



**Acts of  
City Council of Hinton  
Regular Meeting  
Tuesday, November 21, 2017  
7:00 p.m. -- Hinton City Hall**

1. Call to order/Roll Call – Mayor Joe Blankenship called the meeting to order, and the record showed that Councilman Meador, Councilman Pat Jordan, Councilman Jack Scott and Councilwoman Roberta Sorg were present.
2. Invocation / Pledge of Allegiance – Assistant Fire Chief Steve Pack led the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Approval of Agenda – Councilman Jordan moved to approve the agenda. Councilman Meador seconded the motion, and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
4. Approval of Minutes- Councilwoman Sorg moved to approve the minutes of the October Regular Council Meeting. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
5. Approval of Paid Invoices – Councilman Meador moved to approve the paid invoices. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
6. Approval of Financial Report October 2017 – Councilman Scott moved to approve the financial report. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.
7. Appearance of Citizens – none appeared
8. Discussion and or action regarding a resolution in support of Transportation Enhancement grant application – Council discussed the problems with the building and the need for the grant to restore the Hardwoods Building. Councilman Meador moved to approve the resolution in support of the grant application for restoration of the roof, brick, and windows of the Hardwoods Building. Councilman Jordan seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.
9. Discussion and or action regarding annual budget meeting – Council discussed the need for a budget meeting in February before they approved the budget in March. They decided to hold a special meeting on the second Tuesday of February.
10. Discussion regarding employee reviews – nothing
11. Discussion and or action regarding hiring a fireman – Councilman Jordan moved to go into executive session to discuss personnel. Councilman Meador seconded the motion and the motion passed by unanimous consent. Mayor Blankenship called the meeting back to order noting no decisions were made. Council asked Chief Pivont for a recommendation and he recommended Jason Grose. Councilman Scott moved to hire based on the recommendation of the chief. Councilman Meador seconded the motion and the motion passed on a vote of 3-0. Councilwoman Sorg abstained because her husband is on the civil service commission.
12. Councilman Jordan moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilwoman Sorg seconded the motion, and the motion passed on a vote of 4-0.

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Cris C. Meadows/ City Manager

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Joseph M. Blankenship/ Mayor