

# Board of Aldermen Meeting City of Edgerton, Mo City Hall May 3rd, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

## **Agenda**

## 1. Present

Aldermen- Bill Rogers Aldermen- Jim Bosch Aldermen- Joel Dudley Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell

#### **Also Present**

Mayor- Shawn Harmer City Clerk- Amy Bledsoe Public Works- Travis Hollars Chief of Police- Ian Johns

## **Pledge of Allegiance**

# 2. Approved Minutes

Motion to approve minutes.
Aldermen- Jim Bosch: Motion
Aldermen- Bill Rogers: 2<sup>nd</sup>

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Approved Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Disapproved

## 3. Read and approve bills

Motion to approve bills.

Aldermen- Jim Bosch: Motion

Aldermen-Joel Dudley: 2nd

Aldermen-Bill Rogers: Approved

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Approved

4. Reports

City Clerk- Sent out 36 past due shut off notices. 2 on the payment plan. (Both are caught up now) 1

residence shut off. Working with Lagers to get reporting set up. Requested the transportation sales tax.(\$36,069.64) Swore in Joel Dudley and Bill Rogers. Worked with Redgate on getting poly carts to

residence that has the city provided trash service. ARPA funding that has been used reported to the

department of treasury. Completed workman comp audit. 1 sunshine request filed.

Sewer- Sewer samples were taking. Alex has been sampling the lagoon two times a week. Working

out the bugs in the irrigation. Mowed the lagoon. A new grinder pump was put in at moonbeam.

Water- Water samples were taken, One water main break. Water meters were read. We are still

installing electric water meters. We have got 165 electric meters in the ground. Spent two days

looking for a water main for a new tap. It was located wrong on the map.

Parks- Made a new ticket for the lights at the park. Mowing season has begun.

Streets- Filled potholes with cold patch. Clark street bridge was sprayed with waterproof sealant.

Public Works- 53 dig rites completed.

Police- Our judge is retiring and at this time we do not know who the new judge will be. 2 calls for the

month, 1 being for inappropriate behavior and 1 for domestic.

**Emergency management- Siren went off.** 

Joel Dudley- None

Vikki Kidwell- None

**Bill Rogers- None** 

Jim Bosch- None

#### 5. Citizen input:

Ronna- Nate was wondering what equipment would be used in the park to upgrade the electrical. Travis stated he is going to rent a mini excavator. Ronna asked Travis how much notice would he need? Travis stated a minimum of 4 days. Ronna asked the board when the culvert was going to get fixed, and Travis told her it is on the list to do when we have the excavator. Mayor Harmer stated this needs to get completed so by the time pioneer days have their festival the ground will be put back in place.

Ian Johns- I have got a lake in my street in front of my house. Travis is aware of the street situation and when he talks to Approved paving, he will see the cost of that street.

### 6. Old business:

Amend ordinance 18-033 to reflect new trash rate.

Amy advised the board that with the change in the trash we would need to update this ordinance.

Motion to amend ordinance 18-033 to reflect the trash cast of \$17.96.

**Aldermen-Joel Dudley: Motion** 

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: 2nd

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved

Aldermen- Jim Bosch: Approved

#### 7. New Business

Purchase Agreement- Amy stated Mayor Harmer wanted to edit the purchase agreement but after looking at it there is a lot of edits that may need to be made. Mayor Harmer stated we will postpone until the working meeting on May 31<sup>st</sup>.

No parking on Perry Staniford and Aller- Travis advised the board that he sees an issue on Perry because there is a house that does not have a driveway so they would need street parking. Aldermen Dudley asked if there was an ordinance on having to have a driveway. Travis advised no there is not one. All houses on Aller do have driveways and this winter I had a gentlemen upset that I plowed his vehicle in while plowing the street. Mayor Harmer stated we will postpone this matter and discuss it more at the working meeting.

Water connection at Moore's new build-Travis stated the plumbers spend two days looking for the main to tap into but the maps were wrong and the main is in a different location. They want the city to pay them for the time spent looking for the main. Aldermen Dudley stated situation happens and it is built in on the contract and, they escrow it in. Amy advised the board they were supposed to be at the last boa meeting and was told again that they would have to speak to the board and did not show up for this one.

Motion to not reimburse the plumbers.

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Motion

Aldermen- Jim Bosch: 2Nd

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Approved Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved

Tree in park—Travis advised the board that there is a tree by the basketball court that needs cut down could I get some estimates to have it removed? Mayor Harmer stated there are several dead trees and to add them to the estimate also.

Cold patch- Travis said he has found a good cold patch that has stayed in the potholes. The board asked how much, and Travis advised around \$1300.00.

Motion to purchase more cold patch.

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Motion

Aldermen- Jim Bosch: 2<sup>nd</sup>

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Approved Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved

Police account- Amy advised the clerk that the police account is down to around \$600.00 and would like permission to transfer \$3000.00 from general to police to pay the future bills that need to come out of that account.

Motion to transfer \$ 3000.00 from the general account to the police account.

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Motion

Aldermen-Bill Rogers: 2nd

Aldermen-Joel Dudley: Approved Aldermen- Jim Bosch: Approved

Pro-tem- Mayor Harmer asked if anyone on the board would be interested in the pro-tem position? Aldermen Dudley stated he would be willing to stay as pro-tem.

Lids and collars- Travis advised the board he needs new lids and collars for the electric meters purchased with the ARPA funds. Mayor Harmer asked what the cost was. Travis stated he could have that information for the next board meeting.

Sidewalk ordinance- The current sidewalk ordinance stated the city would pay haf of the cost. Aldermen Dudley and Aldermen Bosch stated they have never lived in a town that the city

would pay half it always feels on the homeowner or businesses to care and maintain the sidewalks.

Motion to amend the sidewalk ordinance to make the only the homeowner/business care for and maintain the sidewalks.

Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: Motion

Aldermen- Jim Bosch: 2<sup>nd</sup>

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Approved

# 8. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn meeting. Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion Aldermen- Vikki Kidwell: 2<sup>nd</sup>

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Approved Aldermen- Jim Bosch: Approved

Minutes taken by:	Date:	
Approved by:	Date:	