

On Tuesday, July 9, 2019, Mayor Dave Johannes called to order the Stockton City Council meeting at Stockton City Hall at 7:00 PM. Council members in attendance were Lisa Gibbs, Neil Hjelmeland, Mark Potter and Travis McElmury.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Public Voice Forum: none

Correction the agenda was made to change the date to July 9th and to add under new business playground diggers. Travis McElmury made a motion to accept the agenda with correction, motion seconded by Neil Hjelmeland. Motion passed.

Mark Potter made a motion to accept the financial reports and to pay all bills. Motion seconded by Neil Hjelmeland; motion passed unanimously.

Dave Johannes made a motion to accept the June 11, 2019 minutes, with a second by Lisa Gibbs. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS

South Broadway Street: Curt Marx from Davy Engineering was on hand to discuss the project. There was a problem with not enough gravel base, but Pember brought in more rock and it's up to grade. They were supposed to lower 2 water services, but only the Hermann water service got lowered, the other one south of that did not need to be lowered. Project will be finished by the end of July with a pay order at the August Council meeting. Discussion was held on the blacktop along the apartments, there is broken bituminous surface that was taken out, but the photos show gravel with grass growing on it. Mr. Marx asked what the council would like to put back. It has been prepped for blacktop. Mark Potter made a motion to split the cost of the blacktop 50-50 with Stacy Hermann. Neil Hjelmeland seconded the motion; motion passed unanimously.

Rental Ordinance: Wayne Schauble will be at the August meeting, will be tabled until then.

Liquor License: Stockton Days temporary license will be September 6 & 7 not September 21st.

Donations: Kicking Bear Camp will not be held this year, so the donation check has been voided.

NEW BUSINESS

Playground Diggers: Midwest playscapes cost is \$2170.82. Lisa Gibbs discussed getting the 4-H swings from them as well. Lisa Gibbs made a motion to buy the diggers and swings from Midwest Playscapes, motion seconded by Travis McElmury. Motion passed.

CITY MAINTENANCE

Water & Sewer: Discussion was held on the amount of sewage the City currently has, and Chad may have to do an emergency discharge since we've had 7-inches of rain. The mobile home park has doubled their water usage in one year, which is doubling the sewer usage too. Discussion was held on having people hook into the water system, waiving the hook up fee, charging more for our user fees, metering sewer, cleaning & televising the sewer lines, sump pumps and drainage tiles being pumped into the City sewer.

Dave Johannes stated the City bought new cell phones. He would like to buy the Mayor phone for \$25, as they are 5-years old and cannot be traded in and the resale value is zero. Mark Potter made a motion to sell the old cell phone to Dave Johannes for \$25. Motion seconded by Neil Hjelmeland; motion passed; Dave Johannes abstained from the vote.

Neil Hjelmeland made a motion to close the Stockton City Council meeting, with a second from Travis McElmury. Motion passed unanimously; meeting adjourned at 8:03 PM.