

July 17, 2017

Minutes of the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Clinton, Illinois in session in the Council Chambers of City Hall, Monday, July 17, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Roger Cyrulik, presiding. On roll call, Commissioners Wise, Ballenger, Edmunds and Crang were present.

Written motion was made by Commissioner Ballenger and seconded by Commissioner Wise that the minutes of the regular meeting of July 3, 2017 be approved as submitted. On roll call vote, Commissioners Ballenger, Edmunds, Crang, Wise and Mayor Cyrulik voted "Yes".

Written motion was made by Commissioner Crang and seconded by Commissioner Edmunds to approve the Authorization to Complete the Contract and Issue Final Payment to Greenfield Contractors, LLC for the Salt Storage Shed in the amount of \$40,602.00. On roll call vote, Commissioners Edmunds, Crang, Wise, Ballenger and Mayor Cyrulik voted "Yes".

The bills and payroll were read.

Written motion was made by Commissioner Edmunds and seconded by Commissioner Wise that the bills and payroll be allowed as read and the Clerk be instructed to issue warrants on the Treasurer for the several amounts. On roll call vote, Commissioners Crang, Wise, Ballenger, Edmunds and Mayor Cyrulik voted "Yes".

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

None

REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Mayor Cyrulik reported that the next summer concert will be sponsored by Snapper's Bar & Grill and will be held on Saturday, July 29th featuring The Natu Band and Brushville starting at 6:30 p.m.

Written motion was made by Mayor Cyrulik and seconded by Commissioner Crang to reappoint Phil Vinson to the Zoning Board of Appeals – said term to expire July 31, 2022. On roll call vote, Commissioners Wise, Ballenger, Edmunds, Crang and Mayor Cyrulik voted "Yes".

Written motion was made by Commissioner Wise and seconded by Commissioner Edmunds to reappoint Francis Jackson to the Zoning Board of Appeals – said term to expire July 31, 2022. On roll call vote, Commissioners Ballenger, Edmunds, Crang, Wise and Mayor Cyrulik voted "Yes".

Paul Skowron, CEO of Warner Hospital & Health Services reported that the new 3D Mammography Machine has been installed and they have had 40 patients use it so far.

REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STREETS & PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

Commissioner Crang reported that the parking lines will be painted on the Square sometime in August or September (weather permitting).

Steve Lobb, Public Works Director reported that the Summer Maintenance has started and the seal coating will take place the week of August 7th (weather permitting). The Hillcrest Dr. & Jericho Rd. Project will start July 24th with a letter going out to the residents. He also stated that the department is picking up brush and limbs on their normal schedule of the 3rd week of every month but also from the storm that came through last Tuesday, which hit the northwest area of town pretty hard with trees down blocking roads.

REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PROPERTY

Commissioner Wise reported there were issues with the electrical on Wells 10 & 12 by the YMCA and they are running tests on those. The radium testing and sampling have been done and they had a water leak on the highway where the houses were torn down for the new gas station. He also stated that the 4th of July celebration on the Square went very well and the fireworks display on July 5th was very good and he thanked Celebrate Clinton.

REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY

Commissioner Ballenger reported the new air compressor has been delivered and installed and the old one was sold to another Fire Department and waiting for them to pick it up.

REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTS & FINANCES

Commissioner Edmunds reported that the State Budge wasn't as bad on the City as we thought it was going to be. The 2% fee for the collection of sales tax is only on special sales tax like our non-home rule sales tax. The 10% reduction in the amount of taxes paid to the City from the LGDF will be a one-time reduction so the City will get 14 payments this fiscal year so the City will come out ahead. He also stated there will be no tax freeze but they haven't addressed the under-funded pensions. The tax freeze is still a possibility but not right now.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Written motion was made by Commissioner Edmunds and seconded by Commissioner Ballenger to approve Resolution 2017-8, A Resolution Authorizing Execution of an Intergovernmental Cooperation Contract Between the City of Clinton, Illinois, and Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Association. On roll call vote, Commissioners Edmunds, Crang, Wise, Ballenger and Mayor Cyrulik voted “Yes”.

NEW BUSINESS

On File – Demolition Bids/918 N. George St., 112 W. South St. and the Garage at 917 W. North St. – Krumsiek Excavating - \$37,570.00, Accurate Site Demolition Specialists - \$13,800.00, Affordable Demolition Walkers Home Service – \$19,100.00, Tool Excavating - \$36,700.00 & ZK Excavating Demolition & Trucking - \$38,750.00

On File – Letter of Understanding Between the Police Benevolent Labor Committee and the City of Clinton

On File – Ordinance Amending City Code Violation Penalties

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the Council, a motion was made by Commissioner Ballenger and seconded by Commissioner Crang to adjourn the meeting. On roll call vote, Commissioners Crang, Wise, Ballenger, Edmunds and Mayor Cyrulik voted “Yes”.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cheryl A. Van Valey
City Clerk