



# City of Wimberley

221 Stillwater, Wimberley, Texas 78676

**WORKSHOP CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**WIMBERLEY CITY HALL – CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS**  
**221 STILLWATER, WIMBERLEY, TEXAS 78676**  
**THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2023 - 5:00 PM**

## **MINUTES**

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

April 20, 2023, at 5:00 PM

Mayor Fulkerson called the Workshop Meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

2. **CALL OF ROLL**

Council Members Present:

Gina Fulkerson, Mayor  
Rebecca Minnick, Place 1  
Teresa Shell, Place 2  
Chris Sheffield, Place 3  
Jim Chiles, Place 4

Staff Members Present:

Tim Patek, City Administrator  
Tammy Heller, City Secretary  
Nathan Glaiser, Director of Planning and Public Works  
Charlie Zech, City Attorney

Council Members Absent:

David Coheh, Place 5

3. **PRESENTATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

- 3.1. Receive a presentation from Tom Heger, Texas Parks & Wildlife Department Representative, regarding the fish weir at the Hidden Valley Crossing Bridge and consider possible action. *(Tim Patek, City Administrator)*

Tom Heger of the Texas Park and Wildlife Department provided an update related to the General Permit that was issued in 2017 for the construction of a permanent crossing of the Blanco River at Hidden Valley Road, to include a fish-passage structure. Construction was completed in early October 2017. However, the city was notified that the fish passage structure was not built in accordance with the permitted plans. Mr. Heger is urging the City to take action and also noted that funding may be available to assist in the proper construction of the crossing to ensure compliance.

Upon completion of discussion, consensus was to review funding and re-establish coordination with the parties involved to ensure the crossing is constructed in compliance with the Fish and Wildlife standards and the permit issued. There was also consensus to communicate with property owners that will be affected to ensure they are informed of what is being done on this crossing and how much disruption will occur. Mr. Heger stated there should be minimal disruption to citizens by this construction. Mr. Heger stated that the first step would be to work with Mike Montagne, of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Department, to begin reviewing the process and discuss funding options.

City Administrator, Tim Patek, will set up meetings with the parties involved to begin the process.

4. **ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Council Member Chiles seconded by Council Member Shell to adjourn the workshop at 5:47 p.m. The motion carried unanimously (4-0).

**RECORDED BY:**

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**Tammy Heller, City Secretary**

**APPROVED BY:**

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**Gina V. Fulkerson, Mayor**

