



Board of Aldermen Regular Meeting
City of Edgerton, Mo
Masonic Lodge
February 3rd, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

Agenda

1. Present

Aldermen- Myrna Weese

Aldermen- Rick Roan

Aldermen- Charlene Cook

Aldermen- Jesse Green

Also Present

Mayor- Shawn Harmer

City Clerk- Amy Bledsoe

Director of public works- Audrey Stapleton

City Attorney- Dan Fowler

Chief of police- Brandon Ehlen

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approve Minutes

Motion: To approve the minutes

Aldermen -Rick Roan: Motion

Aldermen- Jesse Green: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen – Myrna Weese: Approved

4. Approve Bills

Motion: To approve bills

Aldermen –Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen – Myrna Weese: 2nd

Aldermen – Rick Roan: Approved

Aldermen – Jesse Green: Approved

5. **Reports**

City Clerk

Sent out 26 past due shut off notices. Water bills were estimated for the month. 1 on payment plan agreement. Shut 0 residences off. Turned in candidate's paperwork to Platte City. Kenny Hale was here to do the annual audit.

Streets

Repairs done to plow, new tension bolts on springs and shoe assembly. Streetlight requested on Platte Ave. Aller/Morrow trees were checked. Gravel was put down on Platte Ridge Ct.

Water

Dehumidifier repaired. Water samples taken. USDA grant for water. Notice of intent to file application typed up for grant. 44106.45161 DAU down from 50870.96774 in 2020.

Sewer

Ball park lift station is live with mission system. Transducers install on main lift station. Repairs made to ball park lift station.

Parks

Park grant turned in. Brush cleanup. News Foot Bridge at City Park.

Public works

Truck is not back yet. Gravel on parking lots. 7 dig rites.

Police

A total of 8 calls handled for the month. 18.45 hours for Ehlen. 10 hours for Johns.

6. **Aldermen Reports**

Charlene Cook- None

Myrna Weese- None

Rick Roan- None

Jesse Green- None

Dan Fowler- None

7. **Citizen input**

Andrew Clements wanted to say thank you for the bridge repairs but has noticed on the SW side of the bridge the cold patch has settled and would like to know if we could add more. Audrey advised she will go look at it. Mr. and Mrs. Lachowsky were present to discuss the possibility of a pole light on Platte Ave.

8. **Old business**

Covid-19 Resolution.

Motion to accept the resolution as read.

Aldermen- Rick Roan: Motion

Aldermen-Jesse Green: 2nd

Aldermen-Myrna Weese: Approved

Aldermen-Charlene Cook: Approved

9. **New business**

Police Department

Chief Ehlen advised the board that this was his last day with the City and wanted to thank the board for the opportunity. Ian John has expressed interest in taking over my position if the board was interested.

Mr. John stated this would be a good learning opportunity and he is local and available. He has just received a promotion with Platte Co and it will free up hours for him to patrol Edgerton. Aldermen Green asked Ian if it would be a conflict with Platte County. Ian advised no they have approved him already to work for the City.

Motion to accept Ian as the new chief of police.

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen-Rick Roan: 2nd

Aldermen- Myrna Weese: Approved

Aldermen- Jesse Green: Approved

Motion to pay Ian Johns the same rate of pay as Chief Brandon was receiving.

Aldermen- Jesse Green: Motion

Aldermen- Myrna Weese: 2nd

Aldermen-Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Rick Roan: Approved.

Light pole at 910 Platte Ave.

Audrey went over with the board the request for a street light on Platte Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Lachowsky stated it is really dark in that part of town and she leaves before dawn and gets home after dark. Mayor Harmer advised Audrey to reach out and find out the cost of putting a pole up and present it to the board on the working meeting February 24th.

Delinquent water bills.

The City clerk advised the board that she is having issues with a property that has not had water since August. The tenant or landlord has not attempted to pay any of the bill. Attorney

Fowler stated he will get with Amy on Friday to get all the information needed to go forward with legal proceedings.

10. **Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn meeting

Aldermen-Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen- Rick Roan: Second

Aldermen- Myrna Weese: Approved

Aldermen- Jesse Green: Approved

Minutes taken by: _____ Date: _____

Approved by: _____ Date: _____