

TOWN OF OAK CITY

August 5, 2019

MEETING

TOWN MEETING 7:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER- Mayor Stalls

PRAYER-Tommy Williams

REGULAR SESSION

AGENDA/MINUTES- Motion by Commissioner S. Harrell 2nd by Commissioner P. Burnett

CONSENT AGENDA

BOARD REPORTS- No reports

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Cemetery-Commissioner Porter discussed how the new part of the cemetery is not mapped off properly like the old side. Commissioner Porter went on to state how some of the people buried in the new section are actually buried on more than one plot, some are actually on 2 and 3 plots. County Commissioner Joe Ayers stated how the Ronald Nicholson the surveyor had to go out there and put flags down to mark part of the cemetery. Ayers stated that it was no way Commissioner/Town Clerk Porter or anyone else for that matter would be able to know where to mark a grave for someone to purchase due to no markings. Ayers stated how the surveyor agreed to mark the plots on the new section like he do at another town when someone comes in to purchase a plot for a fee of \$150.00 Commissioner Porter stated that it would be up to the board to raise the prices an additional \$150.00 to compensate for surveyor cost to do this every time. Commissioner Harrell made a motion to raise the plots from \$250 for in town to \$400.00 and from \$800.00 to \$950.00 for out of town residents 2nd by Commissioner E. Brown. Motion passed

A motion was made by Commissioner S. Harrell to put 2 signs at both cemetery driveways cemetery. The sign should include a \$5,000 fine for all funeral homes who do not come to the Town Hall first before digging a plot motion 2nd by Commissioner Burnett. **Motion passed**

A motion was made by Commissioner Porter to allow Randy Nicholson to get a map made for the new side of the cemetery and pay him \$150.00 to put the points down at the new cemetery when it's needed, 2nd by Commissioner E. Brown **Motion passed**

The Board agreed to allow Commissioner/Town Clerk Porter to talk with Mike Bennett about getting a sign made for the cemetery. Porter will then call the board members with the cost and anything under \$300.00 Porter has permission to get the signs made.

Joe Ayers- Ayers discussed trees and vines on the power lines by his house. Ayers stated that they need to be removed before it causes major damage to the lines or have the lines moved up higher on the poles. Mayor Stalls stated that he would go and take a look at the power lines in the morning. Mayor Stalls also stated that he will talk with Nick about it as well to see what the Town needed to do in order to get it resolved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS- Fire Chief Butch Beach presented a letter to the Board thanking them for moving the Bucket Truck out of the Fire Station and buying a shelter for it. Beach stated that when they get a 911 call to go out it was hard because they would have to let one person get in the vehicle at a time due to lack of room to open both doors. Butch stated that if we have an ice storm the Town could put the Bucket Truck in the Fire Station.

Jean Spruell-Boyd discussed having an event entitled "Sunday on the Commons" on Sunday, September 29th from 4p.m.-7p.m. were food trucks would come out and different entertainment would perform. This is an event for everyone to come and enjoy with family and friends.

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Harrell, 2nd by Commissioner Porter

Meeting adjourn at: 8:02 p.m.

William Stalls Mayor Sept 9th 2019

Vonetta Porter 9/9/19

