City Council Minutes November 10, 2020

Glenwood City Council met in regular session on Tues, Nov 10, 2020 at 7:05pm via gotomeeting.com. In order to help stop the spread of COVID-19 virus, the meeting was held electronically. Chapter 21.8 of the IA code does permit an electronic meeting where members participate remotely when an in-person meeting is impossible or impractical. Mayor Kohn called the meeting to order w/the following present virtually-Council Members: Holly Jackson, Donnie Kates, Jeremy Rodman & Laurie Smithers; City Employees: Angie Winquist, Amber Farnan, Matt Gray, Tara Painter, Eric Johansen, guests Joe George, Bob Wray, Christina Duran, Aaron Ling, Rachel Reis & Joe Foreman w/OT; Council Member Dan McComb was absent.

Motion-Kates/2nd-Smithers to approve the consent agenda

- a. Approve agenda
- b. Approve abstract of claims #9
- c. Approve minutes of October 27, 2020
- d. Approve minutes of November 4, 2020 special meeting
- e. Approve renewal liquor license for Fraternal Order of Eagles
- f. Approve renewal liquor license for Casey's
- g. Approve October financials

Roll call: Ayes-4

Nays-0

motion carried

Mayor Kohn presented an invoice by Bluffs Paving; for a 6" sanitary lateral bored under Ingrum for future restroom at ballfields. This was discussed with HGM and Jim Hughes during their preconstruction meeting for Oak Ridge. However; it was misunderstood that the Mayor requested this be done; therefore, HGB put this in the bid proposal received from Bluffs Paving. It was not until later Jim Hughes noticed it was in his proposal. Therefore; we were unable to take before council for their approval but asking for it now. This will be paid from our 2019 GO bond. Motion-Smithers/2nd-Jackson to approve Bluffs Paving invoice sanitary sewer gravity main for future use at ball fields for \$5491.34 Roll call: Ayes-4 Nays-0 motion carried

Departmental Reports

Farnan reported for Public Works - Robert Crouch is retiring in January 2021; requesting council approval to place ad to fill the vacancy.

Motion-Jackson/2nd Kates to approve placing ad for new street crewman

Roll Call: Ayes-4 Nays-0

motion carried

Chief Johansen reported for the PD - 2 officers back from illness, 3rd officer returns next week

Director Painter reported for Library – still curbside, allowing computer use

Fire Chief Gray reported for FD & Rescue – calls are on the uptick, hauling 1-3 Covid patients daily increased PPE, stricter guidelines on personnel at the Station

Admin Winquist & Clerk Farnan reported for Admin: Council meetings will be held virtually, discussed mask mandate for City and how it could be enforced – no action

Motion-Jackson/2nd-Kates to adjourn at 7:25p.m.

Roll Call

Ayes:4

Nays:0

Motion carried

Attest:

Amber Farnan City Clerk

Ron Kohn, Mayo