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P1 – Keith Prather  
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P3 – William Malcom  
P4 – John Robison, Jr.  
P5 – David Mullis, Jr.

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**Good Hope City Council Minutes**  
**August 1, 2022**

1. **Call to order:** Mayor Randy Garrett called the meeting to order at 6:31 pm, and led the invocation and Councilmember John Robison led the pledge.
2. **Roll Call:** City Clerk, Missy Daigle took the roll, and all were present.
3. **Approval of agenda:** Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to approve the agenda and Councilmember David Mullis seconded the motion and all approved.
4. **Approval of previous meeting's minutes:** Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to accept July Council minutes, Councilmember William Malcom seconded, all approved, motion passed and minutes were recorded.
5. **Public Forum:** Doyle Wallace, Pastor of the Good Hope Christian Church, presented to the council his desire to create a not-for-profit organization that will assist the members of council and the overall community in continuing to keep the atmosphere that Good Hope currently has. Also, he would like to use the Church's parsonage for a coffee house called, Good Hope Together and came before the council to see if a variance will be required.
6. **Committee Reports/Updates:**
  - A. **Budget Update:** The council was presented with a year-to-date report. Councilmember William Malcom made a motion to accept the budget report and Councilmember Keith Prather seconded the motion. All were in favor and the budget report was approved.
  - B. **City Hall Rentals:** There continues to be a lot of interest in rentals and we have surpassed our expected total.
  - C. **Park Maintenance:** DHI is preparing a bid for a permanent shade cover for the two benches at the park.
  - D. **Agreed upon procedures (2021):** Mr. McNair sent a text message to the clerk stating that his firm is merging with another company and ensured that with the extra staff the 2021 Agreed Upon Procedures would be completed in a few weeks.
7. **Unfinished business:**
  - A. **Moina Michael Poppy Festival:** Councilmember Kelsey Malcom has gotten all of the accounts transferred into her name, but the process took longer than expected to be able to get the sponsors and vendors together to have the festival this year. Councilmember William Malcom made a motion to defer the festival until next year and Councilmember Kelsey Malcom seconded the motion, the motion passed 100%.
8. **New Business:**
  - A. **Special Advertising Opportunity:** Chamber of Commerce is offering an opportunity to advertise, there was discussion about Good Hope placing an add and the size of the add. The recommendation was a ¼ page add. Councilmember Keith Prather made a motion to purchase a ¼ page add, Councilmember David Mullis seconded the motion, motion passed 100%.
  - B. **Rescheduling September Council Meeting:** Due to the Labor Day holiday the September meeting will be the second Monday, September 12, 2022. Councilmember Keith Prather made a

motion to reschedule the September council meeting, Councilmember Kelsey Malcom seconded the motion, the motion passed 100%.

**C. Patriots Day Remembrance Musical Presentation:** There was council discussion about having a 9/11 Presentation that would include a Bagpipe band around the flag pole at City Hall on September 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:37 am. A motion to have the presentation was made by Councilmember William Malcom, seconded by Councilmember John Robison, and passed 100%. Councilmembers Kelsey Malcom and William Malcom will put this on our social media platforms in hopes of having a good turnout.

**9. Council Discussion for the Good of the Order:**

Councilmember John Robison was presented with his Councilmember Certification.

**10. Adjourn:** Councilmember Kelsey Malcom made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Councilmember David Mullis seconded, all approved and the meeting was adjourned at 7:10pm.

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Clerk