Council Meeting October 25, 2023

The Maysville Board of Aldermen met in regular session on Wednesday, October 25, 2023 at 6:00pm at Maysville City Hall pursuant to Missouri Sunshine Law 60.021.

Mayor Robert Walser called the meeting to order with the following board members present: Amy Justus, Clint Sollars, and Peggy Harwood. Alderman Zimmerman joined the meeting later in the evening.

Also present were: Pat Fisher-Johnson, Pat Watkins, and Jennifer Justus.

Mayor Walser led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Alderman Justus made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, minutes from the October 11, 2023 meeting and approval of the following checks: Water # 6429-6445, Wastewater #3254-3263, Street #4172-4181, General #21561-21571, PK # 1204 and Payroll #10120-10135. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Motion carried.

Pat Watkins was present to discuss the solid waste contract which is up for renewal. Pat discussed several options with the board and will bring a couple of contract proposals back to the board for final review. Our current contract expires on December 31, 2023.

The board discussed the ditch beside Cathy Rhoad's, she has stated she would like it made deeper. The Board stated they don't want it any deeper, and want to make sure the tubes are clear. They also asked if we have guard railing so it could be installed along the ditch for safety.

Jennifer reported dog tags are in and are due by Feb. 15th without penalty.

Jennifer is going to do a newsletter for November. She is going to remind people that their trash is to be bagged and recommends that it is put into trash cans to avoid animals tearing it up, and keeping it from blowing into the street and onto other properties. No loose trash will be picked up.

City Clerk reported the city crew has replaced one meter at the school, and are working on removing old meters, flushing hydrants, getting equipment ready for winter, jetted some sewer lines, and running the water plant.

City Clerk was asked to see if a new thermostat has been put on the wood stove and if not call someone to get it completed. She was asked to put doors and guttering on the next agenda.

Clerk was asked to see where we are with the GSI so we can get started on the Copper and Lead testing that will be due.

The Board discussed a tree that had fallen on a fence, along the back of the water plant, Clerk was asked to get it off the fence and on to our property.

Alderman Zimmerman entered the meeting.

Alderman Sollars made a motion to return the grant for the Rural Business Development Grant Program. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Motion carried. Clerk will email the program director to see what needs to be done to withdraw the application.

The Board reviewed their 1-, 3-, and 5-year goals for the city they drew up earlier this year. They were able to cross off goals that were completed and will continue to work towards completing the rest of their list.

City Clerk was asked to get an address set up for Bartlett Park so signs can be ordered for it and see how to get the address on Google maps. Pat was also asked to obtain the building specs for the proposed bathroom, so the bidding process can get started for construction.

The board then discussed longevity bonus for the employees to be given out at the November 28th meeting. Alderman Zimmerman made a motion to approve a percentage amount. Seconded by Alderman Justus. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be November 8th at 6:00 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35pm.

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