

Paradise Town Council

August 18, 2021

7:30 p.m.

Council Members Present- Mayor Vic Little, Larry Johnson, Trent Passey, Shannon Rasmussen, Alyssa Petersen (Recorder)

Council Members Excused- Jason Winn

Community Members Present- None at this time.

1. **Minutes-** The Minutes of the meeting of August 4, 2021, were emailed to all Council members previous to the meeting. Trent made a motion to approve the Minutes as written, Larry seconded that motion, all in favor.
2. **Bills-** Mayor Little read the bills. Larry made a motion to approve the bills as written for 8/18/2021, Trent seconded that motion. All in favor.
3. **Public Comment-** None at this time.
4. **Council Quarterly Report-** The Council was given a quarterly financial report and the report for fiscal year 2021. They were also given a quarterly Fire Department Financial Report. There was discussion on funds used from Wildland Fires.
5. **Purchase Request- Sports Park Parking Lot-** Mayor Little asked Parsons to break down the bid he received from them a little more. They were able to break down a bid more and get it to him. He presented the bid to the Council. The total bid was \$54,453.50. It is the cheapest bid out of three including Top Job Asphalt, and New Age Asphalt. The square footage that Mayor Little received the bid on was 33,750 sq ft. The Council would like to get it done before snow fall. Trent made a motion to approve the paving at the new park according to the bid, Larry seconded that motion. Mayor Little will get it scheduled.
6. **Unfinished Business-**
Non-Compliant Property- Mayor Little approved the release of vehicles being held at D&D Auto that were approved in the Court order. The Court order does not allow the vehicles to come back to Paradise. The Council has noticed that there are more vehicles on the property again. There is now a motorhome on the right-of-way and a large boat has come back and is sitting in the corner of the lot. The Town will proceed with 2 days of clearing the property and then the Court Date.
7. **New Business-**
Town Square Playground- There is a rope bridge at the playground that has broken and left some metal pieces exposed. It is necessary to get a new rope bridge. It is a Little Tikes playground and so the netting needs to be replaced or something else put there. The mayor has looked at it and wanted to get the Council's opinion on how to proceed. The Council would like to see if it could be replaced by Trout and Berry Days.
8. **Council Reports-**
 - Roads-Trent Passey- Trent reported that Morgan Pavement hasn't come back to repair the roads that have been complained about yet, but that we are on their schedule for end of August or beginning of September. There are a few more potholes in Town that haven't been patched. Trent will talk with Lee about having Morgan fix those.
 - Water- Larry Johnson- Nothing at this time.

- Community- Shannon Rasmussen- Shannon reported on Trout and Berry Days. The Trout and Berry Days wants to be more independent as far as finances went and want to potentially open their own checking account. They would like to set up as a nonprofit organization. Shannon also reported that the committee was wondering if anyone who owned a drone could take some ariel shots of some of the events. Shannon reported on the events for the upcoming week.
- Fire/Grants/Budget- Jason Winn- Jason was not at the meeting, nothing at this time.

Adjourn- Larry made a motion to adjourn, Trent seconded that motion. All in favor, meeting adjourns at 8:50 p.m.