

**Minutes of Claremore City Council Special Meeting  
Rogers State University Campus  
Dr. Carolyn Chapman Center  
1701 W. Will Rogers Blvd.  
February 07, 2019**

**CALL TO ORDER**

City Clerk Sarah Sharp noted the members present/absent at 11:30 A.M. as indicated below:

**Present:** Jennifer Lewis, Ken Hays, Herb McSpadden, Will DeMier, Bill Flanagan, Susan Kirtley, Scott Savage

**Absent:** Brian Callender, Justin Michael

**Staff Present:** Jim Thomas, Jonah Humes, Sarah Sharp, Jill Ferenc, Steve Cox, Joe Kays, Suzan Maloy, Mitch Louderback, Stan Brown, Lisa Wilson, Larry Hughes, Tanya Andrews, Lisa Rogers, Dale Williams, David White, Allison Burkhead, Mary Taber, John Feary, Kaleigh Hossack, Kara Leonard, Noelle Hayes, Jeff Peterson, Tim White, Ashley Hickman, Marlo Swanson, Jessica Putz, Sherry Beach, Kyle Clifton, Matt Wilson, Taylor Williams, Vicki Hershberger, Tim Hopkins

**1. State of the City address by Mayor Bill Flanagan and City Manager Jim Thomas.**

City Manager Jim Thomas and Mayor Bill Flanagan gave their remarks to the guests regarding the progress the City has made on projects and quality of life for the citizens in the past year and the future endeavors and vision of the City administration.

Flanagan and Thomas then entertained questions from the audience. Questions were asked regarding:

- \*The Electric Rate Study that was just commissioned
- \*Status of the The Quiet Zone Project
- \*The upcoming April 02, 2019 Municipal Election
- \*A railroad overpass on the North end of the City
- \*February 12<sup>th</sup> Rogers County Road Tax Election and effects to the City
- \*Mineral Bath treatments of Claremore's past and if there were any plans on bringing them back
- \*Attracting private investment in the City
- \* March 5<sup>th</sup> School Bond Election/quality of public school system and attraction of new residents

Jacob and Amy Gordon founders of the Zipper Q BBQ competition were recognized for the quality community event they produce. The Will Rogers Stampede Rodeo Committee was recognized for the 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive win of the PRCA Rodeo of the Year for communities under 50,000.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 1:05 P.M.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sarah Sharp". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sarah Sharp, CMC  
City Clerk