

Agenda posted on Durant City Hall Entry Door at

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF DURANT CITY Council Special Meeting
OF January 14, 2016 AT 6:00 PM, Donald W. Reynolds Community Center &
Library, Black Box Theater, 1515 W. Main Street, Durant, OK 74701**

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Mayor Stewart Hoffman.

INVOCATION

Durant Interim Police Chief David Houser delivered the invocation.

ROLL CALL

Present: Council Member Chad Hitchcock
Council Member Billy L. Orr
Council Member Jerry Tomlinson
Vice-Mayor Destry Hawthorne
Mayor Stewart Hoffman

City Attorney Pat Phelps
City Manager Sarah Sherrer
City Clerk Cynthia Price

Absent: None

Mayor Hoffman declared a quorum.

1. Presentation of Residents' Concerns In An Open Forum Conducted by State Auditor and Inspector Gary Jones

The program moderator was Gary A. Jones, Oklahoma State Auditor and Inspector. Mr. Jones provided an overview of the auditing process. Mr. Jones stated his office will accept additional public comments and concerns through telephone at (405) 521-3495, email at tdavis@sai.ok.gov; or through their website at www.sai.ok.gov. Communication may be sent anonymously. Mr. Jones stated the second public meeting will be held in approximately 30 days depending on the amount of information that is provided for review. The floor was opened for attendees to voice their questions and concerns. Frank Crawford with Crawford & Associates, the accounting firm for the City of Durant, was present and did respond to particular citizen comments to provide additional clarification. Mr. Jones stated his office will create a summary of the questions and concerns received at this meeting and through telephone, email and website communications. Mr. Jones will then outline each question with a response. Mr. Jones remained at the meeting after it was adjourned to be available to personally speak with any attendee.

Adjournment

Mayor Hoffman adjourned the meeting at 7:12 P.M.