

City of Freeport

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

March 15, 2021 12:30 PM Council Chambers, Freeport City Hall

Council Members Present: Mayor Russ Barley, Councilwoman Amanda Green, Councilwoman

Elizabeth Brannon, Councilman Mark Martin

Council Members Absent: Councilman Farris, Councilwoman Haffner

Staff Members Present: City Clerk Malani Robinson, City Attorney Clay Adkinson

1. Meeting Called to Order

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 PM by Mayor Barley in the Council Chambers of Freeport City Hall.

2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

The invocation was given by Mayor Barley, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

3. CDBG-CV Grant/Program

Mayor Barley announced the opening of the Public Hearing on the CDBG-CV Grant. Mrs.Katie Taff of Liberty Partners acknowledged that she would be submitting the preapplication for the CDBG-CV Grant on the behalf of the City of Freeport. Mrs.Taff noted that the grant was funded by the Department of Economic Opportunity and is to "prevent, prepare, or respond" to the coronavirus pandemic, in which the City will use the funds towards a Community Center. City Attorney Adkinson advised the Council on the appropriate motion to authorize the submittal of the application. The floor was opened to public comment.

Moved by: Councilwoman Brannon Seconded by: Councilwoman Green

To AUTHORIZE the submittal of the CDBG-CV pre-application with Mayor Barley's signature.

A roll call vote was ordered, and the vote was as follows:

Councilman Martin: aye

Councilwoman Brannon: aye

Councilwoman Green: aye

Carried

5. Adjournment

Mayor Barley motioned to adjourn at 12:33 PM.

Mayor

ATTEST:

SEAL STORING

City Clerk