City of Grayson **Special Meeting Grayson Municipal Building** February 8, 2021 5:00 P.M.

Call to Order

The Meeting was called to Order at 5:00

Roll Call

Present: Troy Combs, Derrick McKinney, Sudy Walker, Jerry Yates, Pearl Crum, Bradley Cotten Absent:

Pledge of Allegiance and Devotion

After reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, the Devotion was led by Bradley Cotten Approve the Agenda

Motion: To approve the agenda

Moved by: Sudy Walker, Seconded by: Bradley Cotten

Action: Approved Motion passed 6/0

Visitors

Camila Haney

The Mayor Presented a key of the City to Honor her for 48 years of service in the banking business.

Kevin Bretz who sits on the planning and zoning board of adjustments was at the meeting and expressed his concerns with a Halfway house coming to Cardinal Drive. Former mayor Leda Dean, whom also lives on that street was in attendance. They were representing the residents that live on Cardinal Drive which are concerned about that facility coming to their neighborhood They asked if there was anything the city can do to prevent it from locating there.

Questions whether we have an ordinance preventing it from locating there

The council agreed to go through planning and zoning ordinances and see if there is anything preventing it from locating there. City attorney Jason Greer said they need to find the owner of property and see what we can do.

Approve January Minutes

Motion to Approve January minutes

Moved by: Jerry Yates Seconded by: Pearl Crum

Action: Approved Motion: Passed 6/0

Name Council meeting room "Jim Phillips Conference Room"

Naming the council meeting room to honor Jim Phillips, long time news reporter of City government.

Motion to name the Council meeting room "Jim Phillips Conference Room"

Moved by: Pearl Crum Seconded by: Bradley Cotten

Action: Approved Motion: passed 6/0

Mayor Steele had to leave the meeting at 5:25 p.m.

Motion to appoint Council person Troy Combs as Mayor Pro tem

Moved by: Pearl Crum Seconded by: Derrick McKinney

Action: Approved Motion: Passed 5/0

Department Reports

Administrative/Code Enforcement

Derrick had a question about storage containers in town. They are allowed at businesses for short term/temporary use. Need to set time frame and make certain they follow.

Emergency Management

Had a Kickoff meeting for the sidewalk project last week, they put together a design and will hear from them in a month or two.

Alcohol Beverage Control

Not present at the meeting; report in packet

Police Department

Report in packet.

Fire Department

Report is in packet

Street Department

Not in attendance

Park Department

Jerry Yates presented report they are hoping to have a grand opening on Memorial Day weekend.

Unfinished business

Jerry Yates would like to have a meeting with code enforcement, Jason Greer and mayor about contractors paying Occupational Tax

Adjourn

Former Mayor Leda Dean stated we didn't need a motion to adjourn

Action: Approved Adjourned

George Steele, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Neice, City Clerk