

**CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
OCTOBER 13, 2020
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING 7:00 p.m.**

MINUTES OF THE *SPECIAL* CALLED MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OVERTON, TEXAS THAT WAS HELD **OCTOBER 13, 2020 AT 7:00 PM** IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 1200 SOUTH COMMERCE, OVERTON, TEXAS.

<u>PRESENT:</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>ABSENT:</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
C. R. Evans Jr.	Mayor		
Trampas Freeman	1		
John Posey (Mayor Pro-Tem) <i>attended via telephone</i>	2		
Jerry Clark	3		
Reggie Thompson	4		
Michael Paul Williams	5		

Staff in attendance were Clyde Carter, Interim City Manager/Police Chief, Sherry Roberts and Interim City Secretary. There were over two dozen guests in attendance.

A. CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Evans called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

1. Invocation was given by Mayor Evans.
2. Pledges of Allegiance were led by Councilmember Freeman.

B. PUBLIC FORUM

Due to recording issues, there is no audio or video available for this meeting. There were several citizens who spoke publicly regarding the resolution to approve a 90-day short-term loan. All expressed their opposition to more loans and gave their opinion on the current budget. The following citizens spoke during the public forum item:

- Pamela Hampton – 606 N. Warren Street
- Denise Hill – 712 E. Henderson
- Josh Hill – 712 E. Henderson
- Donna Lewis – 502 W. Briar Sq.

C. BUSINESS

1. **Council to review, consider and discuss Resolution No. 2020-10-13 a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Overton, Texas authorizing execution of an unsecured short-term (90-Day) loan from Texas Bank & Trust, that will allow the City to manage cash flow through the first few months of Fiscal Year 2021.**

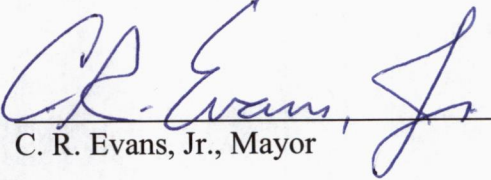
Council held discussion regarding the short-term loan and reasons as to why it was needed. Finance Director Sherry Roberts explained that it was needed to be able to pay employees and a few other items. Councilmember Thompson asked what the other items to be paid were and there was not a list available at that time.

Motion to approve made by Mayor Pro-Tem Posey, seconded by Councilmember Clark. The vote was a 2-2 tie with Mayor Pro-Tem Posey and Councilmember Clark voting yay and Councilmembers Thompson and Williams voting nay. Mayor Evans voted yay to break the tie and the motion was approved 3-2.

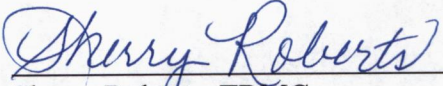
D. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:22 p.m. made by Councilmember Clark, seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem Posey. Approved unanimously.

CITY OF OVERTON


C. R. Evans, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:


Sherry Roberts, TRMC
Interim City Secretary

