

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF BRAZORIA  
CITY OF IOWA COLONY

BE IT REMEMBERED ON THIS, the 17th day of March, 2008, the City Council of the City of Iowa Colony, Texas, convened in regular session at the regular meeting place thereof in the city hall at 7:00 p.m., there being present and in attendance the following members to wit:

Mayor Pro-Tem Ray Banda  
Councilman Richard Ledbetter  
Councilman Denny Myer  
Councilwoman Kay Mudd

And Mayor Robert Wall and Councilman Michael Holton being absent, constituting a quorum at which time the following business was transacted.

Mayor Pro-Tem Banda called meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Citizens Input: Rick Shawback reported that the residence of Robert Nettles at 101 Kiowa Court has been cleaned up.

Councilwoman Mudd moved to approve the minutes of February 18, 2008. Seconded by Councilman Myers. Approved unanimously.

Mayor Pro-Tem Banda reported that Mayor Robert Wall was unable to attend the meeting tonight due to not feeling well.

Council Member Reports:

Staff Reports:

Item 7, to approve façade variance to Dow Pipeline for alternate material for portable building for pipeline control instrumentation at 9100 Ruth Road. Councilman Myers moved to approve the variance for alternate material. Seconded by Councilman Ledbetter. Approved with three Ayes and one No. Councilwoman Mudd voted No.

Item 8, to consider permit, insurance and bond concerning Samson Lone Star, LLC seismic exploration, Councilwoman Mudd moved to table. Seconded by Councilman Ledbetter. Approved with three Ayes and one No. Councilman Myers voted No.

Item 9, to approve proclamation proclaiming April 2008 as "Fair Housing Month." Councilwoman Mudd moved to approve. Seconded by Councilman Ledbetter. Approved unanimously.

Item 10, to authorize the use of Altarra for updates to the city map, Councilwoman Mudd moved to authorize Altarra to update the city map. Seconded by Councilman Myers. Approved unanimously

Item 11, to authorize the use of Altarra for tax roll information. Councilman Myers moved to table. Seconded by Councilman Ledbetter. Approved with three Ayes and one No. Councilwoman Mudd voted No.

Item 12, to consider appointing HUD Representative to represent city, Councilman Myers moved to appoint Councilwoman Kay Mudd. Seconded by Councilman Ledbetter. Approved unanimously.

Item 13, to allow the Iowa Colony Fire Department to use back of fire station for a training field, Councilwoman Mudd moved to approve. Seconded by Councilman Myers. Approved unanimously.

Item 14, to consider retaining counsel for Benitez litigation, Councilwoman Mudd moved to retain Ray Viada with Abrams Scott & Bickley, L.L.P. Seconded by Councilman Myers. Approved unanimously.

Being no further business, Councilman Myers moved to adjourn. Seconded by Councilwoman Mudd. Approved unanimously.

APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2008.

ATTEST:

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City Secretary

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Mayor