

The Seymour Board of Alderman met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, March 19, 2019 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, Mary Carpenter, Nadine Crisp, Dan Wehmer. It is determined there is a quorum.

Also, present was City Administrator Sam Burt, City Attorney Chris Swatosh, Police Consultant Bob Paudert, Police Officer Chase Davis, Supervisor Mitch Plummer, Assistant to the Administrator Hillary Gintz, City Clerk Leslie Houk.

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

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

New Business

Approval to Pay Bills

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

Citizen Comments

Vernon Copeland asked if anyone knows how much tax Taco Bell has paid in the last 6 months.

Parks & Cemetery Tree Trimming Bids

4 bids were received. Excel Tree Service \$10,209.00, Clancy's \$8,900.00, Reese \$10,700.00, Pruner's \$30,000.00. A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to approve Clancy's bid. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Adopt the 16th Edition Safety Manual of the American Public Power Association

A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to adopt the 16th Edition Safety Manual of the American Public Power Association. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

ORDINANCE # 768 AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING CULVERTS

A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to accept the first reading of Bill # 2019-768, Ordinance #768 AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING CULVERTS. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

A motion was made by Ashley/Carpenter to accept the second and final reading of Bill # 2019-768, Ordinance #768. AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING CULVERTS. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp –yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

ORDINANCE #769 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FAIR HOUSING FOR THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI

A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to accept the first reading of Bill # 2019-769, Ordinance #769 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FAIR HOUSING FOR THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

A motion was made by Carpenter/Wehmer to accept the second and final reading of Bill # 2019-769, Ordinance #769. AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FAIR HOUSING FOR THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp –yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Resolution

A motion was made by Wehmer/Carpenter to approve the excessive force resolution. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp –yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Supervisor Report-Mitch Plummer

See Report

A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to spend \$2,500.00 needed for the culvert on Clinton Street in front of the old standard station if MODOT will install them. Ayes: Ashley, Carpenter, Wehmer. Nays: Crisp.

Police Report-Chase Davis

See Report.

City Administrator Report-Sam Burt

City Administrator Sam Burt discussed the Thoroughfare to Velma Road. Building a new road will be expensive. City Administrator Burt's recommendation is to take in the road and maintain

it. A motion was made by Ashley/Carpenter to accept the road and work with Webster County 911 for addressing. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp –yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

City Administrator Sam Burt would like to revisit the SREP services. A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to approve \$7,500.00 for this service. Ayes: Ashley, Crisp, Wehmer. Nays: Carpenter.

City Administrator Sam Burt presented 2 bids for the Tahoe equipment. The bids are from Emergency Sight and Sound for \$8,657.89 and Nroute for \$7,920.55. A motion was made by Wehmer/Carpenter to accept Emergency Sight & Sounds bid. The higher bid was accepted because Emergency Sight & Sound is local and easy to deliver the Tahoe to incase of follow up work. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Mayor Report-Richard Vinson

Mayor Richard Vinson commented that everyone did a great job during the ice storm and everyone is doing a great job.

City Attorney Report-Chris Swatosh

Nothing to Report.

Aldermen's Report

Alderman Dan Wehmer commented on the YMCA financials. Alderman Wehmer is not happy with the direction the YMCA is going. Alderman Wehmer addressed the consignment sale at Capon's Realty. Alderman Wehmer received some complaints on all the equipment that was being hauled in months in advance. He would like to see the equipment hauled in 2-3 days in advance not a month. Alderman Jim Ashley feels this is something the city does not have control over. Alderman Wehmer would like to revisit the awning for the storm shelter. After looking over Emergency Management Director Bob Crump's hand out Alderman Wehmer feels it would be best to go ahead with an awning. A motion was made by Wehmer/Carpenter to approve the awning from HB Wall and to also do the mats that were approved earlier. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Alderwoman Nadine Crisp said Jackie at the Barber Shop would still like a handicap ramp or handicap parking. Alderwoman Crisp drove around town and commented how awful everything is looking. Alderwoman Crisp asked when the trailer tear down on Division will be complete.

Alderman Jim Ashley asked when the dump truck will be ready. City Supervisor Mitch Plummer said the bed is scheduled to be delivered next week. Alderman Ashley asked where we are on the brick inspection.

At 7:35 p.m. a motion was made by Crisp/Carpenter to go into executive session. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for executive session is Litigation, Real Estate & Personnel.

At 9:10 p.m. a motion was made by Carpenter/Ashley to adjourn. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Richard Vinson

City Clerk Leslie Houk