

City Council Meeting Minutes

14 March 2016

Attendees: Rick Like, Henry Veldhuisen, Nick Pieske, Dale Pavlis, Bonnie Petersen, Judy LaBoda

Myron Bennett and Bob Wornson

Meeting called to order at 6:04pm by Mayor Like.

Bob Wornson's report: The pump at the treatment plant was fouled and has to be rebuilt. The company from Tomah WI came to pick it up for that repair and will return it. It was not moving water and making noise so Bob had to shut it down. During a long duration of power outage caused an electrical panel to shut down and could have caused this pump to fail. Judy will contact Tom Ackerman regarding the possibility of insuring the pump and the accompanying parts. The Chlorine tank has been replaced as well as it had been leaking.

The garage door has been replaced and Bob Wornson will get keys for the door and keep it locked and get keys for those that need them.

Bob will let us know when he's going to flush the water system.

Bob said there are 1600 hours on the lawn mower; the tires need to be replaced and he'll take it to Hadley Steel to get them replaced.

Review of the minutes: Minutes have been approved.

Review of the liquor fund: The Wild Game Feed was a good success! There were almost 300 attendees. Myron said the ice machine is not working again. Meet raffle next week end. Spellbound will have a play production in April in the Community Center. A Wedding coming up on 2 April in the Community Center.

- Dale is rebuilding the sign for the Ball Park.
- Dale is doing an ad on the Marshall radio station and wants to partner with the City and the Ball Park. For a weekend package in Hadley including Dale giving away campground rental and asking the Bar for whatever they can put together including tickets to the ball game and items to the concession stand.

Review of the General Fund: approved

Review of the water/sewer fund: approved.

Dale made a motion to move the material from the one computer to the prominent computer and 2nd by Nick to make that change and sell the other computer; motion passed.

Old Business:

- The Garage door has been installed by Kevin Edmundson
- Dale visited with the State regarding re-establishing the corner of Hwy 30 and County 29 so the City can talk about signage for the City.

- Dale is working on the signage for the Ball Park and with the Lyons.

New Business:

- Gravel needed at Rande Johnson's, Lyle Onken's property and the lift station. M/S/P by Dale, Henry to proceed with bids for gravel on those properties.
- Bonnie feels a letter should be written to the County and clean out the culverts in the City and also extend the culvert at Rande Johnson's. Judy and Rick will work on that letter and it will come from the Mayor.
- Nick mentioned the roads in front of the ball park and also down by the church. Nick will follow up and get estimates and suggestions for the repair.
- Truth in taxation meeting will be held on 11 April at 6 pm.
- Murray County Fair sponsorship – M/S/P by Rick and Bonnie for \$100 sponsorship for the Fair.
- Letter from Chris Hansen regarding County Comprehensive Local water management plan. The council has nothing to add to this management plan at this time.
- Do vehicles have to have current license plates is if sitting on private property? There are excess vehicles sitting around on certain properties. There are plastic bags sitting around a house and should be disposed of. Judy will put together a letter with the water bills for March.
- There is a leak in the ceiling in the hallway of the community center. Bonnie will contact Haken Construction to look at it and give an estimate for the repair.
- The city received a request to add a link from vehiclesforveterans. Rick will look at the website to see if it is a legitimate organization.
- Dale is getting dirt from Dean Pearson to fill in the hole where the shed was sitting and cleaning up the McVenus property site. There is a pile of wood that should be burned; grooming the trees should be done.

M/S/P by Henry and Bonnie to pay bills.

M/S/P to adjourn the meeting by Bonnie and Nick.

Respectfully submitted by Judy LaBoda- City Clerk.