Wheatland City Council Proceedings February 9, 2015

Mayor Schnede called the regular meeting of the Wheatland City Council to order at 6:30 p.m. with council members Rohling, Stankee, Weise, Woolard and Roman present. Also present were city employees Laurie Ganzer and Jayson Cavey.

The **consent agenda** included the minutes of the January 12th meeting and the following revenues and expenses:

Bills paid prior to Meeting:

941 Tax - 3,754.39, IPERS - 2,377.10, State of Iowa, withholding tax - 667.00, Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, Matt Cavey policy – 1,366.50, Alliant Energy, utilities - 6,171.72, Wright Express, fuel - 277.00, Keystone Labs, sample testing - 1,784.60

Accounts Payable for Meeting

American Girl, subscription – 24.95, Baker & Taylor, books – 250.99, Card Center, utility bill postage, Iback up subscription – 129.52, Clinton County Sheriff's Office, contract – 1,295.56, Company One, fire extinguisher - 237.40, Eastern Iowa Overrhead Door, fire dept door – 1200.00, F & B Communications, telephone, internet – 330.49, Follette Software, license & support renewal – 829.00, Harry's Farm Tire, sample shipping – 33.50, Jayson Cavey, cell phone – 25.00, John Deere Financial, vehicle & general maintenance - 772.28, Keystone Labs, sample testing - 828.20, Laurie Ganzer, cell phone – 25.00, Lowden Plumbing & Heating – water maintenance – 15.52, Matt Cavey, cell phone – 25.00, Micro Marketing, books – 50.98, Observer, publications – 121.56, Sandry Fire Supply, 3 sets bunker gear – 4,834.74, Staples, library & city hall office supplies – 449.05, St. Lukes, Data membership dues – 30.00, WGML Refuse Commission, monthly fee - 2,575.00

Gross Wages:

\$ 16,125.05

Revenues:

General Fund – 10,457.28, Employee Benefits – 164.81, Road Use – 6,863.39, Debt Service – 251.13, Water – 6,438.32, Sewer – 15,185.79, Garbage – 3,504.99, Recycling - 1,014.16 Total Revenues - 46,879.87

Expenses:

General Fund – 16,291.61, Employee Benefits – 1,725.93, Road Use – 2,428.50 Debt Service - 0.00 Water - 5,659.32, Sewer - 5,061.26, Garbage - 3,806.48, Recycling -1,231.47 Total Expenses – 36,204.57

A motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Stankee with a second by Wiese. All aves.

Public Forum – no oral or written comments were made.

At 6: 33 p.m. a motion to open the public hearing for the 2016 budget was made by Rohling with a second by Woolard. All ayes.

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At 6:34 p.m. a motion to close the public hearing for the 2016 budget was made by Stankee with a second by Rohling. All ayes.

A motion to approve **resolution 2015-07** which is for the approval of the 2016 budget was made by Stankee with a second by Wiese. All ayes.

A motion to purchase a door replacement for the garage entrance at the library from Eastern Iowa Overhead Door for \$1,000.00 was made by Stankee with a second by Wiese. All ayes.

A motion to approve the City Clerk to attend the Clerk's Academy in Ames July 29-30, 2015 was made by Rohling with a second by Woolard. All ayes.

The **Clinton County Sheriff's Office** spent 63.73 hours in the city of Wheatland from December 26, 2014 through January 25, 2015 while on patrol they handled 5 incidents and answered 11 calls.

Reports – Fire Chief Steward was present to ask the council to consider a new tanker rather than a used one. Chief Steward explained that the members of the department voted to request a new truck. The cost of a refurbished truck would be approximate \$85,000.00 where a new truck would be \$120,000.00. The majority of the department felt a new truck with a warranty and fewer potential problems would be more beneficial. Chief Steward will obtain bids and bring them to the March meeting for consideration.

At 6:47 p.m. a motion to adjourn was made by Stankee with a second by Wiese. All ayes.

Century Schnede, Mayor

Attest:

Laurie Ganzer, City Clerk