

THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL MET IN SPECIAL SESSION APRIL 24, 2020, IN THE MIAMI CIVIC CENTER AT 10:30AM WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

Rudy Schultz, Mayor	Dean Kruithof, City Manager
David Davis, Councilmember Ward 1	Ben Loring, City Attorney
Doug Weston, Councilmember Ward 2 (Via Phone Conference)	Melissa Moore, City Clerk
Ryan Orcutt, Councilmember Ward 3 (Via Phone Conference)	
Vicki Lewis, Councilmember Ward 4 (Via Phone Conference)	

Notice of a special meeting of the Miami City Council, Miami, Oklahoma, called by Mayor Rudy Schultz, was displayed in the main lobby of the Miami Civic Center and by posting on www.miamiokla.net starting at 8:50AM on April 22, 2020, pursuant to 25 O.S. §311(9) (a) and (b) and the agenda was displayed and posted in the same manner on April 23, 2020, at 8:45AM.

THE COUNCIL MAY DISCUSS, CONSIDER, AND VOTE ON ANY ITEM LISTED IN THIS AGENDA:

Call to Order

Mayor Schultz called the meeting to order at 10:31AM.

Discussion and Possible Vote on Amendment to Ordinance 2020-02(b) as Ordinance 2020-02(c) if the Council Deems Necessary

Ben Loring explained that ordinance 2020-02(c) will bring the City of Miami into conformity with the directive from the Governor. The ordinance will expire April 30th and the city will follow the guidelines issued from the state starting on May 1st. The ordinance continues to delay utility shut offs until June 3rd. Dean Kruithof read the guidelines issued from the state for phase I through phase III of re-opening businesses. Kruithof reported that he spoke with Jonas Rabel from Integris before the meeting today and the hospital is starting to implement the recommended guidelines from the governor. Mayor Schultz reported that he was notified of the first COVID-19 related death in Ottawa County just prior to the meeting. This ordinance allows personal care businesses to open but they must follow the CDC and state guidelines. Councilmembers expressed the importance of continuing social distancing with businesses being allowed to open back up. The council can reenact an ordinance if the situation arises.

Councilmember Davis moved to approve ordinance 2020 – 02(c). Councilmember Weston made the second. The Council was polled with the following results:

Davis; Aye Weston, Aye Lewis, Aye Orcutt; Nay Schultz, Aye

Mayor Schultz declared the motion carried.

Emergency Clause for Ordinance 2020-02(c) if the Council Deems Necessary

Mayor Schultz reminded the council that it takes four affirmative votes for an emergency clause to be approved. Ben Loring clarified that if approved the ordinance will take effect immediately.

Councilmember Weston moved to approve the emergency clause for Ordinance 2020-02(c). Councilmember Davis made the second. The Council was polled with the following results:

Weston, Aye Davis, Aye Lewis, Aye Orcutt; Nay Schultz; Aye

Mayor Schultz declared the motion carried.

The ordinance with the emergency clause was approved at 10:57am.

Dean Kruthof gave an update on city operations and plans for the month of May.

Adjournment

Mayor Schultz moved to adjourn. Councilmember Davis made the second. The Council was polled with the following results:

Schultz, Aye

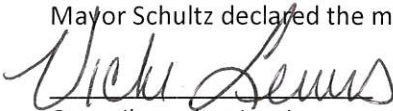
Davis, Aye

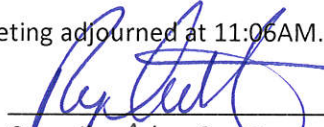
Weston, Aye

Lewis, Aye

Orcutt, Aye

Mayor Schultz declared the meeting adjourned at 11:06AM.



Councilmember Lewis


Councilmember Orcutt


Councilmember Davis


Councilmember Weston


Mayor Schultz

ATTEST: 
Melissa Moore, City Clerk

