

The City Council of the City of Taylor met on September 3, 2015, at City Hall, 400 Porter St., Taylor, Texas. Mayor Jesse Ancira, Jr. declared a quorum and called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the following present:

Mayor Pro Tem Chris Gonzales
Council Member Scott Green
Council Member Donald Hill
Council Member Brandt Rydell

Isaac Turner, City Manager
Susan Brock, City Clerk

INVOCATION

Chief Pat Ekiss led the group in prayer.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CITIZENS COMMUNICATION

No citizens came forward during this time.

PUBLIC HEARING

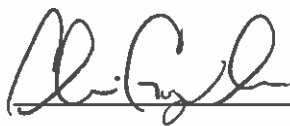
1. CONDUCT 2nd PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX RATE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015/2016.

As required by law, Ms. Rosemarie Dennis, Finance Director, presented a request to conduct a second public hearing on the proposed tax rate of \$0.813893. Ms. Dennis provided an explanation of the terms "effective" and "rollback" tax rates. She stated that the proposed budget using the current tax rate will raise more revenue from property taxes than last year's budget by an amount of \$334,139 from last year's budget. Property tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year totals \$44,025.

Mayor Ancira opened the public hearing; hearing no comments from the citizens, he declared the hearing closed. Mayor Ancira stated that the adoption of the tax rate will be voted on September 10, 2015 at 6:00 pm and the meeting will be held at 400 Porter Street, Taylor, Texas in the Council Chambers.

ADJOURN

With no further business, Mayor Ancira reminded the community to attend the 9/11 Event next Friday and then adjourned the meeting at 6:13 p.m.


ON BEHALF OF _____
Jesse Ancira, Jr. Mayor

ATTEST:



Susan Brock, City Clerk