

The Seymour Board of Alderman met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Thursday, September 27, 2018 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, Police Officer 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 to Pay Bills

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

Citizen Comments

Michael Kyle does not like the location of the hitching post that is proposed to go in West of his business. Mr. Kyle suggested installing it at the North West Corner where the city purchased a building.

Chris Helms-Cemetery Ordinances

Chris Helms would like for the city to consider allowing cemetery lot owners to take care of their own lots. His infant daughter is buried in the Seymour Masonic Cemetery. Chris had a couple solar lights that were damaged.

Police Report

See Report

Police Officer Chase Davis reported that the Apple Festival was uneventful. The Casey's on Loveland Street are having a lot of gas drive offs. This keeps the Seymour Police Department busy. Casey's policy does not allow prepay at the pumps unless there is a city ordinance that enforces prepay at the pumps. The Alderman would like to see if Casey's would pay the legal fees to have an ordinance drafted. A motion was made by Wehmer/Carpenter to have City Attorney draft an ordinance stating that any gas station that border's US Highway 60 is prepay at the pumps. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Supervisor Report-Mitch Plummer

Nothing to Report

Aldermen's Report

Aldерwoman Mary Carpenter asked if any bids have been received for the sidewalk replacement. City Administrator Sam Burt said two bids have been received. Aldерwoman Carpenter noticed the military stones at the cemetery are covered in grass. She questioned if they are forgetting to blow them off. Aldерwoman Carpenter noticed a stone has fallen. The name on it is Miller and is by the Pine and Elm intersection.

Aldерwoman Nadine Crisp asked if the city workers could do the sidewalks instead of having it contracted. Aldерwoman Crisp had Joe Underwood ask if the city could put a speed limit sign or a speed bump on Preston Hollow Road. People are speeding by his place. Aldерwoman Crisp noticed the pillar at the North East corner of the park is damaged. Seymour Development Association spent \$140.00 on mums for the park on the square. Chuck Smith told them they would be taken care of and watered. This did not happen and they all died. Aldерwoman Crisp had someone ask her if the city spent \$1,000,000.00 on the Taco Bell.

Alderman Dan Wehmer gave credit to the city guys for the clean up on Davis Street. It looks really nice. Alderman Wehmer would like to add a Mayor's report to the agenda.

At the end of the meeting Clay Scott passed out a hand out to the public and the Board. See hand out.

At 7:10 p.m. a motion was made by Wehmer/Carpenter to go into executive session. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Aldерwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Aldерwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for executive session is Audit & Personnel.

At 9:00 p.m. a motion was made by Wehmer/Crisp to adjourn. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Aldерwoman Mary Carpenter-yes. Aldерwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Richard Vinson

City Clerk Leslie Houk