

On Tuesday, April 9, 2013, Mayor Christopher Parker called to order the Board of Appeals and Equalization at 7:00 P.M. Council members in attendance were Jack Roberts, Lisa Gibbs, Neil Hjelmeland and Chad Wangen.

Winona County Assessors John and Perry were in attendance to discuss the assessed properties. Clerk Winchester received the printout for the City. Lisa Gibbs was certified by the Department of Revenue for this meeting.

There were three home sales in Stockton last year.

Mayor Parker asked for any discussion three times. Mayor Parker recommended the Assessors stay for a few minutes in case anyone was late.

Jack Roberts made a motion to close the Board of Appeals and Equalization meeting, with a second from Neil Hjelmeland. Motion passed, meeting adjourned at 7:03 P.M.

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The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Under the Public Voice forum, Sharon Logan would like to be placed under complaints and concerns.

Mayor Parker would like to remove the walking path and snow plow from the agenda. Chad Wangen made a motion to accept the agenda with addition and corrections, motion seconded by Lisa Gibbs. Motion passed.

Chad Wangen made a motion to accept the March 2013 financial reports with a second from Neil Hjelmeland. Motion passed.

Jack Roberts made a motion to accept the March 26, 2013 minutes, with a second from Neil Hjelmeland. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Softball fields** – Previous quote that Council member Dave Johannes had last year was about \$8,000 – 10,000 to have the sand replaced. Jack Roberts made a motion to re-quote from the companies before, with a cap of \$10,000 to fix, and the cost being born by the Designated Funds. If the companies go over the cap, to bring the quotes back to the Council on April 23rd. Motion seconded by Neil Hjelmeland, motion passed unanimously.
- **Trees at ball fields:** Chad Larson asked for trees and to replace some of the trees that were damaged over the last storm, table until next meeting and more appropriate weather.

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Street Sweeping:** Beck's Sweeping from Fountain City did it last year for \$800. Subject tabled for a more appropriate time

CITY MAINTENANCE:

- **Blacktop MHP** –Clerk and Chad Larson will call blacktop companies for quotes for both Hickory Lane and Jenny Lane. Clerk will let Dave McCorquodale know the City is moving ahead with the blacktop project.

COMPLAINTS/CONCERNS

- **Leaky basement:** Marilyn Johnson has had a water leak in her basement since the sand point wells were placed onto City Water. Fitzgerald Plumbing put the lines and meters in and Bonestroo Engineering planned the project. The grant came from MPCA and was filtered through SEMMCHRA. Clerk Winchester will send all phone documentation, photos and the quote Mrs. Johnson received to hand dig and seal the area to SEMMCHRA.
- **Sharon Logan:** Culvert on her corner not draining correctly, there were pictures she took that were emailed to Bill Trygstad. Council agrees that Haselton Construction, who did the reshaping of the culvert area, will have two weeks to fix or a proposed date to fix. If not, Council will pursue the bond at the April 23rd meeting.

BUILDING PERMIT:

- **Storage Shed:** Dave Mueller is requesting a 20' x 24' storage shed in the backyard. The application has been filed out, site plan on hand and City Building Inspector has received the file. Dave Mueller will be changing the back lot to 37-feet not 25-feet. Jack Roberts made a motion to approve of the building permit, motion seconded by Lisa Gibbs. Motion passed.

Chad Wangen made a motion to close the Stockton City Council meeting, motion seconded by Lisa Gibbs. Motion passed, meeting adjourned at 7:49 P.M.