

CLAY CENTER CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
DECEMBER 1, 2020

The Clay Center City Council met in regular session on December 1, 2020 in the Council Chambers. Mayor Thatcher called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. City Council members in attendance were Elton Hess, Glenn Hoover, Mike Schultze, Daton Hess, Shannon Stark, and Dennis Ouellette. Also present were City Attorney Joel Mason and City Clerk Kerry Rozman. Councilors Rundle and Brown were absent.

Mayor Thatcher reported that he has been talking to the Wrestling Club about the use of City Hall for practice since we are currently closed to the public. They are currently looking for another building to use but, in the meantime, they would like to use City Hall as they have in the past. Mayor Thatcher would not like the building to be used at this time until the situation is deemed safe.

Copies of the minutes from the November 16, 2020 Public Utilities Commission meeting and Public Utilities Commission Appropriations Nos. 2564 and 2565 were presented for review.

The Consent Agenda consisted of the meeting minutes of November 17, 2020 and Appropriation Ordinances Nos. 3855 and 3856. A motion was made by Councilor D. Hess seconded by Councilor Hoover to approve the Consent Agenda in its entirety. Roll call vote: Yeas: Stark, Ouellette, D. Hess, Hoover, Schultze and E. Hess. Nays: None.

Committee Reports as follows:

Administrative: No report.

Public Safety: Mayor Thatcher reported on the following: 1. Building permit for Durwin and Shirley Mall Trust for a mini storage shed located on 5th and Pomeroy Street.

Public Services: Councilor D. Hess reported on the following: 1. The sales tax received was \$43,064.83. 2. Lines are painted on streets that were redone the last few months.

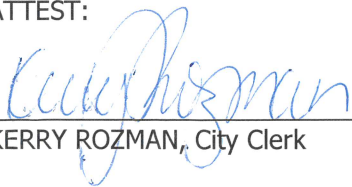
Property and Recreation: Councilor Ouellette reported on the following: 1. The sales tax received was \$43,064.83. 2. The committee met to discuss a Pro Infield Groomer for Parks and Recreation to help maintain the ballfields as well as various city properties. 3. Playground equipment for Reed's Park was discussed and to spend an amount up to approximately \$30,000 in the future. There is money available in the CCIF fund, Special Parks and Recreation and the Parks Department budget to fund this purchase. 4. There was a Tik-Tok video made recently of a person climbing the fence at the pool and taking a short video. This person will more than likely be fined. 5. Work will begin on the AIP for the Airport in the near future.

Motion was made by Councilor Hoover seconded by Councilor Schultze to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried 6-0.



JAMES R. THATCHER, Mayor

ATTEST:



KERRY ROZMAN, City Clerk