LeRoy City Council

Minutes – Special Meeting

August 30, 2021

Mayor Christine Williams called the meeting to order followed by the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:00 PM at City Hall.

Council Members present: Jerry Tiemeyer, Terry Tyler, David Houston, Jeff Brite, and Tim Harvey

Employees present: Nikki Houston, Aaron Copeland, and Rustin Kimmell

Visitors present: Bruce Boettcher, Trenton Worley, Bobby Skipper, Sarah Stewart, and Bryson Meats.

Terry Tyler moved to approve the August 30th, 2021 agenda, and David Houston seconded. The motion was approved on a unanimous vote, 5-0.

Mayor Williams read Andrea Dickerson’s resignation letter to the Council. Tim Harvey moved to accept Ms. Dickerson’s resignation, and Terry Tyler seconded. The motion was approved on a unanimous vote, 5-0.

The Mayor recommended that the city exempt itself from the requirements of K.S.A. 15-209, which purports to require the City Clerk and City Treasurer to be electors of the city. The Council discussed the Mayor’s recommendation. Terry Tyler moved to approve Charter Ordinance #10, exempting the City from K.S.A. 15-209, thus removing any residency requirement for the City Clerk and City Treasurer. Jeff Brite seconded Ms. Tyler’s motion The motion passed by a 4-0 vote (David Houston abstained).

Bobby Skipper, Coffey County Economic Director, and Bruce Boettcher, BG Consultants, addressed the Council about the proposed ILLP Development and asked the Council to approve funding for a traffic study. Bryson Meats and Sarah Stewart made additional comments to the council regarding the proposed development. After a lengthy discussion, the Council took no action.

David Houston moved to adjourn the meeting, and Jerry Tiemeyer seconded. The motion was approved on a unanimous vote, 5-0.