

AUGUST 9, 2016

The City of Owen Common Council met in regular session on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at 7:09 pm at City Hall. Council President Allen Wagner presided and Deputy City Clerk, Carol Devine served as secretary. Roll call. Alderpersons: Mauel, Wilczek, Milliren, Jaffke and Knight. Absent were: Mayor Tom Nelson and City Clerk Terri Ernst. A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order. Also present were: Tim Swiggum-CDC and Erik Stinson- DPW.

Minutes

A Wilczek/Mauel motion and subsequent vote approved the minutes of the 7/26/2016 meeting.

Treasure's Report

A Knight/Mauel motion and subsequent vote approved the July Treasurer's Report.

Police Report

A Wilczek/Knight motion and subsequent vote approved the report.

Public Works Report

Erik Stinson-DPW prepared a report for 7/12/16-8/9/16. A Jaffke/Mauel motion and subsequent vote approved Erik Stinson's Public Works Report.

Public Opinion

Public Present: Linda Wyeth-Sentinel & Rural News, Kurt Redfern from Express Disposal, Cindy Cardinal-O-W Enterprise and Mel Lorence. Alderperson Knight had an inquiry from a concerned citizen about the house at 219 E 3rd St. Can it be condemned/removed?

Temporary Picnic License-Friends of the Old School

A Mauel/Knight motion and subsequent vote approved the application from the Friends of the Old School for a Temporary Picnic License for August 19, 2016 at the Old School.

Consideration of UCCC Garbage Contract

Kurt Redfern gave a detailed presentation on the advantage of going with Express Disposal over our present provider, Advanced Disposal. Tim Swiggum reported the UCCC voted to approve the Advanced Disposal proposal. A Knight/Wilczek motion was made to table the discussion until next meeting. Motion passed with all ayes.

ATV Routes

A Mauel/Wilczek motion and subsequent vote approved to add to the ATV Route Map from: Hwy 29 to County X on DD; Madsen St. to Lehn St. on County X and Willow Rd. to southern City Limits on County D to be opened for ATV routes.

Clark County Visitors Guide

A Knight/Mauel motion was made to purchase our Clark County Visitors Guide ad for the cost of \$300 with Tim Swiggum making needed changes on present ad. Motion passed with all ayes.

CDC Report

Along with the three previous items, CDC Tim Swiggum reported the DRC's 4th Annual Car Show on August 20, 2016 is coming together nicely. Tim also reported he is waiting on our City Attorney for Heartland agreement. A Knight/Jaffke motion and subsequent vote approved the CDC report.

Disbursements

Question on Check 24994 was answered. A Wilczek/Milliren motion and subsequent vote approved to pay the disbursements: City Pooled Check #24939-24995. City \$70,512.58, Water \$23,040.52, Sewer \$6,676.95.

Adjourn

A Knight/Wagner motion and subsequent vote approved to adjourn the 8/9/16 open session meeting at 7:41 p.m.

Allen Wagner, Council President

Carol Devine, Deputy City Clerk/Treasurer