

City of Eden  
Regular Session

The city council of the City of Eden met in regular session on Tuesday April 14, 2015 in the council chambers of City Hall.

**Mayor & City Council Members**

Mayor Eddy Markham

Mayor Pro-Tem Shelley Hyles

Councilmember Jenifer Gierisch

Councilmember Eugene Spann

Councilmember Wade Ellison

Councilmember Grover Hall -**absent**

**City Staff/Appointed Officials**

City Administrator Celina Hemmeter

Court Clerk Lisa Evans

Utilities Clerk Esther Gryniewicz -**absent**

Economic Development Coordinator Laura Bowden

Parks & Recreation Manager Mike Turner

Public Works Supervisor Rodney Castleberry

**PRESENTATION BY CITIZENS**

None

**WORKSHOP**

Laura Bowden provided a written report to Council. The WIFI is up and running downtown. The Spring Stampede went well, lots of people attended.

Rodney Castleberry, Public Works Supervisor reported that the Rabies Clinic will at the Fire Station on April 25, 2015 from 9am until 12pm. Well #1 is down right now, possibly a pump or motor issue- Leonard Water Services will be out to pull it. We have hired a couple of new employees, Joshua Towler for right of way mowing and Daniel Garza for the convenience center dumpsters. Cody Scott is having health issues and if employees want to donate some of their sick time to him, it would be greatly appreciated. They have had a couple of bad water leaks around town.

Mike Turner provided a written report to Council. We will be working on getting the swimming pool ready for summer. The pool needs to be painted and we are still looking to hire more lifeguards and a pool manager. Mike says he really likes the new golf carts now after he adjusted them to give them more speed/power. The new tractor from the SOE is working great.

Celina Hemmeter, City Administrator reported that the concession stand at the Little League Field is complete. We will be requiring a deposit for organizations to have use of it. The SOE grant to renovate the Multi-Purpose kitchen area is almost complete, we have hired a contractor to finish out the work. Rock work is being installed on the Roy Burnes Civic Center façade and the rock layer should be coming back soon to complete the cemetery entrance, both are SOE grant projects.

Mayor Markham called the Council Meeting to order and Mike Turner gave the Invocation.

**REPORTS OF OTHER AGENCIES, COMMISSIONS & STAFF**

A. eHT Monthly Engineering Report-**absent**

**CONSENT ITEMS**

Councilperson Hyles made a motion to approve the consent items A through D, Councilperson Spann seconded, motion carried.

- A. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes, March, 2015
- B. Approval of Financial Statement Month ending March, 2015
- C. Approval of City of Eden Investment Report Month Ending March 2015
- D. Approval of Eden Economic Development Corporation appointment of Edward Hernandez to the EEDC Board

**BUSINESS**

Councilperson Gierisch made a motion to approve Business Item A. Municipal Judge position resignation of Judge Kaye Edwards and appointment of Judge Spoons, seconded by Councilperson Ellison, motion carried.

Councilperson Hyles made a motion to approve Business Item B. Resolution for local funding and support of the TxDOT 2015 Transportation Alternatives Program call for projects application, for sidewalks in the downtown area, seconded by Councilperson Ellison, motion carried.

Councilperson Hyles made a motion to approve Business item C. March 2015 Bills, seconded by Councilperson Spann, motion carried.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

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Mayor, Eddy Markham

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Celina Hemmeter, City Administrator