Diane Renfroe was on hand to swear in Butler's new Police Chief Matthew Woodard. Chief Woodard's family was on hand to watch as he was sworn in.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Public Works Director David Windham said that the 2019 CDBG is moving along and will hopefully be finishing up in approximately 2 ½ weeks. Weather permitting, he hopes to start patching the holes created by the project work, in about two weeks or so in the Clover Lane, Plantation, Timber and Pineview areas.

Chief Matthew Woodard said that he has given everyone a packet with the calls, etc from last month. He stated that in this month's packet he also included a page that has the calls broken down by Officer. Councilperson Williams asked what the animal cases are? Were they bites...? Chief Woodard explained that those are calls reporting a stray dog in the area where a citizen's calls requesting law enforcement to pick up the animal. Councilperson Jacob Hopkins said there had been a lot of action on his street lately, and he appreciates law enforcement staying on top of it.

Fire Coordinator Eddie Moulton said that the Fire Department ran eighteen calls last month. Those were five grass fires, two wires down, one vehicle accident, three structure fires, one service call, four helicopter landing zones, one vehicle fire, and one fire alarm.



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ADJOURN: Mayor Whitley said there was nothing further to discuss in the regular meeting, but there would be a short work-session following the Council Meeting. With no other business to discuss, a motion to adjourn was made by Council Person Amanzie Jenkins and a second was made by Councilperson Deborah Williams. The vote was unanimous, and the meeting was adjourned.

Mayor Barry Whitley

ATTEST

