

MINUTES FOR THE 17TH DAY OF MARCH 2020

Be it remembered that an Emergency Session of the City Council of the City of Groesbeck was held at 6:15 p.m., Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 2020 at the City Council Chambers at 317 W. Navasota Street. at the Groesbeck Council Chambers with the Honorable Mayor Ray O'Docharty presiding and with Matthew Dawley, Kim Harris, Tamikia Jackson, Warren Anglin and Mike Thompson being present and with no one being absent. Staff members present were Chris Henson, Brenda Jackson and Keith Tilley.

Mayor Ray O'Docharty called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m. Proper posting of the notice of the meeting was verified and a quorum of members was present.

2. Consider Discussion and Possible Action Concerning the Impact of COVID-19(Coronavirus)

Chris Henson, City Administrator spoke on different concerns of the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) and shared how other cities are approaching them. All of our restaurants and Convention Center have been contacted and are in agreement to reduce down to no more than 50 eat-in/group capacity, the hospital is testing everyone before entering, the schools are closed down, the county show is partially canceled, the city hall office hours have been reduced to four hour days to limit exposure to the public and other precautionary actions are being practiced to keep everyone as safe as possible. There are no positive cases in Limestone County at the present time.

Mr. Henson is asking the council for permission to restrict the restaurants and others to the up to 50 group capacity and continue safety practices in the city.

A motion was made by Matthew Dawley and seconded by Warren to give City Administrator Chris Henson permission to enforce the up to 50 group capacity.

3. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made by Mike Thompson and seconded by Warren Anglin. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

APPROVED:
CITY OF GROESBECK

BY: _____
Ray O'Docharty
Mayor

ATTEST:

Brenda Jackson
City Secretary