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WESTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019
7:30 P.M.
18 S CENTER WESTON, IDAHO

MAYOR: GREG GARNER

COUNCIL: TRAVIS JOHNSON, MARK KOLLER, SARAH LAYLAND, RYAN BECKSTEAD

CLERK: SHARON KROPF

VISITORS: RANDY HENRIE, DIRK BOWLES, BOYD BURBANK, ROBERT SWAINSTON, , JASE & JESSICA CUNDICK, TACI BALLS, JANIE VAHSHOLTZ

PRAYER: SARAH LAYLAND

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE MINUTES:

Sarah motioned to approve the April minutes. Ryan seconded. Voting was all in favor.

COUNTY COURTHOUSE REMODEL/ADDITION PRESENTATION:

The county commissioners and Randy Henrie presented the council with their plans to remodel and add a 60x60 foot three story addition on to the courthouse in Preston. This will help to modernize the courthouse, make it ADA compliant, fix some elevator problems, and resolve some logistical issues of prisoners mingling with the public on court days. The historical look of the courthouse will be retained. Store front windows will be put on all offices to make it more secure and safe. They will put a bond on the November ballot hoping to get 2.9 million dollars in funding to pay for the project. They don't want to cut anyone in the county's budget to do this project. They are trying to get support from the cities in the county for the project.

BUILDING PERMIT:

Jase and Jessica asked for a building permit to build a 30x40 foot shed for their pigs. They are at least 15 feet away from all property lines. Ryan motioned to approve their permit. Travis seconded. Voting was all in favor.

BUSINESS LICENSES:

-Taci Balls asked for a business license for her website consulting business. Mark motioned to approve her license. Sarah seconded. Voting was all in favor.

-Cliff Stokes asked to renew his business license for his plumbing business. Mark motioned to approve it and Travis seconded. Voting was all in favor.

-Travis Johnson asked for a business license for his construction business called Pro Force Construction. Mark motioned to approve his license and Sarah seconded. Ryan voted in favor.

CITY WEBSITE:

Taci showed the council a preview of the website she's been working on. If we choose to keep a blog feature, the council wants the commenting option turned off. Taci will run the site free of charge for a year. She asked about selling ad space and Mayor Garner would also like a spot to recognize sponsors. Registration for the fun run can be set up on the website and also a spot to sell 24th T-shirts.

CITY CLEAN-UP DAY:

Janie will work on getting a general city-wide cleanup day scheduled for Saturday, May 18. The council would like sidewalks and roadsides picked up. Sarah will get big orange garbage bags to use. Sharon will see about getting a dumpster brought into town more often this summer.

24TH CELEBRATION PLANNING:

Mayor Garner will send out letters to try and get sponsors for this year's 24th celebration. Janie would like to change the parade route this year. Instead of turning north on 1st West, she'd like the parade to turn south down 1st West and finish closer to where they started. She'd like to block off 1st West to traffic for the day. Janie said that Suzanne Beckstead wants to update the city float. We need to pick a grand marshal. Janie will put together a vendor packet to give to all the vendors.

WATER PROJECT UPDATE:

Still no word on the outcome of the hearing with Jay Foncesbeck. They have now said they will decide by May 17th.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

- Glen's daughter Carly painted the Merry-Go-Round for a project.
- At the AIC Conference we found out that having an aggressive dog could now be cited as a misdemeanor in the state of Idaho.
- Mayor Garner received an email about the Cache Gran Fondo bike event but they haven't applied for a permit. Sharon will email the guy in charge and have them get one.

FOUR WAY STOP SIGN PROPOSAL:

Mark proposed putting a four way stop sign at the intersection of 1st East and 1st South. Sarah seconded the proposal and voting was all in favor. Mayor Garner will talk to Glen and see if we have extra signs or have him order some.

BUILDING INSPECTOR:

Sarah motioned that the city hire the county to do our building inspections. Travis seconded. Ryan voted no and Mark voted in favor. The motion passed. We will need to talk to Randy Henrie and get a contract drawn up so we know what will be inspected and all the terms. The council would like to have Randy come and talk to them again.

REMODEL THE OLD CITY OFFICE BUILDING:

Travis has drawn up some plans about how we can remodel the city office building. He'd like it to get done before this fall so we will have a bigger and warmer place to meet for meetings this winter. We need to have a workshop to clean out the building. We may need to rent a storage shed to put stuff in while it's being remodeled. The council would also like Randy Henrie to inspect it.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

None

DELINQUENT WATER BILLS:

-The council gave permission to write off the \$174 balance on Colby Nielsen's account from a previous tenant. Andy Daley will need to pay a minimum of \$100 each month until his account is caught up.

APPROVE BILLS:

The council looked at the bills. Travis motioned to approve the April bills. Mark seconded. Voting was all in favor.

Ryan motioned to adjourn the meeting and Sarah seconded. The meeting adjourned at 9:56 p.m.

MAY BILLS

GENERAL ACCOUNT:

STOTZ EQUIPMENT	LAWN MOWER REPAIR	\$422.33
PRESTON VALLEY COUNTRY STORE	PARK SUPPLIES/ PROPANE	\$133.43
CACHE VALLEY PUBLISHING	LEGAL NOTICE (RMP)	\$1693.89
RON KELLER TIRE	FLAT REPAIR	\$14
STOKES	PARK SUPPLIES	\$108.52
O'REILLY	PART	\$6.01
VERIZON	PHONE	\$108.37
KCA TRANSPORTATION	DUST GUARD	\$2830
SOUTH FORK HARDWARE	PARK	\$9.01
WESTON CREEK IRRIGATION	ASSESSMENT	\$375
LOWE'S	ASPHALT PATCH	\$1549.36
WEX BANK	GAS	\$126.48
ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER	STREET LIGHTS	\$481.32
INTERMOUNTAIN TRAFFIC SAFETY	4 WAY STOP SIGNS	\$77.44
MATTHEW REGEN	2017/2018 AUDIT	\$6900
STANDARD PLUMBING	PARK	\$77.04
JANIE VAHSHOLTZ	EVENT PLANNING	\$60
PERSI	GLEN	\$305.46
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PERSI	SHARON	\$129.97
IRS	TAX DEPOSIT	\$907.93
GENERAL ACCOUNT BALANCE:		\$210,458.65

WATER ACCOUNT:

GLEN KIRKBRIDE	HEALTH INS.	\$650
USPS	WATER SAMPLE	\$4.39
PRESTON VALLEY COUNTRY STORE	SUPPLIES	\$124.98
USA BLUE BOOK	TEST SUPPLIES	\$60.05
STOKES	KEYS	\$2.98
WOODWARDS	SUPPLIES	\$47.72
WEX BANK	GAS	\$57
ENVIRO CHEM	WATER TEST	\$20
USPS	STAMPS	\$105
ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER	PUMPS	\$519.75
FERGUSON WATERWORKS	PARTS	\$117.14
NKD TECHNOLOGIES	SCADA	\$199
GARY'S BACKHOE	WATER LINE REPAIR	\$800
STANDARD PLUMBING	PARTS	\$24.34
USDA	LOAN PAYMENT	\$26,765.00

WATER ACCOUNT BALANCE:\$101,234.31

PAYROLL ACCOUNT:

GLEN KIRKBRIDE	GROSS	\$1686.70
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SHARON KROPF	GROSS	\$553.64

PAYROLL ACCOUNT BALANCE:\$30,937.72