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MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BANDERA

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2019, AT 5:30 PM IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING AT 511 MAIN STREET, BANDERA, TEXAS

1. Call to order. Mayor Suzanne Schauman calls the Public Hearing to order at 5:30 pm. Councilmembers Clark, Palmer and Cavanaugh are present. In addition, City Administrator J Horry and City Secretary Jill Shelton are present. Councilmember McEachin and Mayor Pro Tem Gibson are absent.

2. Public Forum.

a. The City Council will hold a Pubic Hearing regarding the proposed budget. The City Council holds a Public Hearing regarding the proposed budget. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act and the meeting is open to the public. There are 4 citizens in attendance.

There is some discussion about citizens obtaining a copy of the budget.

There is discussion over the utility rate study and specific utility rate changes, including consumption tier changes. There are comments from the citizens in attendance.

There is discussion about comparisons with other cities regarding insurance coverage and other benefits.

There is discussion about possible changes regarding trash services. Mayor Schauman clarifies that the citizens are not required to have trash service through the city. There is more discussion about the types of trucks used to pick up trash.

The discussion goes back to utilities regarding the consumption tiers, the amount of accounts in each tier and the price of each tier.

3. Adjourn. The meeting is adjourned at 6:01 pm.

Jil Shelton, City Secretary