

Garland County  
Ordinance Committee  
March 9, 2020  
Minutes

Members Present: Chairman Owen, Justices Reagan, Young, Dixon, Hunter, and Braziel

Members Absent: None

Also present: Citizens, Elected Officials, Staff, and Media

Chairman Owen called the meeting to order and introduced Resolution R-20-11 a resolution to appoint J.M. Rowe to the Royal Water Public Facilities Board. Chairman Owen abstained. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Young. Chairman Owen asked for questions or discussion, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-12, a resolution authorizing the County Treasurer to apply for a Blue and You grant. The word “to” was added, and a motion for do pass with the revision was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Dixon. Treasurer Stockdale explained the grant was for a stop the bleed kit. Chairman Owen asked for questions or discussion, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-13, a resolution authorizing the County Sheriff to apply for a 36-month community-oriented policing services (COPS) matching grant. Judge Mahoney explained the grant is for patrol officers. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Hunter. Chairman Owen asked for questions or discussion, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-14, a resolution establishing a policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by law enforcement agencies within the applicant's jurisdiction against individuals engaged in non-violent civil rights demonstrations. Judge Mahoney explained that this is the resolution that is required for specific grants. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Reagan and seconded by Justice Dixon. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-15, a resolution authorizing a residential anti-displacement plan. Judge Mahoney explained this resolution is also required for specific grants. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Reagan. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-16, a resolution authorizing a citizen participation plan. Judge Mahoney explained this resolution is also required for specific grants. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Reagan. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Resolution R-20-17, a resolution declaring a vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace, District 12. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Dixon. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Ordinance O-20-09, an ordinance to amend the 2020 Budget Ordinance O-19-54, to anticipate funds in the Jail Budget. Chairman Owen explained the need to open unit F at the county jail. There was some discussion, then a motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Dixon. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Ordinance O-20-10, an ordinance to amend the 2020 Budget Ordinance O-19-54, to anticipate revenue, appropriate, and transfer funds in various budgets. Judge Mahoney explained each item. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Young. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Chairman Owen introduced Ordinance O-20-11, an ordinance to amend the 2020 Budget Ordinance O-19-54, to anticipate revenue, appropriate, and transfer funds in various budgets. Judge Mahoney explained each item. A motion for do pass was made by Justice Braziel and seconded by Justice Young. Chairman Owen asked for questions or comments, and with none, the motion passed without opposition.

Adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Susan Ashmore, CPA". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Susan Ashmore, CPA

Garland County Comptroller