



*The City of Bruceville-Eddy Rising into the Future*

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**City of Bruceville-Eddy  
Special Called Council Meeting at 6:30 pm  
Minutes for August 19, 2021**

**1. Called to order by Mayor Bass at 6:30 pm**

**Roll call: Council members: Ricky Wiggins, Mayor Pro-Tem, Linda Owens, Cecil Griffin, James Tolbert, and Marc Fowler.**

**City employees: Sonya Bishop – City Administrator, Pam Combs – City Secretary, Chief Dorsey, Officer Roman, Officer Honstein, Gene Sprouse-Water Department, and Natalia Moore-Water Clerk.**

**2. Citizens Presentations –**

**Mavis Salladay, 417 Horseshoe Bend Rd-Read a letter from one of the residents, Karen Stanley Ferguson, 550 Hudson Ln.**

**James Stewart, 1103 Smith Ln-Regarding water line not buried deep enough on Robin Rd for them to put in a driveway and they are unable to use their land.**

**Cathy Patterson, 899 Hodge Rd – She had some concerns about getting a water meter.**

**3. Council to discuss and consider request by Sonda Prater regarding city administrator.**

**She voiced to the city council some concerns about the council and city employees.**

**4. To discuss, consider, and possibly take action on appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee- city administrator.**

**Motion made by Ricky Wiggins to go into executive session and consult with the city attorney about legal advice, 2<sup>nd</sup> by James Tolbert, 3 yeas (James Tolbert, Marc Fowler, Ricky Wiggins) 2 nays (Linda Owens, Cecil Griffin).**

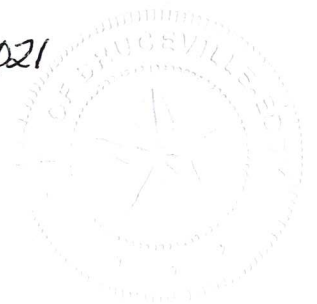
**Adjourned to executive session at 8:04 pm, back into session at 8:53 pm, per Mayor Bass no action taken during the executive session.**

**Motion made by Ricky Wiggins, The City Council will issue a Written Reprimand to the City Administrator that addresses the shortcomings and concerns that have been discussed tonight, specifically including 1) Failure to follow City Council directives; 2) Failure to keep the City Council informed on significant events; and 3) any Failure to comply with the twenty-seven (27) items of Chapter 6 of the City of Bruceville-Eddy Employee Handbook. Any future failure by the City Administrator, may result in termination. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Linda Owens, 5 yeas 0 nay, motion passes.**

**Motion made by Linda Owens to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 pm 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion Cecil Griffin, 5 yeas 0 nay, motion passes.**

*Connally Bass* 8-26-2021  
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Mayor Connally Bass Date

*Pam Combs* 8-26-2021  
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Pam Combs, City Secretary Date



## CERTIFIED AGENDA

an Executive Session of the City Council of the City of Bruceville-Eddy, Texas

Special Called Council Meeting

August 19, 2021

1. The City Council convened an open Special Called Council meeting at 6:30 p.m.
2. The City Council, pursuant to an announcement made by the Presiding Officer, then convened into Executive Session, in the Council Meeting Room, closed to the public, at 8:04 pm

3. Those present in the executive session were:

Mayor Pro-Tem Ricky Wiggins  
Council Member Linda Owens  
Council Member Cecil Griffin  
Council Member Marc Fowler  
Council Member James Tolbert  
City Attorney Neil Pirkle

4. The executive session included the following agenda items: (attach agenda)

5. The executive session was pursuant to Texas Government Code §§ 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.074

6. The Presiding Officer announced the end of the executive session at 8:53 p.m., and the City Council reconvened in open session at that time.

7. No action was taken by the City Council. CERTIFICATION The undersigned, as Presiding Officer of the executive session described above, hereby certifies that this document is a true and correct record of the proceeding.

PRESIDING OFFICER: by: Connally Bass Connally Bass, Mayor