

CITY OF SIGOURNEY, IOWA
MINUTES OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2019

The Sigourney City Council met in regular session in the Council Chambers at City Hall on Wednesday, February 6, 2019 with Mayor Glandon presiding and the following Council members answering roll call: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Others present were Christie Iosbaker and Peg Eversmeyer, 175th Anniversary Committee; Larry Alderson; Don Northup, Director of Public Works I; Aaron Kephart, Police Chief; and Angie Alderson, City Clerk.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. Council member McLaughlin moved, seconded by Council member Schultz, to approve the tentative agenda. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Council member Conrad moved, seconded by Council member McLaughlin, to approve the following items on the consent agenda: Council accounts payable claims in the amount of \$26,762.16 and the credit card report. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Council member Schultz moved, seconded by Council member Landgrebe, to approve the following items on the consent agenda: Minutes from the regular Council meeting of January 16, 2019. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Abstain: Conrad. Motion approved. *(Council member Conrad abstained as he was unable to attend the regular Council meeting January 16, 2019.)*

Additional City Business: Clerk Alderson explained the resolution for the July 4th and 175th Anniversary Celebration as being presented so the 175th Committee could work on the layout for the events once the street closings are approved. The times the beverage garden will be open, will change as plans are confirmed. Christie Iosbaker presented a map to the Mayor and Council members showing the layout of the stage, parameters for the beverage garden and options for the placement of a large tent for activities. Council member Conrad moved, seconded by Council member McLaughlin, to approve Resolution 2019-02-01 re: Providing for the Beverage Garden Items on July 3rd-July 7th for July 4th and 175th Anniversary Celebration. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Council member Landgrebe moved, seconded by Council member Schultz, to appoint Police Chief Kephart as the City Representative to the Keokuk County Joint 911 Service Board. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Park and Recreation: Council member Conrad moved, seconded by Council member Landgrebe, to approve the display ad to hire lifeguards for the 2019 pool season. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Council member McLaughlin stated there were several pool applications turned in, but there is still a need for a few more lifeguards. There were two (2) applicants for the pool manager position. Brooke Garringer has been the pool manager for the past five (5) years. Council member McLaughlin stated she has not had any complaints about Brooke and feels she has done a good job. Council member McLaughlin moved, seconded by Council member Schultz, to approve the Park and Recreation Committee's recommendation to hire Brooke Garringer as the pool manager for the 2019 pool season and to contact the second applicant to ask if they would consider being an assistant manager. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Street and Sanitation: Mayor Glandon reviewed the Monthly Recycling Agreement with Cox Sanitation & Recycling. At the last Council meeting it was understood that the cost would be \$100.00 per week, which was not accurate. There will be a \$100.00 monthly fee. The Public Works Department will continue to pick up recycling curbside until the end of March. This will allow us to get the information out to the residents. The recycling bins will be available at the East City Shop for residents to drop off their items. Council member Schultz moved, seconded by Council member McLaughlin, to approve the Monthly Recycling Agreement with Cox Sanitation & Recycling. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Council member Landgrebe moved, seconded by Council member Conrad, to approve the display ad to accept mowing bids. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

Finance: There will be a Finance Committee meeting on Wednesday, February 13, 2019 at 7:00 a.m.

City Clerk: Council member Schultz moved, seconded by Council member Conrad, to set the date and time as Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. for the City Budget Estimate for Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. Upon the roll being called, the following voted Ayes: Landgrebe, Conrad, McLaughlin and Schultz. Nays: None. Motion approved.

The February 20, 2019 regular Council meeting will be held at City Hall at 6:00 p.m.

Public Input: Council member McLaughlin gave the Mayor and Council members an invitation to the Keokuk County Community Foundation for the first Endowment Promotion Event on Thursday, March 28, 2019. There will be a meal and an opportunity to learn more about the foundation and the Iowa Tax Endowment and different funds that are available.

The meeting was adjourned by acclamation at 6:20 p.m.

Douglas L. Glandon, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Angela K. Alderson, City Clerk