

STATE OF TEXAS           §  
COUNTY OF CALHOUN   §  
CITY OF PORT LAVACA   §

On this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2017, the City Council of the City of Port Lavaca, Texas, convened in special session at 5:30 p.m. at the regular meeting place in Council Chambers at City Hall, 202 North Virginia Street, Port Lavaca, Texas, with the following members in attendance:

Jack Whitlow	Mayor
Jerry Smith	Councilman, District 1
Tim Dent	Councilman, District 2
Jan Regan	Councilwoman, District 3
Rosie G. Padron	Councilwoman, District 4
Jim Ward	Councilman, District 5
Ken Barr	Councilman, District 6, Mayor Pro Tem

And with the following absent:

None

Constituting a quorum for the transaction of business, at which time the following business was transacted:

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

- Mayor Whitlow called the meeting to order at 5:39 P.M. and presided.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT BY MAYOR THAT CITY COUNCIL WILL RETIRE INTO CLOSED SESSION:**

- **TO DISCUSS PERSONNEL MATTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 5, SECTION 551.074 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE (TO DISCUSS APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT, EVALUATION, RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES, REASSIGNMENT, DISCIPLINE OR DISMISSAL OF AN OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE, OR TO HEAR A COMPLAINT OR CHARGE AGAINST AN OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE [CITY MANAGER])**

Mayor Whitlow announced that Council would retire into closed session at 5:40 p.m.

#### **RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AND TAKE ANY ACTION DEEMED NECESSARY WITH REGARD TO MATTERS DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION**

Mayor Whitlow announced that Council was back in open session at 7:17 p.m. and there would be action taken with regard to matters discussed in closed session.

Councilman Dent made a motion to pass the following:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT LAVACA, TEXAS:

THAT, Council will pursue a Unilateral Severance pursuant to City Manager Bradshaw's employment agreement to be effective November 15, 2017 and also authorize the City Attorney to negotiate the terms of the severance amount with City Manager Bradshaw, contained in a separation agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute all instruments necessary to effect such agreement.

Councilman Barr seconded said motion

Motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Smith, Dent, Regan, Padron, Ward and Barr

NAYS: None

Councilwoman Regan made a motion to pass the following:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT LAVACA, TEXAS:

THAT, Council enters into an agreement between the City of Port Lavaca and Texas First Group Replacement Service, Inc. of Leakey, Texas for the purpose of providing Interim City Manager Services effective October 17, 2017.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute all instruments necessary to effect such agreement.

Councilwoman Padron seconded said motion

Motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Smith, Dent, Regan, Padron, Ward and Barr

NAYS: None

**ADJOURN**

Councilman Dent made a motion to adjourn the meeting

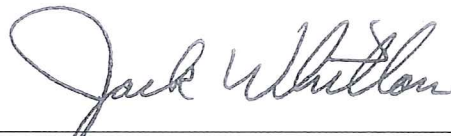
Councilman Barr seconded said motion

Motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Smith, Dent, Regan, Padron, Ward and Barr

NAYS: None

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jack Whitlow", written over a horizontal line.

Jack Whitlow, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mandy Grant", written over a horizontal line.

Mandy Grant, City Secretary

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT LAVACA, TEXAS, WILL HOLD A SPECIAL MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2017, BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M., AT THE REGULAR MEETING PLACE IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT CITY HALL, 202 NORTH VIRGINIA STREET, PORT LAVACA, TEXAS TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING ITEMS OF BUSINESS:

THE FOLLOWING ITEM WILL BE ADDRESSED AT THIS OR ANY OTHER MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL UPON THE REQUEST OF THE MAYOR, ANY MEMBER(S) OF COUNCIL AND/OR THE CITY ATTORNEY:

*ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE MAYOR THAT COUNCIL WILL RETIRE INTO CLOSED SESSION FOR CONSULTATION WITH CITY ATTORNEY ON MATTERS IN WHICH THE DUTY OF THE ATTORNEY TO THE COUNCIL UNDER THE TEXAS DISCIPLINARY RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT OF THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS MAY BE IN CONFLICT WITH CHAPTER 551 OF TITLE 5 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE.*

*(All matters listed under the Consent Agenda item are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will not be separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and will be considered separately.)*

### **CALL TO ORDER**

- CERTIFICATION OF DUE NOTICE OF MEETING

### **AGENDA: (COUNCIL WILL CONSIDER/DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING ITEMS AND TAKE ANY ACTION DEEMED NECESSARY)**

1. ANNOUNCEMENT BY MAYOR THAT CITY COUNCIL WILL RETIRE INTO CLOSED SESSION:
  - TO DISCUSS PERSONNEL MATTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE 5, SECTION 551.074 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE (TO DISCUSS APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT, EVALUATION, RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES, REASSIGNMENT, DISCIPLINE OR DISMISSAL OF AN OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE, OR TO HEAR A COMPLAINT OR CHARGE AGAINST AN OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE [CITY MANAGER])
2. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AND TAKE ANY ACTION DEEMED NECESSARY WITH REGARD TO MATTERS DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

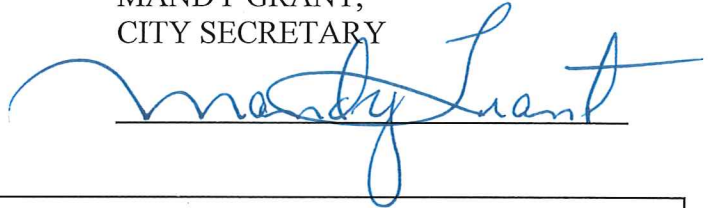
### **ADJOURN**

JACK WHITLOW, MAYOR

CERTIFICATION OF POSTING NOTICE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORT LAVACA, SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2017, BEGINNING AT 5:30 P.M., WAS POSTED AT CITY HALL, EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC, AS OF 6:30 P.M., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2017.

MANDY GRANT,  
CITY SECRETARY



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