

**CITY OF CENTRAL
MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

**Kristenwood Building
14025 Greenwell Springs Road
Central, LA 70739**

Tuesday, October 12, 2010

6:00 PM

I. Preliminary Business

- (1) Call to Order - *Mayor Watts called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.*
- (2) Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance – *Rev. Ron Erickson*
- (3) Roll Call - *Council members- LoBue, Messina, Moak and Washington were present.
DeJohn was absent*
- (4) Approval of minutes from the September 28, 2010 council meetings.

A motion was made by Councilman Lobue to approve the minutes from the September 28, 2010 council meeting. No objections. Motion passed by unanimous consent.

II. Unfinished Business

None

III. New Business

- 1) Mayor's report and presentations.
- 2) Report from CH2MHill on services provided to the City of Central.

Mr. Roy Hutchinson with CH2M Hill gave an update on the services provided to the City of Central by the Central Municipal Services Center and responded to questions by Council members.

- 3) Introduction of the following item (with public hearing to be held at the October 26, 2010 council meeting)
 - a) An ordinance to limit the time for comments by council members during a council meeting. (By Councilman Messina)
- 4) Discussion and action regarding the following instrument(s):
 - a) A resolution forbidding the use of telephonic devices during council meetings. (By Councilman Messina)

A motion was made by Councilman Messina to adopt this resolution. Vote: 3 Yeas (LoBue, Messina, Washington) 1 Nay (Moak), 1 absent (DeJohn)

A motion was made by Councilman Messina to reconsider the previous motion. Vote: 3 Yeas (LoBue, Messina, Washington) 1 Nay (Moak), 1 absent (DeJohn)

Speakers: Chris Dickerson, Wade Giles, Joyce McCully, Rodney Bonvillian

A motion was made by Councilman Washington to adopt the resolution as amended. No objections. Motion passed by unanimous consent.

A resolution forbidding the use of telephonic devices during council meeting for the use of texting.

...that the use of telephonic devices to text during a council meeting by any elected official at a council meeting are hereby prohibited.

IV. Zoning Cases

- (1) Introduction of the following item(s) (with Public Hearing to be held at the October 26, 2010 council meeting):

None

- (2) Discussion and Action regarding the following case(s):

None

V. Other Business

- (1) Public Comment – *There were no request for public comment.*

- (2) Announcements

- (3) Adjournment – *Mayor Watts adjourned at 6:45 pm*