

Town of Vici
March 4, 2024
Vici City Hall

This notice of this public meeting of the Town of Trustees was posted on the front door of the City Hall Building and on the bulletin Board in the Town Clerk's Office on March 1, 2024, at 3:00 O'clock pm at least twenty-four hours prior to the meeting.

Mayor Carey Longhofer called the Town of Vici meeting to order at 6:42pm, board members answering roll call were Carey Longhofer, Brad Worsencroft, Nick Campbell, Aaron Hesler and Doug Peeks. Also, present were Kari Lipham, Rachel McGehee, Gibone Altland, Megan Johnston, Linda Connaway, Buck Hutchens, and Eddie Conaway

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to approve consent agenda for the Town of Vici Doug Peeks seconded the motion the mayor then called for a vote recorded as follows; Doug Peeks yes, Nick Campbell yes, Aaron Hesler Carey Longhofer yes, and Brad Worsencroft yes.

Buck Hutchens Fire Chief; Gave an oral report on the Vici Fire Department

Megan Johnson Event Coordinator; Report giving not present for the town meeting

Gibone Altland Emergency Manager; gave an oral report on the Vici Emergency Management

Eddie Conaway Police Chief; gave an oral report on the Vici Police Department

Animal Control Officer: not present, a written report was given and read by Eddie Conaway

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to enter executive session at 6:48 pm for Rachel McGehee, and Kari Lipham for the purpose of discussing the employment, hiring, appointment, promotion, demotion, disciplining, or resignation of any individual salaried public officer or employee pursuant to 25 Oklahoma State Statutes 307 (B) Brad Worsencroft seconded the motion the mayor then called for a vote recorded as follows; Doug Peeks yes, Nick Campbell yes, Aaron Hesler Carey Longhofer yes, and Brad Worsencroft yes.

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to return to open session at 6:54 pm. Doug Peeks seconded the motion the mayor then called for a vote recorded as follows; Doug Peeks yes, Nick Campbell yes, Aaron Hesler Carey Longhofer yes, and Brad Worsencroft yes.

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to give Kari Lipham a 1% raise out of the general fund, and a 1% raise in VPW extra duties, making a total of 2% raise for the hole year, And to do 1% out of the General fund extra duties, and VPW extra duties 1 % also, which is a total of 2% for the whole year for Rachel McGehee also, Brad Worsencroft seconded the motion the mayor then called for a vote recorded as follows; Doug Peeks yes, Nick Campbell yes, Aaron Hesler Carey Longhofer yes, and Brad Worsencroft yes.

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to enter executive session at 7:04 pm for Eddie Conaway and Doug Vinyard for the purpose of discussing the employment, hiring, appointment, promotion, demotion, disciplining, or resignation of any individual salaried public officer or employee pursuant to 25 Oklahoma State Statues 307 (B) (1)

Police Chief Eddie Conaway entered into executive session at 7:06 pm until 7:40 pm

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to return to open session at 7:40 pm Brad Worsencroft seconded the motion the mayor called for a vote recorded as follows, Nick Campbell yes Aaron Hesler yes, Brad Worsencroft yes Carey Longhofer yes and Doug Peeks yes.

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to approve a 5% raise for Police Chief Eddie Conaway, Brad Worsencroft seconded the motion the mayor called for a vote recorded as follows, Nick Campbell yes Aaron Hesler yes, Brad Worsencroft yes, Carey Longhofer yes, and Doug Peeks yes.

Agenda #16: Consideration, discussion, and possible action on purchasing a new building in the Town of Vici possibly for Western Plains Library and an estimate for new building: Tabled

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to schedule a special meeting for Agenda #17; Consideration, discussion, and possible action on the new proposed Walking Trail Grant.

Agenda item #18; Consideration, discussion, and possible action on contract with Dewey County Sheriff's Office. No Action

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to approve CBEW to do the Town of Vici 's Financial Audit for the Fiscal year of June 30, 2023; Brad Worsencroft seconded the motion the mayor called for a vote recorded as follows, Nick Campbell yes Aaron Hesler yes, Brad Worsencroft yes Carey Longhofer yes and Doug Peeks yes.

Mayor Carey Longhofer made a motion to adjourn at 8:06 pm, Nick Campbell seconded the motion the mayor called for a vote recorded as follows, Nick Campbell yes Aaron Hesler yes, Brad Worsencroft yes Carey Longhofer yes and Doug Peeks yes.