

City Commissioners  
**Dan Streit**  
**Tom Budniak**  
**Robert Longshore**  
**David Westerman**

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Mayor  
**Bryan Coomer**

City Treasurer  
**Chris Russell**  
City Clerk  
**Brian Davis**  
City Attorney  
**L. Stanley Chauvin**  
City Engineer  
**Jon Muscutt**

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Monthly City Meeting  
Monday, February 21, 2022

Mayor Bryan Coomer began the meeting at 7:00 p.m. via ZOOM, as advertised on the Barbourmeade website. The following commissioners and officials were present: Mayor Bryan Coomer, Rob Longshore, Tom Budniak, Dan Streit, David Westerman, City Engineer Jon Muscutt, City Treasurer Chris Russell, City Attorney Stan Chauvin and City Clerk Brian Davis.

### **MEETING MINUTES**

The minutes from the January 24, 2022 meeting were considered for approval. Commissioner Streit made a motion to approve the minutes as submitted. Commissioner Westerman seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

City Treasurer Chris Russell presented the January 2022 report. There is approximately \$1.39 million in the city reserves. Some insurance tax and franchise tax income came in during the last month. City Treasurer there is some income tied up because the city hasn't been able to find anyone to complete the annual audits required to claim funds from the state. Commissioner Streit made a motion to approve the January 2022 treasurer's report. Commission Budniak seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0.

### **WARRANTS – BILLS FOR PAYMENT**

City Treasurer Chris Russell presented the warrants for February 2022 (2-1 to 2-5). Commissioner Longshore stated he has not received a bill for the most recent snow removal activity so that will have to wait until next month. Motion by Commissioner Streit to approve the warrants as read. Commissioner Budniak seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There wasn't anyone from the public.

### **MAYOR'S REPORT**

Mayor Bryan Coomer had nothing to report. Mayor Coomer asked if the rest of the pavement bill was paid. City Treasurer Russell says he recalls some of the money was held back because of the manhole cover issue. Mayor Coomer said the city should check to see if the manhole cover issue was corrected. City Engineer Muscutt said one of the manholes in question is near his house and he still hears it when cars drive over it. Mayor Coomer asked City Engineer Muscutt to find another company to come take a look at the manholes so it can be corrected.

### **SANITATION**

Commissioner David Westerman said there was one small miss last week that was quickly corrected.

### **ROADS & MAINTENANCE/ANIMALS**

Commissioner Robert Longshore had nothing to report regarding animals. On roads, he continues to coordinate with Compton's when there are weather events. The street sign that was knocked over has been

replaced (he will have a bill next month). He also received an email from a resident on Circle Crest Road with a small sinkhole that has opened up next to the road. Apparently this is a recurring problem at this spot. MSD has notified the property owner that it is not their responsibility to repair the hole. Mayor Coomer would like to tell the property owners it is their responsibility to fix the issue. Commissioner Longshore will contact the owner.

**BEAUTIFICATION**

Commissioner Tom Budniak asked if the Greenscapes contract had been signed. Mayor Coomer said it has been signed and mailed back to them. Commissioner Budniak asked if anyone has the name of a licensed electrician. The main power boxes in a couple of the islands are badly rusted and needs to be replaced immediately.

**CITY ENGINEER REPORT**

City Engineer Jon Muscutt had nothing to report. Mayor Coome said he will give City Engineer Muscutt the previous engineer’s records so he can see when the last series of pavement was resurfaced.

**SAFETY & INSURANCE**

Commissioner Dan Streit did not have the January 2022 patrol information. He has renewed the mayor and city treasurer bond.

**CITY ATTORNEY REPORT**

City Attorney Stan Chauvin is nearing completion of his research on the delinquent taxes. He is also working on reformatting the ordinances. Mayor Coomer asked to be giving the information and he will relay that to the website people to post in a new way. The reformatted ordinances will separate the tax related ordinances from the permanent ordinances.

Commissioner Longshore had a question about delinquent taxes. He asked if the “new” delinquent taxes will be added. City Treasurer Russell will compile the list of delinquent taxes from this latest round and give the information to City Attorney Chauvin.

**OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business to discuss.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Mayor Coomer asked about whether the city should consider raising taxes this coming fiscal year. He thinks the commissioners should think about this as we get closer to establishing the next budget.

The next regular meeting will be on Monday, March 21, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

With no further business to discuss, Commissioner Streit made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Budniak seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting ended at 7:38 p.m.

Bryan Coomer, Mayor

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Attest: Brian Davis, City Clerk

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