

**TOWN OF WELLSTON
TOWN SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 23RD, 2026
5:00PM**

1. ROLL CALL: BRANDON HUNT, BUTCH MELROSE, PAUL WHITNAH-NOT PRESENT- LEVI BOUSKA, LYNLEE BOUSKA

2. PUBLIC APPEARANCES, PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES AND COMMUNICATIONS: NONE

A. DISCUSSION/ACTION RE: CONSIDER APPROVAL TO CONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF TITLE 25, O.S. 2001, AS FOLLOWS: SECTION 307 (B) (1) FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION THE EMPLOYMENT, HIRING, APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, DEMOTION, DISCIPLINING, OR RESIGNATION OF ANY INDIVIDUAL SALARIED PUBLIC OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE:

a. Terry Leslie – Town Streets Position

BRANDON H. MADE A MOTION TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION; BUTCH M. SECONDED THE MOTION; MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL MEMBERS VOTING. BRANDON H. YES, BUTCH M. YES, PAUL W. YES. 3-0

B. DISCUSSION/ACTION RE: RETURNING TO REGULAR SESSION

BRANDON H. MADE A MOTION TO RETURN TO REGULAR SESSION; BUTCH M. SECONDED THE MOTION; MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL MEMBERS VOTING. BRANDON H. YES, BUTCH M. YES, PAUL W. YES. 3-0

C. DISCUSSION/ACTION RE: OF DISCUSSION THE EMPLOYMENT, HIRING, APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, DEMOTION, DISCIPLINING, OR RESIGNATION OF ANY INDIVIDUAL SALARIED PUBLIC OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE:

a. Terry Leslie- Town Streets Position

BRANDON H. MADE A MOTION TO HIRE TERRY LESLIE FOR THE TOWN'S STREET POSITION STARTING AT \$14.00HR, FULL TIME, 90 DAYS PROBATION; BUTCH M. SECONDED THE MOTION; MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL MEMBERS VOTING. BRANDON H. YES, BUTCH M. YES, PAUL W. YES. 3-0

D. ADDITIONAL NEW BUSINESS: NONE

E. DISCUSSION/ACTION RE: ADJOURNMENT OF TOWN MEETING.

BRANDON H. MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN; BUTCH M. SECONDED THE MOTION; MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL MEMBERS VOTING. BRANDON H. YES, BUTCH M. YES, PAUL W. YES. 3-0

TOWN CLERK

JESSICA COUCH

PURSUANT TO 25 O.S. SECTION 311 (A) (9) THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED IN PROMINENT PUBLIC VIEW AT THE WELLSTON TOWN HALL, 211 CEDAR ST WELLSTON, OK 74881, PRIOR TO 5:00PM on JANUARY 21TH, 2026.