Maysville Board of Aldermen August 26, 2024

The Maysville Board of Aldermen met in regular session on Monday, August 26, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in open session pursuant to the Missouri Sunshine Law 610.021.

Mayor Ronnie Pearl called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm with the following board members present: Peggy Harwood, Larry Zieber, and Clint Sollars. Alderman Amy Justus was unable to attend.

Also present were: Joan Dehart, Jennifer Justus and Pat Fisher Johnson.

Mayor Pearl opened the meeting with the pledge and Alderman Harwood said the prayer.

Alderman Harwood made a motion to approve the consent agenda, minutes of the August 5, 2024 minutes and the following checks: Water ck# 6676-6690, Wastewater ck# 3381-3388, Street ck# 4309-4320, General ck# 21807-21820, and Payroll ck# 10508-105738. Seconded by Alderman Zieber. Motion carried.

Joan was present to talk about the ditch on Elm Street. The concrete in the ditch has started to deteriorate on the West side. The ditch is getting much deeper due to the heavy rainfalls. The crew looked at the issue and will plan to start making repairs to it.

Jennifer gave her report. She reported that one more dilapidated shed has been removed and the property looks nice. Jennifer reported she has been asked for a list of property owners that could use help getting their properties cleaned up – she shared a list with the committee.

Mayor Pearl reported the city got the bid for the M & G Building for back taxes on the courthouse lawn. The City will have legal ownership after one year and plans to tear the building down once legal ownership is obtained.

City Clerk asked if the board meetings during the months of September and October can be changed to another day. The Board agreed to move the meetings to Wednesday nights at 6:00 pm and revisit the subject after October.

Mayor Pearl gave a short report about the meeting with MO-Dot and the school board.

Alderman Harwood made a motion to table the AC units' bids until Spring. Seconded by Alderman Zieber. Motion carried.

City Clerk reported the results of the 3 percent marijuana tax – 170 yes to apply the tax and 47 no. City Clerk will send the results to the state.

A report was given about the rest rooms and progress at Bartlett Park. Water and sewer are hooked up and waiting on Ameren to connect the power. EZ Electric will run power to the meter and to the top of the pole then Ameren can run the power to the transformer. Next year the city will work on lighting the entire park.

Alderman Zieber made a motion to order solar lights for the park until electric can be connected. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Motion carried. Security cameras will also be placed around the park to prevent vandalism.

Alderman Sollars made a motion to go into closed session. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Roll call vote: Harwood – yes, Zieber – yes and Sollars – yes. Motion carried.

Alderman Sollars made a motion to go into open session. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Roll call vote: Sollars – yes, Harwood – yes and Zieber – yes.

Alderman Sollars made a motion to hire Briley Allwood as a temp help to work only at the water plant for 40 hours a week. Seconded by Alderman Harwood. Motion carried.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

The next meeting will be October 11th, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

ATTEST:

Mayor

Date

Hat Fisher Johnson