

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING OF APRIL 9, 2012
AT ST. PAUL TOWN HALL**

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Walter. There was a quorum. Mayor Walter led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes:

Council reviewed the minutes from the March 12, 2012 Council meeting. Councilman Gensler motioned to approve the minutes with a second to the motion made by Councilman Simmons. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Expenses: Council reviewed the expenses report. Councilman Kellow motioned to approve the monthly expenses report with a second to the motion made by Councilman Scanlan. The motion passed unanimously.

Citizen's Comments: Paul Egbers complained that there has been trash blowing onto his property for the last three months from the dumpster at 2260 Country Club.

Discussion/Action on Road/Paving Needs: Council reviewed the estimated costs from the County for road paving. Mayor Walter noted the County needs to give us time to budget for this work. Council did not like the idea of doing any major patching on St. Paul road and preferred reclamation, wanted clarification on the estimates, but was still okay with the Aztec work.

Discussion/Action on Frequent Accidents on Parker Road: Mayor pro tem McCasland noted the number of accidents on the road segment in front of his residence. Mayor Walter was agreeable to sending a letter to TxDot to slow the speed down or put in a turn lane for the Resurrection Church.

Discussion/Action on Approving County Jail Services Contract: Council reviewed the contract extension for jail services. Councilman Simmons motioned to approve the contract extension with a second to the motion made by Councilman Scanlan. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor's comments:

Code Enforcement/Status - Council reviewed the enforcement activity and reports.

"Clean Up Day" – It is scheduled for April 28th from 8 am to 2 pm. Council reviewed the e-waste items and estimate. Councilman Scanlan motioned to accept the estimate as a "not to exceed" with a second to the motion made by Councilman Gensler. The motion passed unanimously.

Status Update – Mayor Walter asked that we stress to residents that they need to get weather radios for advance warning on storms.

Adjournment: Councilman Scanlan motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 p.m. with a second to the motion made by Councilman Kellow. The motion passed unanimously.