SPECIAL CALLED MEETING April 30, 2020 at 11:15 a.m. And Continuing at 3:00 p.m.

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS VIRTUAL MEETING

The City Council of the City of Abilene, Texas met in Special Session on the April 30, 2020, at 11:15 a.m., virtually, via Zoom meeting. Mayor Anthony Williams was present and presiding with Mayor Pro-tem Weldon Hurt, Deputy Mayor Pro-tem Donna Albus and Councilmembers Shane Price, Jack Rentz, Kyle McAlister and Travis Craver. Also present were City Manager Robert Hanna, City Attorney Stanley Smith, and City Secretary Shawna Atkinson, and various members of the City staff.

Due to technical difficulties, the meeting ended at approximately 11:40 a.m. An Emergency Meeting was immediately called and the meeting resumed at 3:00 p.m.

Councilmember Kyle McAlister delivered the invocation, and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and State of Texas Flag.

This meeting was broadcast over a teleconference to allow the public to call in via telephone, since the meeting and City Hall were closed to the public during the current disaster situation.

AGENDA ITEMS

 Resolution: Receive a Report, Hold a Discussion and Public Hearing, and Take Action on Extending the Mayor's Declaration of Local Disaster Issued April 13, 2020.
[ASSIGNED RESOLUTION NO. 87-2020]

Robert Hanna, City Manager, presented the item. Adoption of the item would extend the Declaration of Local Disaster issued on April 13, 2020, and mirror Texas Governor Abbot's Executive Orders.

Mayor Williams read through the order and highlighted important portions of it. Council and staff then discussed the order in detail.

Mayor Williams opened the public hearing. With no speakers coming forward, the public hearing was closed.

Councilmember McAlister moved to approve the item as presented. Councilmember Price seconded the motion; the motion carried.

AYES (6): Mayor Williams, Deputy Mayor Pro-tem Albus and Councilmembers Price, Rentz, McAlister and Craver

NAYS (1): Mayor Pro-tem Hurt

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 3:16 p.m.

Shawna Atkinson City Secretary

Anthony Williams Mayor

Minutes approved on: May 14, 2020