

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE PINCKNEYVILLE CITY COUNCIL

HELD MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2018 AT 6:00 P.M.

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL

ROLL CALL

Mayor Robert L. Spencer called the regular meeting of the Pinckneyville City Council to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall. Members present: Commissioners Kevin B. Hicks, Sammy D. Peradotta, David M. Stone, William B. Stotlar and Mayor Robert L. Spencer. Mayor Spencer declared a quorum present. Clerk West asked that an invoice in the amount of \$100.00 to Illinois Public Works Mutual Aid Network for dues be added to accounts payable. Mayor Spencer then announced the agenda was set. Administrative staff present: City Clerk Lawrence S. West, City Attorney Donald Bigham, City Treasurer Arthur Reese, Police Chief John Griffin, Fire Chief Jim Gielow, and Economic Development Officer Ms. Carrie Gilliam. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner William B. Stotlar.

PREVIOUS MINUTES

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to approve the previous minutes. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stone. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Reese reported that payroll was \$61.70 lower than last year. Payroll hours were 12.47 hours lower than last year. Overtime hours were up 148.5 hours over last year. Commissioner Stotlar made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Peradotta. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Commissioner Stotlar made a motion to approve accounts payable with the addition. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Hicks. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

None.

REQUEST FROM THE FIREMAN'S ASSOCIATION

Commissioner Hicks stated that he has received a request from the Fireman's Association to hold their annual fish fry on March 30, 2018. The event will be held at the KC Hall and the bar will be closed during the fish fry. He stated that has received their certificate of insurance. He then made a motion to approve the request. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Peradotta. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION NO. R-2018-05

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to approve Resolution No. R-2018-05, a resolution establishing and designating a stop intersection within the City of Pinckneyville, Perry County, Illinois. He explained this would be for the new entrance for the soccer park for vehicles heading east at Mildred Drive. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stone. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION NO. R-2018-07

Commissioner Peradotta made a motion to approve Resolution No. R-2018-07, a resolution to be placed on file authorizing a two year extension of a mowing contract dated March 28, 2016, between the City of Pinckneyville, Perry County, Illinois, and James L. Heller and Scott E. Heller, D/B/A J & S Services. He explained that this contract is for areas 1, 4, and 6. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stone. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION NO. R-2018-08

Commissioner Peradotta made a motion to approve Resolution No. R-2018-08, a resolution to be placed on file authorizing mowing contracts between the City of Pinckneyville, Perry County, Illinois and the successful bidders for the mowing and trimming of certain city owned property. He said this was for areas 3 and 5. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stone. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

APPROVAL OF PLC SYSTEM REPLACEMENT

Commissioner Stone requested approval to replace the PLC system at the East Sewer Treatment Plant. BHMGE Engineers has provided an estimate for materials and labor for an Allen Bradley system at a total estimated price of \$21,400.00. He explained this for the SCADA system which allows for the monitoring of equipment. He then made a motion to approve the request. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Peradotta. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

APPROVAL OF HIRE

Commissioner Stone requested approval to hire Mr. Jamie Lueker as a full-time Water & Sewer Relief Operator/Utility Treatment Plant Maintenance person pending no bids are received on this opening by March 2, 2018. He explained that the utility plant needs people and need to move quickly. Commissioner Stone made a motion to approve the request. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Peradotta. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION NO. R-2018-06

Commissioner Stone made a motion to place on file Resolution No. R-2018-06, a resolution authorizing the City of Pinckneyville, Perry County, Illinois, to enter into a park maintenance and mowing agreement with Thomas E. Garner, D/B/A Garner Mowing Service. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stotlar. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

ORDINANCE NO. O-2018-06

Mayor Spencer introduced Ordinance No. O-2018-06, an ordinance amending an ordinance entitled "Zoning Ordinance of the City of Pinckneyville, Perry County, Illinois" being Ordinance No. O-2014-06, as thereafter amended. Attorney Bigham stated the Zoning Board held a public hearing before this meeting of the city council. The board removed off street parking. Also, businesses using off street parking will be required to obtain special use permits for front businesses and fraternal organizations. Commissioner Peradotta clarified that if they were to become a hall they would need special use permits. Mr. Mike Kovic of the zoning board said the board has had discussions with the Eagles. Commissioner Hicks made a motion to approve Ordinance No. O-2018-06. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stotlar. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA: NAYS: None. Motion declared carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Ms. Maxine Howell addressed the council regarding speeding in Dimondtown. She explained that people are driving way too fast especially when they turn around where the road dead ends. She asked the city to place "SLOW" signs on the streets so people may start to slow down. She said people are flying down the street.

She then stated that on the street where the apartments are located, there are 'No Parking' signs. She understood that there used to be a truck driver that used to take his 18-wheeler down the alley and park. He doesn't live there anymore and is asking that the signs be removed. This would allow some disabled tenants to park closer to their apartments. Chief Griffin stated there is no handicap access to the apartments. Ms. Howell said they don't need that access just need closer parking access. She suggested removing the signs from the north side and leave them up on the south. Commissioner Hicks said he would consider the request.

Ms. Sarah Scronce appeared before council. She stated that her business shares a common sewer with Mr. Tim Mathis and Doctor Grasso. She stated there is a problem with the sewer and she has received bids to make the repairs. She wanted to inform council that she is on top of the problem.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to adjourn the regular session. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stotlar. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, Stotlar, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.