STATE OF TEXAS COUNTIES OF POTTER AND RANDALL CITY OF AMARILLO

On the 6th day of August 2019, the Amarillo City Council met at 12:00 p.m. for a work session which was held in the Council Chamber located on the third floor of City Hall at 601 South Buchanan Street, with the following members present:

GINGER NELSON ELAINE HAYS FREDA POWELL EDDY SAUER HOWARD SMITH MAYOR
COUNCILMEMBER NO. 1
COUNCILMEMBER NO. 2
COUNCILMEMBER NO. 3
COUNCILMEMBER NO. 4

Absent were none. Also in attendance were the following administrative officials:

JARED MILLER
MICHELLE BONNER
BRYAN MCWILLIAMS
STEPHANIE COGGINS
FRANCES HIBBS

CITY MANAGER
DEPUTY CITY MANAGER
CITY ATTORNEY
ASSISTANT TO THE CITY MANAGER
CITY SECRETARY

Mayor Nelson established a quorum, called the meeting to order, welcomed those in attendance and the following items of business were conducted:

## PUBLIC COMMENT

Jerri Glover, 5707 Berget Drive, thanked Dr. Sauer for his comments last week regarding the proposed Charles Warford fee increases. She commented on the public comment meeting times. She further stated Carver will soon be renamed as a neighborhood school. Rusty Tomlinson, 5700 Canyon Drive, spoke on the requirements for immigration cities to be compliant with public safety partnerships. Melodie Graves, 1601 Northwest 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue, spoke on the proposed Warford Center fee increases. The need to understand the rate increases and with the increase they would demand a better quality of service. She further stated the building is not being used the way it should be and there was work that needed to be done. She concluded by saying the Warford Center was the hub for the community. Gary Prescott, 10101 Amarillo Boulevard West, spoke about the taking of his property without compensation. Leslie Martin, 7216 Bayswater Road, spoke on the proposed transit changes for SpecTrans. She stated her family needs the services of SpecTrans She stated she has been using the services for the past 5-years and it would be taking away her independence. She further stated the need for the transportation services needed to grow instead of being restricted. There were no further comments.

ATTEST:

Frances Hibbs, City Secretary

Ginger Nelson Mayor