

Hinckley Town Council Meeting Hinckley Town Council Chambers 161 E 300 N

Digitally Recorded February 18th 2016 7pm. Invocation, Lou Jean Hales.

Mayor Donald Brown brought the Council Meeting to order with The Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Mayor Donald Brown. Council Members: Justin Rowlette, Chris Palmer, Holly Joseph. Absent: Brian Florang.

Lou Jean Hales Clerk/Recorder. Aaron Jurado/ Maintenance Supervisor.

***Minutes Approval** Chris Palmer moved to accept February 4th 2016 minutes. Motion seconded by Holly Joseph, all voting Aye.

***Discussion/ Mayor and Councilmen** Mayor Brown had Aaron Jurado come forward to discuss several topics. 1. The purchase of a new Town tractor. The backhoe is running well. The bucket truck replacement would be cheaper than a man lift truck replacement. The man lift truck is always breaking down. Aaron is looking at prices for new equipment that is needed. 2. The well has been on bypass the last month and is still on bypass, meaning that ferric chloride is not going into the water system. The problem needs to be fixed, but neither he nor the past Maintenance Supervisor knows how to fix the problem. Aaron, Maintenance Supervisor, has not had any training on the system and there does not seem to be anyone to train him. He is trying to get some training from Rural Water and the State. Aaron needs a standard operating procedure book. Aaron's phone is not calling him when there is a problem at the well. He was told to look into bids from two different Companies on their cost to maintain the scada alarm system.

The Mayor and Councilpersons and who are available will meet Aaron out at the well on the 24th of Feb. to have a tour of the well system.

Justin Rowlette discussed topics that were discussed at a meeting he had attended in Fillmore. Workforce Services-Education Classes talked about a program the state has to educate a person which in turn pulls them up, out of the poverty level. If the Town has persons interested in this program Justin knows who to contact.

Commissioner Dean Draper talked about a 2017 state program that if implemented would increase the gas tax one fourth of a cent. This is a state program but voted on by each County. This money would increase the Towns' class c road monies we receive. Justin will contact Dean and see if he would like to come to Council and discuss this tax increase with the Hinckley Citizens.

Holly Joseph was wondering about the plan for the utility poles that Kevin Caldwell wants removed.

Chris Palmer said the office needs to contact Rocky Mt. power about the bill we owe them for the Christmas lights installation.

Mayor Brown is working on trying to get a nice brick fence installed on the north side of the park between the rental home and the grass.

***Municipal Wastewater Planning Program:** The program for wastewater lagoons was looked at that had been filled out by Aaron Jurado. Aaron felt the Program was in order so Chris Palmer moved to accept Resolution 16-02-18 The 2016 Municipal Wastewater Planning Program. Motion seconded by Justin Rowlette, all voting Aye.

***Unusable Water & Sewer Connection Title 8-1-4 C & D** Holly, who is over the water, discussed with the Mayor and Council the Town Code 8-1-4 section C Dormant Service Connection and D Unusable Water or Sewer Service. Changes need to be made with the wordage. Also the office personnel are having a problem with how long can a service be in the disconnection state before the meter is deemed unusable and the charges to have a reconnection made. Holly received the Council's comments and will bring the wordage changes to the next meeting.

***PO Passage**

Holly Joseph moved to approve the following PO:

#880384 to Trail Blaze for a flow meter at the treatment plant, not to exceed \$3000. Motion seconded by Justin Rowlette, all voting Aye.

***Business Licenses**

Chris Palmer moved to approve the following Business License to; Farm and Home Real Estate/ Brian Florang at 64 N 100 W. Motion seconded by Holly Joseph, all voting Aye.

***Bill Payments**

Chris Palmer moved to approve payment for the bills presented before the Council. Motion seconded by Holly Joseph, all voting Aye.

***Closing**

Chris Palmer moved to close the meeting at 9:00 pm. Motion seconded by Justin Rowlette, all voting Aye.



Mayor Donald Brown



Lou Jean Hales Clerk/Recorder
Tresa Martin Clerk/Recorder