

City Council
Regular Meeting
May 4, 2023

Present: Mayor Aaron Witt, Wesley Hofferber, James Farley, Austin Buschman

Also present: Sara Ogden, Winter Roybal, Anjanette Gibler, Scott Hedrick, John Schmidt, Jenna Stump, Danny Stump

Mayor Aaron Witt called the meeting to order. Witt asked for approval or corrections to the minutes of the previous meeting. Buschman made a motion to approve the minutes from the meeting. Farley seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Hofferber made a motion to approve the purchase orders by consent agenda. Schmidt seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried. Treasurer and Budget Reports were also reviewed.

Roybal informed the Council that Well #6 is going through the testing and flushing to be put back in service. Will start filling the pool next week in order to get more repairs done before opening date.

Wayman said the Ambulance is sitting good on runs and is in line with the normal number of runs for the year. Lynch and Wayman have completed and submitted the Medicare audit this week. EMS week is this month and this year is the 50th year for the Hooker Ambulance service. The firetruck that's been with C&R tire for months is now up and running and will be back in service soon. The bunker gear has been all ordered and will take about 6-9 months to come in.

Hedrick showed the Council the new tasers and said that Wayman and Garcia will go through taser certification soon, Hedrick is already certified. Wilson is certified in Animal Control.

Schmidt made a motion to deny request from Steve Baird regarding a mobile home located at 204 S Lorenz due to no improvement being made within the 6 months that was required in the mobile home application and to move forward with the removal of mobile home. Baird completed mobile home permit after the mobile home was already moved in. Since a mobile home was not moved into the lot in a 6 month required timeframe, a variance request was needed. A variance request was approved by Council on September 9, 2022 for Baird to proceed with mobile home improvements. He said he had windows ordered already. Baird was not present for meeting this meeting. Farley seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Garcia went through the information regarding the K9 and equipment for the Explorer Unit. Buschman made a motion to approve K9 dog, training and unit upgrades up to \$7500. Farley seconded. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Being as there was no further business to be brought before the council; Buschman made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Farley seconded the motion. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

City Clerk

Mayor