

Sterling Town Council Meeting

July 15, 2016

7:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Randall Cox; Council Members: Yvonne Larsen and Curtis Ludvigson; Clerk/Recorder, Stacey Lyon

Town Members Present: Nick Lyon

Also Present: Megan Batterman

Meeting is brought to order at 7:11 pm.

Roll call: Yvonne; here; Scott is excused; Marilyn is excused; Curtis, here; Mayor Cox is here, and Stacey is here.

Audience and Council stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes are read from the May and June meetings.

Curtis makes the motion to approve the minutes from May and June as presented, seconded by Yvonne, all in favor, motion passed. Votes were cast as follows: Curtis, aye; Yvonne, aye.

**Curtis**

- Curtis states that all the repairs have been made to the water meters except Luke Denton, Mike Allen, and the fire hydrant up to Max Otten's. Stacey is concerned about Max's meter, it keeps registering a leak and he has had a plumber come and check everything and they couldn't find a leak.
- Curtis wonders how the application to Rural Development is coming along. He has tried to get ahold of Lynn Wall to talk to him about it. Stacey lets Curtis know that she has the application and she will start filling it out.

**Yvonne**

- Yvonne wonders about the inactive meters that we have around town like the meter at Gloria Johnson's old house that is now torn down. She wonders if there should be locks on them or just turned off. The water meter at Colby Zeeman's old house south of town was turned off but it registered a reading last month. Mayor Cox says that he turned the meter on for the realtor to inspect the pipes. He let the water heater fill up a couple times and then shut the water meter off again. Mayor Cox says that the meters should have locks put on them when the meters are shut off. He will get with Wade Anderson, Water Master, and get them locked.
- The port a potty that was rented and put down to the cemetery for Memorial Day did have usage. On The Go Services rates the usage from 1 to 5 and ours was a 2. Just an idea for next year.
- Yvonne is wondering if she could put together a committee to write a grant for playground fund. Mayor Cox says that that is a good idea and

**Nick**

- It is the time of year to start expending grant monies. Nick is asking for permission to take the money from
- The new fire truck will be done the second week of August. Nick and a couple of guys will go up to Boise, he wants permission to take Town funds
- Equipment for the new truck, wants a trash pump, suction hose, and discharge hose to put on it. Curtis says yes as long as we can use it for water issues.

**Mayor Cox**

- Mayor Cox has been talking to Cox's in Fairview regarding the purchase a tractor/mower with a bucket on front. We can get one for \$15,000. Stacey will email Gayle Gardner and ask her if the CIB will allow us to purchase it with remaining funds.

- Mayor Cox is feeling bad about not doing the 24<sup>th</sup> celebration. We aren't going to do it this year because there is not time to put it together. He wants to get a committee and they can work on getting a 24<sup>th</sup> Celebration put together for 2017. Yvonne and Marilyn will get one put together.

Stacey would like to see if we can get the Planning and Zoning Committee back together. There has been several things in the past couple months that was the Planning and Zoning's responsibility. Stacey thinks that if we spread the work out then it would better. Mayor Cox and the Council like the idea and ask Stacey and Yvonne to put a message in the water bill asking for volunteers. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

Bills are read as follows:

Check #	Vendor	Amount	Check #	Vendor	Amount
6015	Wilson, Brad	150.00	6024	Rural Water Association	50.00
6016	Central Utah Public Health Dept	40.00	6025	Sanpete County Auditor	261.50
6017	Hill's Heating and Air	2,868.00	6026	Sanpete Diesel Service	425.68
6018	Internal Revenue Service	797.78	6027	Scholzen's Products	12.00
6019	Manti Telephone	95.98	6028	Southwest Plumbing	140.42
6020	Mountainland Supply	328.69	6029	The Sterling Station	143.68
6021	North Sanpete Disposal	632.20	6030	Utah Local Government Trust	8,597.36
6022	Questar Gas	68.90	6031	Utah Valley University	50.00
6023	Rocky Mountain Power	787.79			

Motion is made by Yvonne to pay the bills as read, seconded by Curtis, all in favor, motion passed.  
 Votes were cast as follows: Yvonne, aye; Curtis, aye.

Motion made by Yvonne to adjourn the meeting at 8:53 pm, seconded by Curtis, all in favor, motion passed.  
 Votes were cast as follows: Yvonne, aye; Curtis, aye.