

THE CITY OF WOODBRANCH VILLAGE
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
JULY 18, 2019

The City of Woodbranch Village council met in a special meeting, and workshop, beginning at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, July 18, 2019, in the City Hall Building at 58A Woodbranch Drive, New Caney, Texas, 77357. The special meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Roll Call showed as being present Councilman Larry Beard, Councilman Mark Kroll, Mayor Vera Craig, Councilman Brent Purser and Councilman Clay Dean. Councilman Scott Essmeier was not in attendance. City Secretary Charlotte Smith was present to take the minutes of the meeting. Mayor Vera Craig led the meeting with a prayer, followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

SPECIAL MEETING (7:00 P.M.)

#5. Closed Executive Session in Accordance with the Open Meetings Act TEX. GOV'T CODE 551.074 – To discuss personnel matters – to discuss the duties of the police department and consider Chief of Police applicant- Andre Singleton

Council went in to closed session at 7:02 p.m.

(A) – to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline and or dismissal of a public officer or employee

#6. Reconvene and take possible action

Council reconvened in to open session at 7:51 p.m. Councilman Larry Beard made the motion to hire Andre Singleton for the Chief of Police position, contingent on a 6-month probation period and at the budgeted salary for the position. The motion was seconded by Councilman Clay Dean, motion carried. Councilman Brent Purser was opposed.

#7. Items of Community Interest – (Hear announcements concerning items of community interest from the Mayor, Councilmembers, and City staff for which no cation will be discuss or taken.)

No announcements were made.

#8. Adjourn

The motion to adjourn the meeting, and open the workshop at 7:52 p.m., was made by Councilman Brent Purser. The motion was seconded by Councilman Mark Kroll, motion carried.