

**MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL  
BLACKWELL, OKLAHOMA  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2009**

Pursuant to the legal notice as is required by the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act, including the posting of notice and agenda on June 5, 2009 as is required by the terms thereof, the Blackwell City Councilors of the City of Blackwell met in a special meeting at 2:00 p.m. in the council room of City Hall located at 221 West Blackwell, Blackwell, Oklahoma with Mayor Cordell presiding:

Present:       Mark Cordell, Mayor  
                  Nita Carroll, Councilor Ward 1  
                  Max Wirtz, Councilor Ward 2  
                  Piccola Hudsonpillar, Councilor Ward 3  
                  Brad Bechtel, Councilor Ward 4  
                  Mark Skiles, City Manager  
                  Cynthia Neumayer, City Clerk

Absent:         Mary Ann Karns, City Attorney

Others present: Fred LeValley, Police Chief; Dave Keen, Electric Supervisor; Fred Harraman, Street Supervisor; Jim Inmon, Code Enforcement Officer; Denys Mayse, Assistant Code Enforcement Officer; Tom Beliel, Fire Chief; Tobie Wright, Recreation Director and 3 citizens in the audience.

**1. Call Meeting to Order.**

Mayor Cordell called the special meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

**2. Business:**

**(A) Study Session on 2009-2010 Budget.**

Manager Skiles welcomed the councilors to the meeting. Appreciation was expressed towards all department supervisors for their diligence in finding ways to reduce costs of operation. Discussion was held on the 2009-2010 budget.

**(B) Departmental Operations.**

Manager Skiles asked each department to give an overview of their department operations. There was a brief discussion regarding how to cut costs within each department.

**3. ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business Mayor Cordell adjourned the meeting at 3:25 p.m.

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Cynthia Neumayer, City Clerk