



**City Council
Minutes
Special Session
May 22, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.**

Rhome City Hall
105 First Street
Rhome, TX 76078

Mayor Mark Lorance administered the Oath of Office to Mayor Elect Chris Moore.

Mayor Chris Moore administered the Oath of Office to Council Member's Elect Jo Ann Wilson and Michelle Pittman.

Council Present: Mayor Chris Moore; Council Members: Jo Ann, Chris Graves, and Cole Blanche.

Staff Present: Walt Leonard City Attorney; Ramah Burns City Secretary; Preston Gilliam, Public Works Director; and James Rose Police Chief.

1. Fill vacant seat held by Chris Moore.

Chris Graves nominated Louis Godfrey.

Jo Ann Wilson nominated Shawn Holliman.

Cole Blanche seconded the nomination for Louis Godfrey.

Michelle Pittman seconded the nomination for Shawn Holliman.

Motion was Chris Graves and Cole Blanche voted for Louis Godfrey – Jo Ann Wilson and Michelle Pittman voted for Shawn Holliman.

Mayor Moore said it was a hard decision because he knew both of the men and each would be a good but he would was going to choose Louis Godfrey.

2. Mayor Moore administered the Oath of Office to Louis Godfrey.

Louis Godfrey took his seat.

3. Motion was made by Chris Graves, seconded by Cole Blanche to appoint Jo Ann Wilson as Mayor Pro Tem.

Motion carried unanimously.

4. Motion was made by Cole Blanche, seconded by Jo Ann Wilson to authorize Mayor Moore to update the bank signatures with the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem and City Secretary.

Motion carried unanimously.

5. **Proposed Resolution 2012-02R denying the Mid-Tex Division of Atmos Energy of intent to change the gas utility rates in the municipality.**

Motion was made by Jo Ann Wilson, seconded by Louis Godfrey to approve Resolution 2012-02R denying the Mid-Tex Division of Atmos Energy of intent to change the gas utility rates in the municipality.

Motion carried unanimously.

6. **Fire/Police Department contract with Motorola for radios.**

Jason Miller

7. **Request for abandonment of land on possible city property.**

Walt Leonard, City Attorney said

**There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.
CERTIFICATION:**

Passed and approved on this 14th day of June, 2012.

**Chris Moore
Mayor**

**Ramah Burns
City Secretary**