

**DALHART CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2022**

Public Hearing

Sherri Haschke made a motion to open the Public Hearing on the tax rate for 2022-2023 tax year. Ian Van Den Heever seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously. Mayor Moore stated that this tax rate will raise more taxes for maintenance and operations than last year's tax rate. He also stated that the tax rate will effectively be raised by 2.63% and will raise taxes for maintenance and operations on a \$100,000 home by approximately \$10.61. There were no public comments for this Public Hearing. question from the floor was what the number was projected revenue for the City of Dalhart. Dwayne made a motion to close the public hearing. Bryan Brewer seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Regular Meeting

The Dalhart City Council met in regular session in Council Chambers on Monday, September 12, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. Justin Moore Mayor, called the meeting to order. A quorum was present. Franky Scott led the prayer, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited to the United States and Texas Flags. Members present were:

Justin Moore, Mayor

**Absent:**

Dwayne Smith	Michele Griffin
Bryan Brewer	Parker Noel
Franky Scott	Ginger Cleavinger
Ian Van Den Heever	Sherri Haschke

Stacey Norris, City Manager  
Wendy Kleynhans, City Secretary  
Greg Oelke, City Attorney

Bryan Brewer made a motion to approve the consent agenda consisting of minutes of the previous Regular Meeting on August 22, 2022. The motion also included the approval of the August Financial Report, August Tax Report, and August bills in the amount of \$682,214.75. Those bills over \$3,000.00 were: Xcel Energy \$44,580.38; Toot N Totum \$18,024.45; XIT Ford Chrysler, Inc. \$3,335.58; Lang Electric \$7,053.22; Warren CAT \$24,143.80; Dell Marketing \$4,927.82; Tyler Technologies \$3,279.94; AEG Petroleum LLC \$7,539.10; ACI Advanced Connections \$4,695.00; Dallam County Dispatch July2022 \$22,287.65; Law Offices of Greg Oelke \$3,680.00; City of Dalhart Lake Area Water Bills \$12,220.30; XCEL Energy \$9,152.00; Western Industrial Supply \$24,958.32; Paradigm Technologies \$6,226.50; Omega Electronics \$3,160.00; Western Machine \$10,863.26; West Texas Utility Contractor \$152,992.59; Dalhart Economic Development Sales Tax \$85,670.31; Atmos Energy \$3,083.01; Mid-American Research Chemical \$7,802.97; Chemquest \$4,116.60; Dallam County Appraisal \$9,183.30; Amarillo Utility Contractors \$95,745.10; Pioneer Research Corporation \$5,800.89; Paddock Enterprises

\$13,750.00; and Texas Municipal Retirement \$19,567.10. Sherri Haschke seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

There were no public comments.

Mayor Moore presented Years of Service Certificates to Randy Todd, Ignacio Romero, Jonathan Olvera, Sarah Cooley, Curtis Brown, and Gilbert Ramirez.

Dwayne Smith made a motion to open the reading of Ordinance 2022-08 for proposed Property Tax Rate for the 2022-2023 tax year. Bryan Brewer seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Dwayne Smith made a motion to adopt **Ordinance 2022-08**, for proposed Property Tax Rate for 2022 Tax year, captioned as follows:

**AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF DALHART, TEXAS FOR THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES; AND, PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.**

Bryan Brewer seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Bryan Brewer made a motion to close the reading of Ordinance 2022-08. Parker Noel seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Sherri Haschke made a motion to open the second reading on Fiscal Year 2022-2023 City of Dalhart Annual Budget. Ian Van Den Heever seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously. Parker Noel made a motion to close the second reading of the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 City of Dalhart Annual Budget. Parker Noel seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Bryan Brewer made a motion to adopt **Ordinance 2022-07**, captioned as follows:

**AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF DALHART, TEXAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2022, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2023; ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF DALHART FOR THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR.**

Ian Van Den Heever seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Sherri Haschke made a motion to open the first reading of Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Economic Development Cooperation Annual Budget. Parker Noel seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously. Parker Noel made a motion to close the first reading of Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Economic Development Cooperation Annual Budget. Ian Van Den Heever seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Mayor Moore tabled the lease agreement with Apollo MedFlight as they are not in a position to move forward. This item is table until the September 26, 2022 meeting.

Bryan Brewer made a motion to accept the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between the City of Dalhart, Texas and the City of Amarillo, Texas for an Interim Police Chief. Michele Griffin seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

Bryan Brewer made a motion to allow the city manager to sign the agreement. Sherri Haschke seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

There was no discussion of future agenda items.

Comments from City Manager and Department Heads: Stacey Norris pointed out the display on the screens for the meetings and thanked him for his hard work. Interim Police Chief, Jimmy Johnson, introduced himself to members of council and presented a report for calls for service, reports, and class c violations which will help the Police Department with direction of where to have the Police presence. He also spoke on the need for uniforms, vehicles, and equipment for the department.

There being no further business, Sherri Haschke made a motion to adjourn. Bryan Brewer seconded the motion and the same carried unanimously.

**APPROVED:**

**ATTEST:**

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Justin Moore, Mayor

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Wendy Kleynhans, City Secretary