Tom Daly, Mayor Noah Washington Jr., Place 2 Becky Harris, Place 3 Kevin Hadas, Place 4 Jim Parma, Place 5 Ken Polasek, Mayor Pro Tem



# MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING & PUBLIC HEARING

Selma City Hall • 9375 Corporate Drive • Selma, Texas 78154 September 15, 2022 • 5:30 P.M. – 5:34 P.M.

## a. Call to Order

Mayor Tom Daly called the Meeting to Order at 5:30 P.M. in the Selma City Hall.

## b. Roll Call - Members of Council in attendance:

Mayor Tom Daly Councilman Noah Washington Jr. Councilwoman Becky Harris Councilman Kevin Hadas Councilman Jim Parma

## Members of Council absent:

Councilman Ken Polasek

## City Staff in attendance:

Wyatt Agee, Assistant to the City Administrator Johnny Casias, City Administrator/City Secretary Clifford Ellison, Police Sergeant Robert Klaerner, Information Technologist

#### Citizens to be Heard

No citizens signed up to speak under Citizens to be Heard.

1. Public Hearing/Discussion/Possible Action on Ordinance Number 091522, an Ordinance by the City Council of the City of Selma, Texas adopting and levying the tax rate on all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City for the year 2022.

Mayor Daly opened the Public Hearing at 5:31 P.M. After no one signed up to offer testimony, Mayor Daly closed the public hearing at 5:31 P.M. Councilwoman Becky Harris made a motion to approve Ordinance Number 091522, as presented, and moved that the tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of \$0.1919, which is effectively a 9.97 percent increase in the tax rate. Councilman Jim Parma seconded the motion. By a record/roll call vote, Councilman Noah Washington Jr. voted "Yes," Mayor Pro Tem Ken Polasek was absent, Councilman Kevin Hadas voted "Yes," Councilman Jim Parma voted "Yes," and Councilwoman Becky Harris voted, "Yes." The motion passed 4-0.

2. Discussion/Possible Action to ratify the property tax increase reflected in the 2022-2023 City of Selma Budget.

Councilman Noah Washington Jr. made a motion to ratify the property tax increase reflected in the 2022-2023 City of Selma Budget. Councilman Keven Hadas seconded the motion. All members present voted in favor of the motion. Mayor Pro Tem Ken Polasek was absent.

3. Discussion/Possible Action on Resolution Number 091522, a Resolution authorizing the submission of a grant application to the State of Texas Office of the Governor, Public Safety Office, for a bullet-resistant shield grant not to exceed an amount of \$40,000.00; and authorizing the execution of documents relating to the submission and later acceptance of the grant.

The City Council took no action on this item.

Mayor Tom Daly adjourned the meeting at 5:34 P.M.

Tom Daly Mayor

I certify that this is a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the meeting of the City Council of Selma, Texas held on September 15, 2022.

Attest:

Johnny Casias

City Administrator/City Secretary