

SEPTEMBER 27, 2016

The City of Owen Common Council met in regular session on Tuesday, September 27, 2016 at 7:00 pm at City Hall. Council President Allen Wagner presided and Deputy City Clerk, Carol Devine served as secretary. Roll call. Alderpersons: Mauel, Wilczek, Jaffke and Knight present. Absent were: Mayor Tom Nelson, Alderman Milliren, and City Clerk Terri Ernst. A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order. Also present was Tim Swiggum-CDC.

Open Public Hearing

Dave Krugler, MSA Professional Services was on hand to answer questions on the Facility Plan for the Main Wastewater Lift Station #1 during the Public Hearing Session. After concerns were addressed from members of the public and from the Council, a Mauel/Wilczek motion and subsequent vote closed the Public Hearing at 7:25 p.m.

Minutes

Bob Wilczek noted that his name was not included in the roll call for going into the 9-13-16 Closed Session.

A Wilczek /Jaffke motion and subsequent vote to approve the 9/13/2016 minutes with the aforementioned change passed with all ayes..

Public Opinion

Public Present: Linda Wyeth-Sentinel & Rural News, David Krugler-MSA Professional Services, Cindy Cardinal-O-W Enterprise, Jessie Jarocki, and Mary Ellen Hughes.

Owen ATV Route

Swiggum reported the motion to open Owen ATV routes again made at County; with no second. Therefore, county roads remain inaccessible.

City Property Offer to Purchase

Jessie Jarocki put forth an offer to purchase city land. A Wilczek/Knight motion and subsequent vote approved sending Jessie Jarocki's offer to purchase to the Planning Committee.

CDC Report

CDC Tim Swiggum reported he is still working with Heartland Co-Op. Plains Gas looking to add on to rail spur for more track storage. This will require a road easement to be abandoned. County D property survey being worked on. Pippins Street Dance was a success. No issues reported. DRC, House of Friends meetings coming up. Haunted House using the Woodland basement in being considered. Autumn Fest will be October 22nd, with Chili Cook off, desert bake off, vendors, music, bon fire, etc. UCCC garbage contract will be completed when remaining signatures obtained. Tim working on that. A Knight/Mauel motion and subsequent vote approved the CDC report.

Disbursements

No questions. A Mauel/Jaffke motion and subsequent vote approved to pay the disbursements: City Pooled Check #25133-25172. City \$45,205.13, Water \$3,825.16, Sewer \$2,771.91

Adjourn

A Knight/Wilczek motion and subsequent vote approved to adjourn the 9/27/16 open session meeting at 7: 38 p.m.

Allen Wagner, Council President

Carol Devine, Deputy City Clerk