

Howe City Council
Regular Meeting
April 18, 2017

Mayor Jeff Stanley called a regular meeting of the Howe City Council to order at 6:00 p.m. Members present were Georgia Richardson, Debbie Lowery, Bill French, Sam Haigis and Darren Foster.

INVOCATION

Bill French gave the invocation.

PLEDGE TO FLAGS

Mayor Stanley led the pledges to the United States of America and Texas flags.

Motion by Sam Haigis, second by Georgia Richardson, to approve the consent agenda, which included the minutes of the February 21, 2017 council meeting and the financial statements from February 2017 and March 2017 and the street closures for Founder's Day, May 6, 2017. Motion carried 5 Yes 0 No.

Motion by Sam Haigis, second by Bill French, to approve the new name for the First Christian Church to Summit Gardens. Monte informed the Council that the Save the Church committee and the community had decided on this name. The plan for the building is to have a wedding and event venue soon. Motion carried 5 Yes 0 No.

"Skee" Dodson, the Legislative Officer for the Texoma ABATE, gave statistics regarding motorcycle safety and other information. Motion by Debbie Lowery, second by Bill French to approve the Proclamation for Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month, May 2017. Motion carried 5 Yes 0 No.

Motion by Sam Haigis, second by Darren Foster, to approve Resolution 2017-0001, City of Howe's suspension of Oncor's April 21, 2017 effective date of the Company's rate increase. Motion carried 4 Yes 1 No (Debbie Lowery).

Motion by Bill French, second by Sam Haigis, to approve the appointment of Harvey Morris to the Planning & Zoning Commission. Motion carried 5 Yes 0 No.

Departmental Reports were given by Carl Hudman, Police Department, David Wortham, Utility Department, Joe Shephard, Administrative and Monte Walker, Economic Development.

The meeting adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

Mayor _____

ATTEST:
