



CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2019, 6:30 PM
City of Hitchcock City Hall
7423 Highway 6
Hitchcock, Texas 77563

MINUTES

1. Call to Order.

Meeting called to order at 6:00pm.

2. Members Present:

Johnnie Anderson	Bobbie Tarpey
Dorothy Childress	Mary Demby
Henry Cogger	Beverly West, Associate Attorney
Ronnie Meier	Charlie Zech, Attorney (via telephone)
Gary Riley	Marie Gelles, City Administrator
Harry Robinson	Ruth Ann Sorrell, Interim City Secretary

Absent: Ena Hughes

3. Administer Oath of Office.

No action taken

4. Introduction of Charlie Zech and Beverly West, Special Counsel, Denton, Navarro, Rocha, Bernal, Zech.

5. Discuss and consider possible amendments to the City's Home Rule Charter.

No decision was made

6. Review and discuss the timeline for making recommendations to the City Commission in order to meet deadlines for the 2020 Municipal Election ballot.

Discussion for meeting the deadlines for the 2020 Municipal Election ballot determined that this committee would not be able to meet the deadline for the May 2020 ballot. They will work toward meeting the deadlines for the November 2020 ballot.

7. Discuss and consider approval of meeting schedule.

Marie will email the meeting schedule after discussion with Attorney Charlie Zech.

8. Election of Chair and Vice-Chair of the Charter Review Committee.

Gary Riley nominated Dorothy Childress as Chair of the Charter Review Committee.

Mary Demby seconded the nomination. Nomination passed 7-0.

Dorothy Childress nominated Ena Hughes as Vice-Chair of the Charter Review Committee. Harry Robinson seconded the nomination. Nomination passed 8-0

9. Adjournment.

Dorothy Childress moved to adjourn the meeting. Harry Robinson seconded the motion.

Motion passed 8-0.

Dorothy Childress, Chair