

EASTON CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting

June 07, 2023

The Regular meeting of the City council was called to order by Mayor Bryant Stiernagle, June 7th, 2023 at 6:00P.M. at the Easton Community Center.

In attendance Council members Gayle Heise, Jon Rath and Tony Stevermer, City Clerk Rose Doyle. Elijah Lippert absent. Public in attendance Travis Winter with Bolton & Menk.

Travis was addressed and he gave an updated report on the Phase 2 water project. Bonding bill was passed and bids are now being sought to begin phase 2 of water project streaming water from Wells to Easton.. Bids are now being sought for the pipeing from Wells to Easton and bid package for water tower will be the next bidding process and the 3rd bidding process will be for the water meters. The digging process still may begin in the fall of 2023 and if not completed in 2023 it will be completed in the spring of 2024.

Winter has contacted a company regarding putting the no parking and handicap stripeing etc. down for the city. Discussion took place regarding the logo and the painting of the new water tower. Suggestion was made to have the plow logo, which has been used since the centennial time, to be applied to the tower.

Travis will pass this on to his firm and will make a final decision at a later date.

Motion by Tony Stevermer second by Gayle Heise to accept minutes of May meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Gayle Heise second by Tony Stevermer to accept financials. Motion carried,

Department Reports:

Police: Nuisance ordinance was discussed and certified letters will go out to violators regarding unsightly properties and yards not mowed.

Fire: No report

Public Works: No further report

Streets & Buildings: Lonny Schroeder will do mosquito spraying. Mayor suggested and council agreed for the city to lock in 2750 gal. LP Gas at the price of 1.599. The question was asked if Swehla Excavating was given permission to haul dirt to the part of the compost sight that was all leveled and landscaped after street work was done. Council indicated he did not get permission from the council and will be addressed for removal of the dirt in the restricted area.

Tri City: Quarterly meeting will be held Monday June 12th.

Park & Rec: Lippert will be notified to get the park area groomed for the upcoming 150th celebration on June 23rd and 24th.

Old Business: Council was reminded of the upcoming recogognition for the 3 new business owners on the 14th of June.

New Business: Jon Rath requested permission to the use of city electrial outlets for the 150th and council said there was not an issue using them. Motion By Jon Rath second by Gayle Heise to approve the payment request to the USDA for funds related to the phase 1 of the water project. Motion carried.

Motion by Jon Rath second by Tony Stevermner to approve paymnet request for funds related to the phase 2 of the water project. Motion carried.

No further business to come before the council, motion by Gayle Heise second by Jon Rath to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 P.M.

Next regular meeting scheduled for Thursday July 13th, 2023 at 6:00 P.M.

Mayor

Clerk