

Dwight City Council Minutes

August 21 2023

The Dwight City Council met for a regular meeting at the Library on August 21, 2023 at 7:00PM. Mayor Pam Goss opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Other council members present were Brenda Switzer, Susan Mulryan, and Ashley Gearhart

Also Present: Ken Bergeron

Visitors present: Nancy Evans, Danielle Beamer

Danielle informed Council that meeting on 3rd Tuesday of each month starting in September will be held at Methodist Church to plan for Oktoberfest 2024. The time of meetings is 6PM

Additions to agenda: Proposal of Municipal Court Judge, Discussion of hiring off duty Morris County deputy for additional patrols

Minutes: Councilwoman Mulryan moved to accept the minutes of the July 17th, 2023 regular meeting with one correction noted. Councilwoman Gearhart seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Maintenance Manager Report: Water Manager Ryan Taylor provided a written report. Mayor Goss provided Council with progress made by Jim Kirkemide. Contact has been made with Economy Electric to service City generator. (Red Light fault) Ryan Taylor phone number was provided as a point of contact for Economy Electric.

Water Manager Report: Water Manager Ryan Taylor provided a written report.

Pride report: NONE

City Clerk Report: Ken Bergeron provided written report and financials. Ken gave Council a "Thank you note from Donnie Glesner.

Review and approval of bills: Councilwoman Mulryan moved to approve the bills for total of \$1,460.21. Councilwoman Switzer seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

New Business: Mayor Goss announced the 2024 Budget hearing will be on 09/18/23

Councilwoman Mulryan made a motion to contract Margaret White for Municipal Judge \$100.00 per month for retainer fee plus \$100.00 per hearing for twelve months. Councilwoman Gearhart seconded. Motion carried 3-0 Councilwoman Mulryan will prepare a contract

Councilwoman Switzer made a motion to accept Jim Kirkeminds offer to use skidsteer to move brushpile for 4 hours at \$45.00 per hour. Councilwoman Gearhart seconded. Motion carried 3-0

Old Business:

Mayor Goss will send a letter to Jordan Fetters requestin a copy of Liability insurance cover his dog.

Jim Kirkemide will take care of trees near ballfield

Councilwoman Gearhart will contact Daniel Day to get a bid for sidewalks at 5th street, and Main St. T&M Concrete will also be notified for a bid.

Scott Mulryan is estimated to begin his project end of September early Oct timeframe.

Work session is scheduled for September 11 2023, 6:30pm held at the City Office.

Work session is being held to discuss proposal of hiring an off duty Morris county deputy, Abatement, Crosswalks, and bus routes

Open Forum: none

Adjournment: Councilwoman Mulryan made the motion to adjourn with Councilwoman Gearhart seconding. Motion carried 3-0. Meeting adjourned at 8:27 PM. The next regularly scheduled council meeting will be held on Sep 18, 2023 at 7 PM.