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City Clerk Renette Yancey

Council Members  
P1 – Keith Prather  
P2 – Jason Laughinghouse  
P3 - William Malcom  
P4 - Joshua Jameson  
P5 - David Mullis, Jr.

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## Good Hope City Council Minutes October 7, 2019

1. **Call to Order:** Mayor Guthrie called the meeting to order. Councilman Keith Prather led the invocation. Councilman Jason Laughinghouse led the pledge.
2. **Roll Call** was performed by Mayor Guthrie, City Clerk Renette Yancey, Councilman Joshua Jameson and Councilman David Mullis were absent.
3. **Approval of Agenda:** Councilman William Malcom made a motion to accept the agenda. Councilman Keith Prather seconded. All approved and the motion was passed.
4. **Approval of previous meeting's minutes:** Councilman Keith Prather made a motion to accept the August Council minutes. Councilman William Malcom seconded. All approved, Motion passed, and minutes were recorded.
5. **Public Forum:** There was no Public Forum.
6. **Committee Reports/Updates:**
  - A. **Budget Update.** Mayor Guthrie gave the Year to Date budget report and reported that business license and facility rental Might fall short for 2019, all other areas were on track for the year.
  - B. **Sheriff's Precinct Update:** Mayor Guthrie reported that the Archives Building's electrical meter had been turned over to the County and things were starting to move on the renovation of the building.
  - C. **Sidewalk Project Update:** Mayor Guthrie reported that the 2016-2019 LMIG project had been completed. The total cost of the project was \$33,155.00, paid with \$17,301.40 of LMIG Grants and the remaining \$15,853.60 coming from 2007 SPLOST funds.
  - D. **SPLOST 4 Update:** Mayor Guthrie reported that the account had \$15,140.14 in it as of 9/30/2019 and he would check with John Allman with Roads and Bridges about a Memorandum of Agreement for the county to repave the parking lot at City Hall, which was the first project listed on the SPLOST 4 list.
  - E. **New Copier/Printer:** Mayor Guthrie reported he had narrowed the list down and would work with City Clerk Renette Yancey to get the one that would do the best job for the city.
  - F. **City Banners:** Mayor: Mayor Guthrie presented the artwork for new City Banners from Display sales. The cost for 20 new banners and 5 sets of new hardware would cost \$2580.25 to be paid from SPLOST 3 funds that were designated for transportation and signage.

7. **Unfinished Business:** There is no unfinished business

### 8. New Business

A. **New Banners for the City:** Councilman Keith Prather made the motion for the city to buy a total of 20 banners, 10 each of the two samples presented and 5 sets of new hardware to replace broken and missing pieces of our current hardware. This would be with the condition that the price remained the same, if not we would purchase 20 of the blue banners. Councilman William Malcom seconded the motion and all approved.

### Council Discussion

A. **2020 Budget:** Mayor Guthrie and the council set the 2020 Budget which will be voted on in the December meeting.

B. **2019 Citizenship Award.** Mayor Guthrie and the Council selected Harold and Wade Edmondson as this year's award recipients.

D. **TV Monitor Mounting:** The Mayor and Council discussed the options for mounting the new monitor and it was decided to mount it on the wall within a lockable cabinet.

**Adjourn:** Mayor Guthrie called for a motion to conclude the meeting. Councilman William Malcom made the motion, Councilman Keith Prather seconded. Motion passed and the meeting was adjourned.

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Mayor

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Clerk