

Dwight City Council Minutes

April 16, 2012

The Dwight City Council met in regular session at 7 PM on April 16, 2012. Mayor Galen Johnson presided and opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Council members present were Pam Goss, Eugene Anders, Kenny Kaluhiokalani, Eddie Vineyard and Melissa Ellis.

Visitors present: Chris Blackledge, Morris County Emergency Management Coordinator, introduced himself and took employee pictures for security badges. Tim Tyner, Tyner Insurance, reviewed the current insurance policy. Angela Moore reported that the City was not awarded the community garden grant. Councilman Vineyard moved to pay photographer the \$100 fee for using the picture on the website and brochures. Councilman Anders seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Councilwoman Goss moved to purchase paint for the Friday Sunday School class to paint the bleachers in the park. Councilman Kaluhiokalani seconded. Councilwoman Goss moved to amend the motion to get enough paint to paint the soffitt on the shelter house as well. Councilman Kaluhiokalani seconded. Motion passed 5-0. John Traynor volunteered to help repair and paint the shelter house. Also present were Butch Roberts, Mina Miller, Deverie Ward, Ronnie Gallaway, Lisa Lee and John Traynor.

Maintenance Manager Report: Donald Glessner provided a written report but was unable to attend the meeting. He is now a certified wastewater treatment facility operator.

Water Manager Report: Ronnie Gallaway reported that there were no problems with the water system.

Dog Catcher Report: Deverie Ward reported that she had caught several dogs and all had been returned to their owners.

City Treasurer Report: Mina Miller presented the quarterly treasurer report and reported no problems.

City Clerk Report: Lisa Lee reviewed financial reports. She reported that the dog clinic would be on April 21.

Minutes: Councilwoman Ellis moved to approve the minutes of the March 19th regular meeting as presented. Councilman Anders seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Review and approval of bills: Councilwoman Goss moved to approve bills as presented with the addition of Hamm, Mina Miller and Deverie Ward. Councilman Vineyard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Correspondence:

Old Business: Councilwoman Ellis reported on the KRWA Conference she had attended. Citywide Cleanup will be May 5th. Mayor Johnson reported on the latest Flint Hills Regional Council meeting. The next Summerfest meeting will be May 3rd at 7 PM. The City Clerk is to check into a FEMA grant for a storm shelter. Dana Evansqbid was approved for library electrical repairs. One bid was received to dispose of the old bleachers. Councilman Kaluhiokalani moved to accept the bid for \$40 for bleachers submitted by Eddie Vineyard. Councilman Anders seconded. Motion carried 4-0 with Councilman Vineyard abstaining.

New Business: Councilwoman Goss moved to set the current mowing rate at \$15 per time other than for delinquent properties bound by Ordinance #1102 which would be charged at a rate of \$35/hour per property with a minimum of one hour. Councilman Vineyard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Open Forum: City Office will assist a resident in requesting repayment stemming from a water leak during the water project. Chris Blackledge reported about an upcoming meeting on ES-11 which would stop all movement of cattle.

Adjournment: Councilman Goss moved to adjourn, Councilwoman Ellis seconded. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM.