

**CITY OF OVILLA MINUTES**  
**Friday, January 20, 2023**  
**Special City Council Meeting**  
**105 S. Cockrell Hill Road, Ovilla, TX 75154**

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Mayor Dormier called the Council Meeting of the Ovilla City Council to order at 5:05 PM, in the Ovilla Council Chamber Room, 105 S. Cockrell Hill Road Ovilla TX 75154, with notice of the meeting duly posted.

The following City Council Members were present:

Kimberly Case	Council Member, Place 1
Dean Oberg	Council Member, Place 2
David Griffin	Council Member, Place 3
Doug Hunt	Mayor Pro Tem, Place 4
Brad Piland	Council Member, Place 5

Mayor Dormier noted that the above members of the council were in attendance thus constituting a quorum. The city manager and city secretary were also present.

**CALL TO ORDER:**

PL1 Case gave the invocation and PL2 Oberg led the reciting of the U.S. Pledge of Allegiance and the Pledge to the Texas Flag.

**CITIZEN COMMENTS:**

None

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

The City Council of the City of Ovilla, Texas, reserves the right to meet in a closed session on any item listed on this Agenda should the need arise, pursuant to authorization by Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071 (consultation with attorney), 551.072 (deliberations about real property), 551.073 (deliberations about gifts and donations), 551.074 (personnel matters), 551.076 (deliberations about security devices), 551.087 (economic development), 418.183 (homeland security).

A. *Convene into Executive Session. 5:06 p.m.*

ES ITEM 1. **DISCUSSION/ACTION** – Closed Session - Called pursuant to Section 551.074 (1) of the Texas Government Code: Personnel Matters; to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

City Manager

B. *Adjourn from the executive session and reconvene into the open meeting. 5:36 p.m.*

*Richard Dormier, Mayor*  
*Kimberly Case, Place One*  
*Dean Oberg, Place Two*

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*Doug Hunt, Place Four*  
*David Griffin, Place Three*  
*Brad Piland, Place Five*

ANY ACTION NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE AS A RESULT OF THE CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION:

PL3 Griffin motioned to approve a new temporary staffing position, Assistant to the City Manager's Office, which will report to the mayor with an effective date of February 1, 2023.

PL2 Oberg seconded the motion.

PL5 Piland opposed, no abstentions.

**VOTE: The motion to approve carried: 4-1**

ADJOURNMENT:

PL1 Oberg made a motion to adjourn.

Mayor Pro Tem Hunt seconded the motion.

There being no further business, Mayor Dormier adjourned the meeting at 5:37 p.m.

No oppositions, no abstentions.

**VOTE: The motion to approve carried unanimously: 5-0**

Richard Dormier, Mayor

ATTEST:

Bobbie Jo Taylor, City Secretary

**APPROVED: February 13, 2023**

