

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE PINCKNEYVILLE CITY COUNCIL

HELD MONDAY, MAY 29, 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, and Mayor Robert L. Spencer. Commissioner Peradotta made a motion to allow Commissioner Stotlar to attend the meeting telephonically. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stone. On roll call: Commissioners Hicks, Peradotta, Stone, and Mayor Spencer voted YEA. NAYS: None. Motion declared carried and Commissioner Stotlar joined the meeting. Mayor Spencer declared a quorum present. Mayor Spencer then announced the agenda was set. Administrative staff present: City Clerk Lawrence S. West, City Attorney Donald Bigham, Police Chief John Griffin, and Fire Chief Jim Gielow. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner David M. Stone.

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 stated that total payroll was \$73,927.05 higher than last year. Payroll hours were 2,643.31 hours higher than last year. Overtime hours were down 38.5 hours over last year. Commissioner Stotlar made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. 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.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Commissioner Stone made a motion to add an invoice from Brand Electric in the amount of \$1,900.00 to accounts payable for repairs of a 400 amp box at the ball park. 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. Commissioner Stotlar then made a motion to approve accounts payable with the addition. 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.

CORRESPONDENCE

Commissioner Hicks congratulated the 2018 Pinckneyville High School Softball team for making it to the state tournament. They will be playing Friday at Peoria. He also congratulated the 2018 Pinckneyville High School fishing team for winning the state tournament. He said this has been a good year for Pinckneyville athletics.

ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to accept the resignation of firefighter Mr. James W. Beaty. Mr. Beaty is resigning after 32 years of service. He thanked Mr. Beaty for his service. 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.

PAINTING OF PARK RESTROOMS

Commissioner Stone asked for approval to paint all the park restrooms at a price of \$5,400.00 by Jenkel Painting. He stated that he received two bids and Jenkel Painting was the lowest. Commissioner Hicks said he felt the price was high. Commissioner Stone does not think so considering the man hours it will take to complete the project. 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.

APPROVAL TO HIRE SUMMER HELP

Commissioner Stone asked council to approve the hiring of summer help for the park. He stated that he would like to hire Mr. Lucas Doerflein and Mr. Chaz Ruffino. He originally was going to hire Mr. Ethan Bledsoe but Mr. Bledsoe failed to submit an application. Also, since they are short handed in the utility department, he may use them to work there. They would work approximately 29 hours per week and be paid \$9.75 per hour. He then made a motion to approve the request. 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.

LANDSCAPING AT THE FIRE HOUSE

Commissioner Stotlar asked for approval to hire Mr. Justin Restoff to landscape the fire house similar to what was done at city hall. Mr. Restoff is currently a student at Rend Lake College and would perform the work after classes. He would be paid \$9.75 per hour. Commissioner Stone made a motion to approve the request. 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.

APPROVAL OF STOP LOSS INSURANCE RENEWAL

Commissioner Stotlar made a motion to approve the city's stop loss insurance renewal as placed on file at the special meeting of the city council held on May 18, 2018. 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.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Hicks made a motion to adjourn the regular session. 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. The meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.