

TOWN OF SILVER CITY
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
GRANT COUNTY ADMINISTRATION CENTER, 1400 HWY. 180 E., SILVER CITY, NM
October 25, 2022, 6:00 p.m.

Members Present:

Ken Ladner, Mayor
Lucian Farmer, Councilor District 1
Nicholas Prince, Councilor District 2
Jose A. Ray, Jr., Councilor District 3
Guadalupe Cano, Councilor District 4

Others present:

Alex Brown, Town Manager
James Marshall, Assistant Town Manager
Jim Reynolds, Town Attorney
Tina Sublasky, Executive Assistant
Freddie Portillo, Chief of Police
Ben Beltron, Executive Director, CATS

1. CALL TO ORDER - Mayor Ladner called meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND SALUTE TO NEW MEXICO STATE FLAG - Mayor Ladner invited the public to recite the Pledge of Allegiance and Salute to the New Mexico State Flag.

Mayor Ladner welcomed the City Administration, Law Enforcement and members of the community.

2. CHANGES TO AGENDA – NONE

3. CEREMONIES – NONE

4. PROCLAMATIONS – NONE

5. COUNCIL COMMENTS: Councilor Cano stated she was having issues with her emails and wanted to advise the public she was not ignoring anyone's emails.

Councilor Ray advised people to be very careful when they go out Trick or Treating on Halloween and to try and go to a neighborhood they trust. He also reminded everyone there was two (2) more weeks until Election Day, to please go out and vote.

Councilor Prince and no comments.

Councilor Farmer Congratulated the Lady Colts Soccer Team winning their game in their State Championship run.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – October 11, 2022, Regular Meeting. Councilor Ray moved to approve the October 11, 2022, Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of the Town of Silver City. Councilor Farmer seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

7. PUBLIC INPUT – NONE

8. REPORTS:

A. Staff: NONE

B. Manager: Alex Brown Reported on the seven (7) projects that are ongoing.

1. Update Recreation Center – It will take a little longer to get a Project Manager at Risk.

2. Update on Transition to City Hall Annex Building – Waiting for this Legislative Session, the priority will be asking for City Hall Annex funding in the amount of a little more than six hundred and fifty thousand dollars (650,000) to replace the roof and upgrade HVAC system.

- 3. Update on current and proposed Swimming Pool** – The RFP is still out for bid and should be coming to the Council on the second meeting in December.
- 4. Update on Scott Park Golf Course** – Will be removed from the agenda there will not be any upgrades done due to the winter months coming up.
- 5. Update on Little Walnut** – Another one hundred twenty (120) feet has been added to the next driveway to use up the remaining three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars and should be complete at the end of the calendar year.
- 6. Update on Regional Water Project** – Still waiting for the application from the PER and nothing on the GPA.
- 7. Update on 32nd St. Project** – The plans are complete and are waiting on the entrances and exits for the Recreation Center and will be put out to bid in the spring.

The Purchase Order for Phase one (1) for the drainage project at the cemetery has been issued and will start next month.

9. PUBLIC HEARINGS: NONE

10. UNFINISHED: NONE

11. NEW BUSINESS: NONE

13. ADJOURNMENT - Mayor Ladner stated this concluded the business of the Town of Silver City Town Council. Meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

/s/ _____
Ken Ladner, Mayor

Attest:

/s/ _____
Alfred Sedillo, Town Clerk