

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

JULY 27, 2010

The Dickinson City Council met in a duly called and announced **SPECIAL WORKSHOP MEETING** on **TUESDAY, JULY 27, 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 6:00 p.m. City Secretary Carol McLemore called roll and certified a quorum. Council Members present were as follows: Mayor Julie Masters, Mayor and Council Members Charles Suderman, Kerry Neves, Louis Decker and William King. Councilwoman Mary Dunbaugh was absent. Also present were City Administrator Julie Johnston, Chief Ron Morales, Fire Marshal Norman Hicks, and Building Official Kevin Byal. Mayor Pro Tem Walter Wilson arrived at 6:10 p.m. City Attorney Loren Smith arrived at 6:20 p.m.

ITEM 2.) BRIEFING AND DISCUSSION CONCERNING: Quarterly Financial and Investment Reports

Finance Director Mary Young gave a brief report on the quarterly financial and investment reports. Council took no action in this matter.

ITEM 3.) BRIEFING, DISCUSSION AND DIRECTION CONCERNING: Appeal Process for Building Standards Commission.

The City Administrator and City Attorney discussed the appeal process for decisions of the Building Standards Commission noting that City ordinance provided for ten days to appeal the decision to City Council and state law provided for thirty days to appeal the decision to the Court. After some discussion, it was the consensus of Council to revise the City's ordinance to clarify the dual appeal process and particularly that the appeal timeframes run concurrently.

ITEM 4.) ADJOURN

Mayor Pro Tem Wilson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:40 p.m. Councilman Suderman seconded the motion.

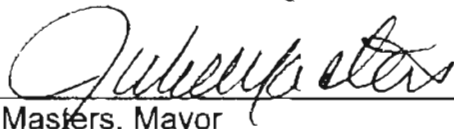
VOTE:

5 AYES (Suderman, Wilson, Neves, Decker and King)

0 NAYS

MOTION PASSED.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 10th day of August, 2010.



Julie Masters, Mayor

ATTEST:



Carol L. McLemore, City Secretary

