

# **Town of Cottonwood**

## **Council Meeting**

### **March 21, 2023**

Members Present: Mayor James Coachman, Michael Capehart, Angela Hackney, Kellie Free and Van Granger

Members Absent: George Stringer

Mayor Coachman opened the meeting at 6:00 P. M. followed by a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval to except the minutes from Council meeting for February 21<sup>st</sup> and workshop March 07<sup>th</sup> and except the minutes as presented. Council Member Capehart made a motion to except the Council meeting for February 21<sup>st</sup> and workshop March 07<sup>th</sup> and except the minutes as presented. There was a second by Council Member Granger and the motion was approved unanimously.

Approval for the February financial reports were presented to the Council by the Town Clerk. Council Member Free made a motion to approve the reports as presented. A second by Council Member Granger and the motion was approved unanimously.

Colonel Smith presented the police reports for the month of February. There was a total of 132 calls for service, 08 reports written, 0 medical assists, 23 traffic warnings issued, 01 traffic citations issued, 0 traffic warrant, 0 drug arrest, 2 felony, 2 misdemeanor, Total Arrests made 04 and 16 auxiliary hours.

Approval to pay Preston Register for invoice # 1638 for the amount of \$1,942.50. Council Member Granger made a motion to approve to pay Preston Register for invoice #1638 for the amount of \$1,942.50. A second by Council Member Capehart and the motion was approved unanimously.

Mr. Devon Hogan came to Town Hall to ask if the Town interest in purchasing property behind the old grocery store. After discussion they decided they make be interested after finding out the price of the land.

Discussion on the mosquito control program.

Approval to purchase armor for 2 police officer's for the amount of \$1,541.44. Council Member Granger made a motion to approve the purchase armor for 2 police officer's for the amount of \$1,541.44. A second by Council Member Capehart and the motion was approved unanimously.

Approval for Brandy White to have her double wide moved to a rental property at 2710 Dyras Road. Roll call vote Council Member Capehart -No, Council Member Granger - No, Angela Hackney – No, Kellie Free – No. Mayor Coachman -No. Approval was denied.

Discussion on a camera system.

There being no further business to come before this meeting, there was a motion by Council Member Granger to adjourn the meeting. A second by Council Member Capehart and the meeting was adjourned at 6:37 P.M.

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James Coachman, Mayor

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Augusta Welch, Town Clerk