

THE RAYMORE CITY COUNCIL MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON MONDAY, APRIL 10, 2023 IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT 100 MUNICIPAL CIRCLE, RAYMORE, MISSOURI. MEMBERS PRESENT: MAYOR TURNBOW, COUNCILMEMBERS ABDELGAWAD, BARBER, BERENDZEN, BURKE III, HOLMAN, TOWNSEND, AND WILLS. ALSO PRESENT: CITY MANAGER JIM FEUERBORN, CITY ATTORNEY JONATHAN ZERR, AND CITY CLERK ERICA HILL.

1. Call To Order

Mayor Turnbow called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

City Clerk Erica Hill called roll; quorum present to conduct business. Councilmember Forster was absent.

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. New Business

A. Declaring April 4, 2023 Election Results - Emergency Reading

BILL 3799: "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RAYMORE, MISSOURI, DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE APRIL 4, 2023, ELECTION AND DECLARING THIS BILL AS AN EMERGENCY."

City Clerk Erica Hill conducted the first reading of Bill 3799 by title only.

City Clerk Erica Hill stated Section 9.3 of the Raymore Charter calls for the Council to declare the results of any municipal election at the next regularly scheduled Council meeting. The official statement of certification of the election results received from the Cass County Clerk and Bill 3799 with updated ballot numbers were distributed to Council. In order to promote efficiency of the City's business, Bill 3799 is presented as an emergency reading.

MOTION: By Councilmember Townsend, second by Councilmember Holman to approve the first reading of Bill 3799 by title only.

DISCUSSION: None

VOTE:	Councilmember Abdelgawad	Aye
	Councilmember Barber	Aye
	Councilmember Berendzen	Aye
	Councilmember Burke III	Aye
	Councilmember Forster	Absent
	Councilmember Holman	Aye
	Councilmember Townsend	Aye

Councilmember Wills Aye

Mayor Turnbow declared Bill 3799 as an emergency and called for the second reading in its entirety.

City Clerk Erica Hill conducted the second reading of Bill 3799 in its entirety.

MOTION: By Councilmember Townsend, second by Councilmember Holman to approve the second reading of Bill 3799 in its entirety.

DISCUSSION: None

VOTE:	Councilmember Abdelgawad	Aye
	Councilmember Barber	Aye
	Councilmember Berendzen	Aye
	Councilmember Burke III	Aye
	Councilmember Forster	Absent
	Councilmember Holman	Aye
	Councilmember Townsend	Aye
	Councilmember Wills	Aye

Mayor Turnbow announced the motion carried and declared Bill 3799 as **Raymore City Ordinance 2023-029.**

Mayor Turnbow presented plaques to Councilmembers Berendzen and Wills recognizing their service to Raymore.

5. Oath of Office

City Clerk Erica Hill administered the oath of office to Councilmembers Donald Baker, Ward 1; Joseph Burke III, Ward 2; Kevin Barber, Ward 3; and Tom Engert, Ward 4.

Councilmembers Baker and Engert took their seats at the dais.

6. Adjournment

MOTION: By Councilmember Townsend, second by Councilmember Holman to adjourn.

DISCUSSION: None

VOTE:	Councilmember Abdelgawad	Aye
	Councilmember Baker	Aye
	Councilmember Barber	Aye
	Councilmember Burke III	Aye
	Councilmember Engert	Aye
	Councilmember Forster	Absent

Councilmember Holman Aye
Councilmember Townsend Aye

The regular meeting of the Raymore Council adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Erica Hill
City Clerk