



MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
CITY COUNCIL
OF THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS
OCTOBER 1, 2015 at 6:00 P.M.
16100 Wharf Cove, Volente, Texas 78641

1. Open Special Called Meeting.
Meeting opens at 6:03 pm.
2. Call Roll.
Julia Vicars calls roll. Present David Springer, Babs Yarbrough, Bill Connors, Mayor Ken Beck, Kristi Belote. Absent David Robinson.
3. Close Public Meeting, Enter Executive Session. *At this time Council will announce that it will enter executive session pursuant to **Section 551.071** of the Local Government Code "**Consultation with an Attorney**".*
4. Close Executive Session, Reopen Public Meeting.
Meeting opens at 6:32 pm.
5. Discussion and Action Resulting from Executive Session, if any.
No action taken.
6. Discussion and Possible Action on the striping of Lime Creek Road.
Mayor states that they need to discuss making Lime Creek Road safer. What was used for striping was water based and only lasted a year, it needs to be re-striped. DIJ Construction based in Bertram, TX has given quote for striping. Pricing with 3M reflective product thermoplastic material for 4 stripes will be \$14,572.80. The raised yellow markers that would go in between the stripes are \$15.00 each, installed every 40 feet would be \$2,280. Rumble strips \$.83 per foot. For everything it would be \$29,725. Subtract \$2,280 to just do the rumble strips and not the markers that would bring the total to \$27,445. Council requests more bids.
Council Member Yarbrough wants to know the safety factors. Does it really improve safety, wants to see some sort of study showing this will make a difference before spending money.
Mayor says the state has standards. Council Member Belote says requests research of the effectiveness of these features.

Mayor Pro Tem Connors says Council didn't budget for striping, he suggest the Public Works focus on the long term planned that was budgeted for. It's good we have this information but wants it long term.

Mayor states Lime Creek Road is our most dangerous road and the stripe is gone. Council agrees to research further before making any decisions.

7. Adjourn.

Meeting adjourns at 6:42 P.M.

Passed and Approved this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signed:

Mayor Ken Beck

Attest:

Julia Vicars, City Secretary