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AGENDA

CITY OF CANEY
100 W. 4TH AVE

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

ENTER THROUGH DOORS ON EAST END (Main Street Side) OF BUILDING

DATE: May 19, 2025
TIME: 6:30 P.M.

1. **CALL TO ORDER** Mayor Elliott

2. **ROLL CALL** CITY CLERK

				Kerry Gorby		Lori Patterson	X
Jeff Culver	X	Kenith Butts	X	Lisa Gorby	X	Elizabeth Burch	X

3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

4. **INVOCATION**

5. **CONSENT AGENDA**

The items listed below are considered to be routine by the City Council and may be approved in one motion.

A. Approval of the Minutes for the May 5,2025 Meeting

MOTION: Lori Patterson

SECOND: Jeff Culver

B. Approval of Expense (May 5- May 16,2025)

\$25,522.31

AWG

\$13,198.14

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\$16,476.50

WASTE CONNECTIONS

\$20,294.76

MOTION: Lori Patterson

SECOND: Jeff Culver

C. Approval of Payroll (May 9,2025)

\$43,178.89

FICA

\$7,375.08

Medicare

\$1,724.80

Kpers

\$7,535.20

MOTION: Lori Patterson

SECOND: Jeff Culver

7. NEW BUSINESS

A. Purple Heart Proclamation May 19, 2025

MOTION:

SECOND:

B. Accepting Zach Ellisons Resignation for Ward 1

MOTION: Elizabeth Burch

SECOND: Kenith Butts

C. Take applications for Open Council position Ward 1

MOTION: Kenith Butts

SECOND: Dies at large.

-See if it is possible to drop down to six. See if they can be at large.

D. Discussion and Approval of Zoning Committee – Allow Lori Patterson to structure the zoning committee with an application process around a three-year rotation. The zoning committee would work closely with the code enforcement officer. Going to old business at the next meeting.

E. Discuss Attendance policy for City Council Members – Will stay as a discussion item and then be voted on in two meetings from now.

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS

The Council only allows public comments from anyone who has filled out a “Request for Communication with City Council.” Comments shall be limited to 3 minutes unless extended by a majority of the Council. The Council does not hear matters involving litigation or City Personnel. The Council does not take action on subjects not on the agenda unless unusual or hardship conditions exist.

9. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Mayor Joshua Elliott- An anonymous person donated to the dog pound. New hire for Public Works is Jarret Robbins. Straightened out the Sales Tax issue.

Police Chief- Ike Dye- Busy with interviews. Two applicants have been hired. Will have a Mayfest map on Facebook. Issue with barricades being moved during Mayfest. Safety is a #1 priority for Mayfest.

City Administrator- Andrea Sibley- Potential loan from Tim Wilson to build homes with the money made going to the land bank fund. Pushing for the LMI survey to have Caney go from a high-income area to a moderate-income area so Caney can apply for more grants.

Deputy City Clerk- Timberly Jones- N/A

Public Works- Andrew Long- N/A

10. COUNCIL COMMENT

Council Member- Ellison- N/A

Council Member- Culver- Appreciate Andrea and Timber for the work they do.

Council Member- Butts- N/A

Council Member- K. Gorby- N/A

Council Member- L. Gorby- N/A

Council Member- Patterson- Would like to see a one-sided digital sign go up in front of city hall for announcements and have it open for bids.

Council Member- Burch- Appreciates Andrea being quick to get a blown over fence with an underground pool fixed. Pool start date will be May 28th. Need an update on the nursing home. Brought up concerns about when the agenda is being released.

11. INFORMATION ITEMS

Next City Council Meeting: June 2, 2025, at 6:30pm

12. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Lori Patterson

SECOND: Elizabeth Burch