

Minutes,
September 12, 2017

The Village of Jones Creek Board of Aldermen called a special called meeting on Tuesday, September 12th, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. The following members were present; Mayor Gordon Schlemmer, Terry Jeffers, AJ Jinkins, Mike Chilcote, Rocky Thomas and Glenn Jordan.

The invocation was given by Bro. Brent Pittman of the Jones Creek Baptist Church.

The pledge to the flag was said by all.

Mrs. Diane Howard spoke under business of visitors, asking council if they would consider selling city owned property adjacent to her at the next council meeting.

Marshal Tidwell gave Council an update on the flooding issue due to Hurricane Harvey. He informed council that he has drone footage that he would like to show them at a later date. He also stated that he would like to coordinate a meeting between council, county, and state representatives in regards to flooding issues.

Mr. Rocky Thomas made a motion to grant a variance to allow residents who live in the 6500 block of Live Oak, North Live Oak, East Stephen F. Austin, Frontier Lane, and Atwood Lane to allow for Recreational Vehicles to be used as temporary housing for a 6 month period due to the flood from Hurricane Harvey; however, residents should come in to fill out an application for the variance with the City Secretary. Mr. AJ Jinkins seconded the motion. Four members vote for, Mr. Terry Jeffers voted nay, and motion carried. Mr. Jeffers' concern was that the variance was not granted for a long enough period of time.

A motion to waive building permit fees of \$76.92 for residents in the 6500 block of Live Oak, North Live Oak, East Stephen F. Austin, Frontier Lane, and Atwood Lane for plumbing, including gas, and electrical permits, which are a health and safety concern, for a two month period to help residents restore their homes was made by Mr. Mike Chilcote. Mr. Rocky Thomas seconded the motion, all were in favor, and the motion carried.

Future agenda items are as follows:

- Selling of City Property
- Flooding/Drainage Issues
- Debris Hauling
- City Water and Septic

Mr. Rocky Thomas made the motion to adjourn at 6:42 p.m. With a second from Mr. Terry Jeffers, all were in favor, and motion carried.


Gordon Schlemmer, Mayor

ATTEST:


Kimberly Morris, City Secretary/Administrator