

**City of Temple  
Special Called Meeting  
Temple City Council  
November 27, 2017, 6:30PM  
Temple City Hall**

**Council Members Present:** Richard Bracknell, Howard Walden, Tom Wallace, Todd Rothwell

**Council Members Absent:** Penny Ransom

**Call to Order:**

Mayor Lester Harmon called the meeting to order at 6:30PM

**Approve the published agenda of this date's City Council Meeting, as presented:**

There was a motion to approve the agenda by Councilmember Bracknell, second by Councilmember Rothwell. Vote 4-0.

**New Business:**

1. Conduct a public hearing on the City of Temple's proposed 2018 General Fund Operating Budget and 2018 Water and Sewer Fund Operating Budget.

City Administrator Bill Osborne reported that the public hearing was going to take place on the proposed general operating budget and water and sewer operating budget. Finance Director Cynthia Geyer went over the budget. There was a brief discussion amongst the council. Mayor Harmon asked if there was a public comment on the proposed 2018 budget; there was none, so that part of the public hearing was closed.

2. Conduct a public hearing on the City of Temple's proposed 2018 Capital Fund Budget

Finance Director, Cynthia Geyer, went over the proposed 2018 Capital Fund Budget. After her presentation Mayor Harmon asked if there was any comment by the public; there was one. Mayor Harmon closed that portion of the public hearing.

3. Conduct a public hearing on proposed amendments to the City of Temple's 2017 General Fund Budget and 2017 Water and Sewer Fund Budget.

City Administrator Bill Osborne reported on the proposed amendments to the 2017 General Fund Budget and Water and Sewer Budget. Mayor Harmon asked if there was any comment. There was none. Mayor Harmon closed that portion of the public hearing.

4. First reading of a proposed ordinance to adopt amendments to the City of Temple's 2017 Operating Budget.

Finance Director Cynthia Geyer reported on the amendments to the operating budget. After her presentation, City Administrator Bill Osborne completed the first reading of the ordinance to adopt amendments to the City of Temple's 2017 Operating Budget.

5. Review City Council comments made during the three public hearings held earlier during this Special Called Meeting

There was a brief review of the three public hearings that were held by City Administrator Bill Osborne.

6. Report on Ruth Holder Public Library.

City Administrator Bill Osborne reported that he met with three members of the West Georgia Library system to talk about past and current levels of support. The library system hoped that the City of Temple would designate \$25,000 to the library in 2018. There was a discussion amongst the council members regarding funding for the library that was done in the past and what should be done in the future. Mr. Osborne stated that the library is expecting us to pay our fair share and what we included in the budget is \$29,000.

**Adjournment**

There was a motion to adjourn by Councilmember Bracknell, second by Councilmember Walden. The meeting was adjourned at 7:28PM.

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Mayor Harmon

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City Clerk