



Board of Aldermen Meeting
City of Edgerton, Mo
City Hall
December 4th, 2024, at 5:30 p.m.

1. **Present**

Aldermen- Bill Rogers
Aldermen- Candy Guyer
Aldermen- Charlene Cook
Mayor- Shawn Harmer
City Administrator- Amy Bledsoe
Public Works- Travis Hollars
Attorney- Dan Fowler

Absent

Aldermen- Joel Dudley
Chief of Police- Lewis Rivers

Pledge of allegiance

2. **Approved Minutes**

Motion to approve minutes.
Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion
Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd
Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved
Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

3. Read and approve bills.

Motion to approve bills.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: 2nd

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

4. Reports

City Admin- Sent out 26 past due letters. 0 on the payment plan. Shut 3 residences off. Dealt with an abandoned camper left in the city park. Candidate paperwork is ready for next week. Working on budget. Getting customers' accounts manually set up on the new water software.

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

Water samples were taken. Water meters were read. One water leak outside of town that has been fixed. Chlorine burn is done till next fall. Clay value is bad in the pit.

Parks-We should be getting the scope of work for the power at the city park by December 18th, 2024.

Streets- Filled in potholes. Roadwork has started.

Public Works- 11 dig rites on for the month. Insurance has been updated with all the lift stations and water tower.

Work orders- 0 new work orders

Police- 7 calls for the month. An incident report for an animal bite was generated. Two meetings with the Platte County prosecutor's office and their investigators were attended in refence to ongoing criminal investigations. Three new police department policies have been drafted. MO Dot has provided the city with multiple permanent signs in preparation for the new hands-free law. Ongoing talks with other law enforcement agencies for used, upgraded patrol vehicles to add to the current fleet. Police grants have purchased brand new radar equipment for Kustoms signal.

Emergency management- Siren did not go off.

Joel Dudley- Absent

Candy Guyer- Nothing to report.

Bill Rogers- Nothing to report.

Charlene Cook- Nothing to report.

5. Citizen input:

Jim- In my escapades I went to a couple of school board meetings in my districts in the northland and I happened to go to one at the same time as the sheriff elected Erik Holland who asked me on what I thought of our Chief of police. I told him as far as I know he is doing very well at serving our community. He stated the only reason he is asking is because the county does not hear anything from him.

6. Old Business

1st reading of ordinance 18-046 Require property owners to install water service.

Motion to accept 1st reading of ordinance 18-046.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: 2nd

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

2nd reading of ordinance 18-046 Require property owner to install water service.

Motion to accept 2nd reading of ordinance 18-046.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to approve the ordinance 18-046.

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

1st reading of ordinance 18-047 Remove the requirement for approval of the boa on water user agreement.

Motion to accept 1st reading of ordinance 18-047.

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Motion

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

2nd reading of ordinance 18-047 Remove the requirement for approval of the boa on water user agreement.

Motion to accept 2nd reading of ordinance 18-047.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to approve ordinance 18-047.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

1st reading of ordinance 18-048 Delete paragraphs A, B and C that are deemed duplicate or unnecessary.

Motion to accept 1st reading of ordinance 18-048.

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Motion

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

2nd reading of ordinance 18-048 Delete paragraphs A, B and C that are deemed duplicate or unnecessary.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to approve the ordinance 18-048.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion
Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd
Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved
Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

1st reading of ordinance 18-049 Increase rates for water tap fees and reconnection fees.

Motion to accept 1st reading of ordinance 18-049

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: 2nd

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

2nd reading of ordinance 18-049 Increase rates for water tap fees and connection fees.

Motion to accept 2nd reading of ordinance 18-049

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: 2nd

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to approve ordinance 18-049.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

1st reading ordinance 18-050 Winter hour meetings.

Motion to accept 1st reading of ordinance 18-050 by deleting the T that is a typo.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

2nd reading ordinance 18-050 Winter hours meetings.

Motion to accept 2nd reading of ordinance 18-050.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to approve ordinance 18-050.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion
Aldermen- Charlene Cook: 2nd
Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved
Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

7. New business

Policy and procedures for the police department-This matter has been postponed until the City attorney can look over the policies and procedures.

Federal holidays- Mayor Harmer stated one thing I am bringing up because it was brought up at my work was federal holidays for 2025. There are 11 of them in place and please know that during the federal holidays the bank and post office are closed so there is no internal business going on at that time. I am asking the board if we would also like to follow the federal holidays. The board held a brief discussion on the matter.

Motion to honor all federal holidays.

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Motion
Aldermen- Bill Rogers: 2nd
Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved
Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Amy will get the employee handbook updated with the added holidays.

Post prom donations- Amy advised the board that she has been contacted by the North Platte after prom committee asking for a donation. After looking at the budget we do have the funds to donate at the silver level, which would be \$100.00.

Motion to donate \$100.00 to the North Platte after prom committee.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion
Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd
Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Approved
Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent
Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Christmas bonus-The board held a discussion in regard to the Christmas bonus for the employees.

The board agreed to leave it the same as last year.

Motion to give the full-time employees \$400.00 and the part-time employees \$50.00.

Aldermen- Charlene Cook: Motion

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: 2nd

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Motion to adjourn meeting.

Aldermen- Bill Rogers: Motion

Aldermen Charlene Cook: 2nd

Aldermen- Candy Guyer: Approved

Aldermen- Joel Dudley: Absent

Motion carries with 3 Ayes.

Minutes taken by: _____ Date: _____

Approved by: _____ Date: _____

