

The Seymour Board of Alderman met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Thursday, February 13, 2020 in the Seymour City Hall Board Room, 123 West Market Street.

At 6:00 p.m. Mayor Richard Vinson called the meeting to order.

Roll call: Jim Ashley, William Pogue, Nadine Crisp, Dan Wehmer. It is determined there is a quorum.

Also, present was City Administrator Hillary Gintz, City Attorney Chris Swatosh, Police Chief Bob Paudert, Sergeant Chase Davis, Supervisor Mitch Plummer, City Clerk Leslie Houk.

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Wehmer/Crisp to approve the minutes. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

New Business

Approval of Bills

A motion was made by Pogue/Ashley to approve the bills. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Citizen Comments

No Comments.

Proclamation-Ronald McDonald House Week

Richard Vinson, Mayor of the City of Seymour, Missouri, do hereby proclaim February 11th through February 17th, 2020 as Ronald McDonald House Week.

Water Tower Maintenance Bid Opening

Two bids were received. Ozark Applicators 91,950.00. Pittsburg Tank and Tower Group 65,810.00. Pittsburg Tank also priced repairs that need done for an additional 9,600.00. A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to award the bid to Pittsburg Tank and Tower Group with additional repairs. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Supervisor Report-Mitch Plummer

See Report.

Police Report-Chase Davis

See Report.

City Administrator Report-Hillary Gintz

City Administrator Hillary Gintz presented a bid for police computers. The computers are windows 7 which expired in January. These computers are obsolete and at risk for viruses and hacking. The bid is from FX Technologies for 2,038.00. A motion was made by Crisp/Ashley to approve the computers. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

February 27th at 5:00 pm the MSU students will be here for the Downtown Revitalization Community Input. City Administrator Hillary Gintz would like to advertise for bids for the Cemetery mowing. Administrator Gintz would like to see what we get. Depending on how the bids come in a decision would need to be made to keep it in house or award the bid to someone. Administrator Gintz and City Clerk Leslie Houk met with Patty Becraft on revamping the website and discussed a text messaging app for getting information to the citizens. The set-up cost is 15.00 and .05 per text message. Administrator Gintz looked up the sales tax on Taco Bell. With the sales tax and property tax payback would be 24 years. This does not take into consideration other businesses building out there.

City Attorney Report-Chris Swatosh

City Attorney Chris Swatosh attended a meeting Monday for the JIS software and casenet.

Mayor Report-Richard Vinson

Mayor Richard Vinson would like to commend the P&Z for what they are doing.

Aldermen's Report

Alderman Jim Ashley said the speed limit sign on Thoroughfare out by Finley Falls is about to fall down.

Alderman William Pogue said Wayne and Dorothy Moddy about have the 2 story house on Garfield tore down. The potholes on Frances need some gravel added.

Alderwoman Nadine Crisp spoke with Dorothy King. Someone parked a vehicle on her property. As soon as it dries out, they will get it gone. Linda Thomas said there was a water leak over by her house. Center & Charles Streets have a lot of low hanging limbs.

Alderman Dan Wehmer had Chris Young complain to him about people parking in the street on Water Street. Alderman Wehmer agrees this is an issue. There are ordinances that prohibit parking in the street. Water Street is not one listed. A motion was made by Wehmer/Pogue to have an ordinance drafted to add no street parking on Water Street to South Street.

Alderman Wehmer commented that the Owen Theatre's two shows drew a little over 100 guests for each show. They are having Karaoke this Saturday night.

At 7:15 p.m. a motion was made by Crisp/Ashley to go into executive session. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for executive session is pursuant to section 610.021 (1) (3) Litigation & Personnel.

At 8:10 p.m. a motion was made by Pogue/Crisp to adjourn. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Richard Vinson

City Clerk Leslie Houk