TOWN OF HAUGHTON COUNCIL MEETING

JULY 12TH, 2022

THE COUNCIL MEETING WAS HELD AT THE HAUGHTON TOWN HALL ON TUESDAY, JULY 12TH, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M.

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT WERE DOUG ADAMS, CARLTON ANDERSON, BUCK MCGEE, COLBY ISOM, & PHILLIP SMITH.

THE MEETING WAS PRESIDED OVER BY MAYOR GASPARD

NEIL ERWIN, TOWN ATTORNEY, WAS PRESENT.

THE MEETING WAS OPENED WITH PRAYER BY PHILLIP SMITH AND THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS LED BY COLBY ISOM.

THERE WERE SEVERAL CITIZENS PRESENT.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY BUCK MCGEE TO APPROVE THE COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE, 2022. SECONDED BY DOUG ADAMS. THERE WERE NO COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE. MOTION CARRIED. AYES: 5 NAYS: 0 ABSENT: 0 ABSTAIN:0

A MOTION WAS MADE BY PHILLIP SMITH TO ACCEPT THE BUDGETED FINANCIAL STATEMENT FROM MAY 2022. SECONDED BY BUCK MCGEE. THERE WERE NO COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE. MOTION CARRIED. AYES: 5 NAYS: 0 ABSENT: 0 ABSTAIN: 0

MAYOR KIM GASPARD STATED THAT THE AUDIT REPORT WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE AUGUST MEETIN BY OUR AUDITORS.

THE COUNCIL WAS PRESENT WITH AN AGENDA FOR THE UPCOMING LMA MEETING TO BE HELD IN SOUTH LOUISIANA AT THE END OF THIS MONTH.

CHIEF HOLLAND GAVE THE FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT. HE STATED THE NUMBER OF RESPONSES WAS 66. ALL APPARATUSES ARE IN SERVICE. LADDER 1 ANNUAL TEST CERTIFICATION HAS BEEN COMPLETED. FIRE HOSE ANNUAL TESTING HAS BEEN COMPLETED. DAILY TRAINING CONTINUES FOR FULL-TIME PERSONNEL. PERSONNEL IS CURRENTLY CONDUCTING ANNUAL PRE-PLAN REVIEWS.

CHIEF GIBSON GAVE THE POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT. HE STATED THE NUMBER OF CITATIONS WAS 93 WITH A TOTAL OF \$27,562.00 THERE WERE 139 SERVICE CALLS. THEY ARE LOOKING FOR POST CERTIFIED CANDIDATES WITH AN OFFICER RESIGNING FROM THE DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR JACKY HICKS GAVE THE PUBLIC WORKS REPORT. HE STATED THAT 8 NEW CUSTOMERS RECEIVED METERS. 8 METER TOPS WERE REPLACED. THEY REPAIRED A 3" WATER MAIN LEAK AT 490 E. MCKINLEY AND REPAIRED A 6" WATER MAIN LEAK AT 490 CAMP ZION. CONSTRUCTION AT THE SEWER PLANT CONTINUES. JAMIE PRATT WAS HIRED AS THE NEW MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR. MOWING AND WEED-EATING WERE DONE AT THE PLANT, LIFT STATIONS, WELLS, AND THE PARK. ANT KILLER WAS PUT DOWN AT THE PARK. AND STREET SIGNS WERE PUT UP AND REPAIRED ON E. MADISON, SEDGEWICK, AND CAMP ZION.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED.

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KIM GASPARD, MAYOR