

Julie Masters, Mayor
Charles Suderman
Mary Dunbaugh
Walter Wilson, Mayor Pro Tem

MINUTES
City of Dickinson
CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL WORKSHOP
MEETING

Kerry Neves
Louis Decker
William H. King III
Julie M. Johnston, City
Administrator

JUNE 8, 2010

The Dickinson City Council met in a duly called and announced **SPECIAL WORKSHOP MEETING** on **TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2010**. The meeting was held in the City Council Chambers located at 4403 Highway 3, Dickinson, Galveston County, Texas, and was held for the purpose of considering the following items:

ITEM 1.) CALL TO ORDER AND CERTIFICATION OF A QUORUM

Mayor Masters called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m. City Secretary Carol McLemore called roll and certified a quorum. Council Members present were as follows: Mayor Julie Masters, Mayor Pro Tem Walter Wilson and Council Members Charles Suderman, Mary Dunbaugh, Kerry Neves, Louis Decker and William King. Also present were City Attorney, Loren Smith, City Administrator Julie Johnston, Director of Public Works Kellis George, Finance Director, Mary Young, Building Official Kevin Byal and Library Director Vicki McCallister.

ITEM 2.) BRIEFING, DISCUSSION AND DIRECTION CONCERNING: Various Municipal Sales Tax Options and Possible Adoption of Municipal Sales and Use Tax for Street Maintenance.

City Administrator Julie Johnston gave a power point presentation explaining the options for municipal sales tax and the possible adoption of a sales tax for street maintenance. After much discussion, the majority of the Council expressed interest in having an election to adopt a ¼ cent sales tax for street maintenance. Councilmen Suderman, Wilson, Neves, and Decker said they would not be in favor of dissolving the Economic Development Corporation. Councilman Neves and Councilman Decker were undecided about the street maintenance tax and both expressed concerns about proceeding with an election to change the sales tax allocations in November. Council asked the City Administrator to provide more information regarding the election process and the types of projects that the Economic Development Corporation could undertake.

ITEM 3.) ADJOURN

Councilman Wilson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 p.m. Councilman King seconded the motion.

VOTE:

6 AYES (Suderman, Dunbaugh, Wilson, Neves, Decker and King)

0 NAYS

MOTION PASSED.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 22nd day of June, 2010.



Julie Masters, Mayor

ATTEST:



Carol L. McLemore, City Secretary

