

COUNCIL MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 7, 2010

The first regular September meeting of the Mannington City Council with Mayor Bob Garcia presiding was held Tuesday, September 7, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at city hall. Council members attending were Jeff Michael, Harry Moore, Larry Smith, Terry Starsick and Rana Taylor.

City Clerk Michele Fluharty read the minutes of the last regular meeting and they stood approved as read.

Mayor Garcia read the Street & Water Department report. Fire Chief Jim Moran had nothing to report.

In the visitors' portion of the meeting, Mac Spengler read an excerpt from Ordinance #310 pertaining to building permits and asked if plat surveys are being submitted with the permit applications. The mayor said he would check with the code enforcement officer. Jean Spengler then complained about her neighbors blocking the street and drinking while they are working on their new porch. The mayor said he told them not to block the street or the sidewalk. Officer Andy Kolb said they can drink on their own property.

Teresa Price asked about the bush by the Exxon and the mayor said the city will cut it out soon since it is blocking the view of drivers coming onto Route 250.

In new business, the first item on the agenda was Ordinance #394 which adopts the 2009 version of the state building code. Mayor Garcia read the heading. Moore made the motion to read the heading only and to accept the first reading of Ordinance #394. Taylor seconded the motion and it carried.

The other item on the agenda was the first reading of Ordinance #395 which amends the dog ordinance to include cat regulations. Moore made the motion to accept the first reading of Ordinance #395. Smith seconded the motion and all approved.

In council reports, Starsick said he did another survey of Brookside and the overwhelming majority of the residents wanted the speed bumps to stay. However, he said they would like something smoother. Michael said speed humps or rumble strips could be substituted. Starsick also reported that the drain pipe on Pyles Avenue is being washed away. Rock or stone is needed to fix the problem.

Moore made the motion to adjourn. Starsick seconded the motion and it carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.