

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF CARTHAGE, MISSOURI
JANUARY 23, 2020

The Carthage City Council met in Special session on the above date at 6:30 P.M. in the City Hall Council Chambers with Mayor Dan Rife presiding. Fire Chief Roger Williams gave the invocation and Police Chief Greg Dagnan led the flag salute.

The following Council Members answered roll call: Ed Barlow, James Harrison, Ray West, David Armstrong, Mike Daugherty, Ceri Otero, Darren Collier, Alan Snow and Kirby Newport. Council Member Juan Topete was absent. City Administrator Tom Short and City Attorney Nate Dally were present.

The following Department Heads were present: Police Chief Greg Dagnan, Fire Chief Roger Williams, Public Works Director Zeb Carney, Parks & Recreation Director Mark Peterson and City Clerk Traci Cox.

Mr. Daugherty made a motion, seconded by Mr. Armstrong, to approve the minutes of the January 14, 2019 Council Meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Under Old Business, C.B. 20-01 – An Ordinance of the City of Carthage, Missouri, imposing a use tax for general revenue purposes at the rate of two and three-quarters percent (2.75%) pursuant to the authority granted by and subject to the provisions of Sections 144.600 through 144.761 RSMo; providing for the use tax to be repealed, reduced or raised in the same amount as any city sales tax is repealed, reduced or raised; and providing for submission of the proposal to the qualified voters of the City for their approval at the General Municipal election called and to be held in the City on April 7, 2020 was placed on second reading followed by a roll call vote of 2 yeas and 7 nays. Ayes: Armstrong and Newport. Nays: Barlow, Collier, Daugherty, Harrison, Otero, Snow and West. The council bill failed.

Mr. Daugherty made a motion, seconded by Mr. Harrison, to adjourn the regular session of the Council Meeting. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 6:42 PM.

Dan Rife, Mayor

Traci Cox, City Clerk