

City Council Meeting

October 3, 2013

The council meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.

Aldermen present: Mary Bohannon, James Schmitz, Jeff Hayes, Jim Sargent, Ronnie Roper and David Rice.

David Rice made motion to accept the minutes. Jim Sargent seconded. Motion carried 6-0.

Mr. Gary Bloom and several other residents were present to address the aid to safety and slower traffic on side streets, especially Fourth and No. Logan. The streets have “yield” signs and their request is to change the yield signs to “stop” signs. After discussion from the council, it was agreed upon to replace some yield signs on Fourth St., with stop signs and try this method.

Pattie Law was present with a safety concern of property at 819 Edwards. John Verkamp will pursue this complaint with a letter to the owner, then further action if needed.

Ord. 13-08- Millage .06. Jim Sargent made motion to introduce Ord. 13-08. Mary Bohannon seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Hiatt read Ord. 13-08. David Rice made motion to dispense the second and third reading. Ronnie Roper seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. David Rice made motion to adopt Ord. 13-08. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Ord. 13-09- Millage 1.1 David Rice made motion to introduce Ord. 13-09. Ronnie Roper seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Hiatt read Ord. 13-09. David Rice made motion to dispense second & third readings. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. David Rice made motion to adopt. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Ord. 13-10- Millage 4.9 David Rice made motion to introduce Ord. 13-10. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Hiatt read Ord. 13-10. David Rice made motion to dispense second & third readings. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. David Rice made motion to adopt. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Ord. 13-11- Millage 2.9 David Rice made motion to introduce Ord. 13-11. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Hiatt read Ord. 13-11. David Rice made motion to dispense second & third readings. Ronnie Roper seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. David Rice made motion to adopt Ord. 13-11. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Water Budget Proposal- Ord. 13-12- Setting 2013-2014 Water Budget for W/S O & M and W/S Revenue. Mary Bohannon made motion to introduce Ord. 13-12. David Rice seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Hiatt read by title only. David Rice made motion to dispense the second & third readings. Jim Sargent seconded. Motion carried 6-0. David Rice made motion to adopt Ord. 13-12 Jim Sargent seconded. Motion carried 6-0.

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Water Audit- Beall Barclay & Co. sent a letter of engagement for the Water Dept. audit, in the amount of \$10,500.00. Jeff Hayes made motion to accept Beall Barclay & Co. to perform the 2012-2013 audit. David Rice seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-1. Mary Bohannon opposed.

Area Agency sent a letter requesting \$2,000.00 from the 2014 Budget. After discussion, David Rice made motion to deny the request. Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-1. Mary Bohannon opposed.

Proj. Coordinator- Tonya presented her monthly report. She noted that Cheryl Flynn was hired as contract labor to clean the Community Center and City Hall.

Police Report- Chief Atchley presented his monthly report.

Superintendent- George presented his monthly report. He reported that the electric motor is being replaced at the water plant.

All invoices for the previous month of City General and Water/Sewer O & M and W/S Revenue accounts were presented to the council for review and discussion. After review, all paid invoices were approved by Mary Bohannon and seconded by David Rice. Motion carried 6-0.

Upon review of the water adjustments for the month, David Rice made motion to accept the adjustments and Jim Sargent seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

Jeff Hayes Thanked everyone for helping with the 5K Dog Run. He also asked permission to certify the track for future runs and was granted permission.

James Schmitz made motion to adjourn. David Rice seconded. Motion carried 6-0.