

## CITY OF IVANHOE

### PUBLIC HEARING/SPECIAL MEETING

#### MINUTES

NOVEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019

6:30 PM

The Public Hearing was opened by Mayor Bennett at 6:30 PM. Quorum established with all Council present except Councilman Herrington and Councilman Blackstone. There were 3 individuals present in the audience including two representatives of the Ivanhoe Volunteer Fire Dept.

Mayor Bennett noted that Tyler County had received a grant for a firm to assist with updating the Hazard Mitigation Action Plan for Tyler County which includes the Hazard Mitigation Plans for the cities in the county. She explained this Public Hearing is to obtain final citizen input on the identified hazards in Ivanhoe that have been developed from previous hearings and workshops. Any identified hazards including anticipated future events must be included in the five year plan in order to receive FEMA/TDEM grant funds. The City of Ivanhoe falls under the Tyler County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan, but having specified hazards listed, the City will be able to apply for grant funds on it's own without having to file through Tyler County.

Mayor Bennett then reviewed and discussed each of the 36 identified hazards in the City of Ivanhoe Hazard Mitigation Plan with the Council members and Fire Dept. representatives.

Following general discussion from the Council and the audience participants, Councilman Vonderlin stated that the final local jurisdiction review and discussion has been conducted, considered and approved for the Tyler County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Action Plan (HAZMAP) to be submitted to FEMA.

The Public Hearing was concluded at 7:15 PM on the motion of Councilman Morris with second by Councilman Vonderlin and affirmative vote of Council.

#### **SPECIAL MEETING**

Mayor Bennett then called the Special Meeting to order at 7:16 PM with all Council Members present except Councilman Herrington and Councilman Blackstone. There were 3 individuals present in the audience including two representatives of the Ivanhoe Volunteer Fire Dept.

#### **Agenda Item #1 – Tyler County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan**

Councilman Warren made the motion to approve the finalized Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Tyler County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Action Plan (HAZMAP) and permission is granted for staff to submit to the Texas Department of Emergency Management and to the Federal Emergency Management Agency for their final review. Councilman Morris provided the second. With no further discussion Council voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### **Agenda Item #2 – Mayor Pro-tem for FY-2020**

Councilman Vonderlin made the motion to re-appoint Councilman Morris as Mayor Pro-tem for FY-2020. Councilman Warren agreed with the second and the motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #3 – Ordinance #2020-3 Updating Codified Ordinance**

Mayor Bennett observed that the project to update the Codified Ordinance has been underway for several months. The Planning & Zoning Commission had met several times before finalizing the recommendations. Council members had the opportunity to review the proposed changes prior to the first reading of the proposed changes during the October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 regular Council meeting. Councilman Vonderlin made the motion to adopt the changes to the codified ordinance as presented and recommended by the Planning & Zoning Commission. Councilman Warren provided the second, and with no further comment the motion passed unanimously.

**Agenda Item #4 – Adjourn**

Councilman Morris made the motion to adjourn with a second by Councilman Warren, and the meeting was concluded at 7:23 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

C. D. Woodrome, City Secretary