CITY OF DEER PARK

710 EAST SAN AUGUSTINE STREET

DEER PARK, TEXAS 77536

Minutes

of

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 710 EAST SAN AUGUSTINE STREET, DEER PARK, TEXAS ON OCTOBER 09, 2017 BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M., WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT:

> JERRY MOUTON, JR. SHERRY GARRISON THANE HARRISON TOMMY GINN BILL PATTERSON RON MARTIN

MAYOR COUNCILWOMAN COUNCILMAN COUNCILMAN COUNCILMAN

OTHER CITY OFFICIALS PRESENT:

JAY STOKES GARY JACKSON SHANNON BENNETT CITY MANAGER ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER CITY SECRETARY

- 1. <u>MEETING CALLED TO ORDER</u> Mayor Mouton called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
- 2. <u>CONSIDERATION OF AND ACTION ON AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM</u> <u>TAXES FOR 2017</u> – After a proposed ordinance was read by caption, motion was made by Councilman Martin as follows; "I move that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of \$0.720000, which is effectively a 3.10 percent increase in the tax rate" and seconded by Councilwoman Garrison to adopt on first and final reading Ordinance No. 3932, captioned as follows:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR 2017 AT \$0.720000 PER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ASSESSED VALUATION OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS TO PROVIDE REVENUES FOR CURRENT EXPENSES AND INTEREST AND SINKING FUND REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING DUE AND DELINQUENT DATES; PENALTIES AND INTEREST; PROVIDING A HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION; REPEALING ALL OTHER ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Motion carried with a record vote 6 to 0.

Mayor Mouton "Aye" Councilwoman Garrison "Aye"

Councilman Harrison	"Aye"
Councilman Ginn	"Aye"
Councilman Patterson	"Aye"
Councilman Martin	"Aye"

3. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u> - Mayor Mouton adjourned the meeting at 5:31 p.m.

Shannon Bennett, TRMC City Secretary

Jerry Mouton, Jr. Mayor