

MINUTES

TAHLEQUAH CITY COUNCIL – EMERGENCY MEETING

Date/Time of Regular: Tuesday March 31, 2020, at 3:30 p.m.
Place of Meeting: Meeting was **not** held at a physical location. The Emergency Meeting was held by Videoconference and/or Teleconference. See 25 O.S. 2020 §307.1(C).

Mayor Sue Catron, Councilor Bree Long, Councilor Dower Combs, Councilor Stephen Highers, Councilor Trae Ratliff, City Attorney Grant Lloyd, Interim City Administrator Alan Chapman, City Clerk DeAnna Hammons, as well as various members of the public met remotely by Zoom Videoconference and/or Teleconference.

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- 1. MEETING CONVENED-** Meeting called to order and the basis for emergency was stated, which included the recent increase in local hospitalizations related to COVID-19.

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- 2. Meeting called to order** by Mayor Catron at 3:36 pm.
City Clerk DeAnna Hammons Called the **Roll call as follows:**

Present: Councilor Ward I Bree Long
Councilor Ward II Dower Combs
Councilor Ward III Stephen Highers
Councilor Ward IV Trae Ratliff

Others Present:

Mayor Sue Catron, City Attorney Grant Lloyd, City Clerk DeAnna Hammons, Interim City Administrator Alan Chapman

Absent: City Treasurer Marty Hainzinger

- 3. Public Notice of meeting provided** March 31, 2020 at 2:56 p.m.
- 4. Councilor Ratliff** made a motion and Councilor Long seconded to adopt Ordinance No. 1302-2020 amending an ordinance relating emergency powers granted to mayor and council, providing for penalties and enforcement, and declaring an emergency.

Ayes: Long, Combs, Highers, Ratliff Nays: none Motion carried

- 5. Councilor Long** made a motion and Councilor Highers seconded to approve Executive Order Nos. 2020-1 and 2020-2.

Ayes: Combs, Highers, Ratliff, Long Nays: none Motion carried

- 6. Councilor Long** made a motion and Councilor Ratliff seconded to adjourn meeting at 3:53 p.m.

Ayes: Highers, Ratliff, Long, Combs Nays: none Motion carried