

City of Wakefield
Council Meeting Monday, February 7, 2022– 7:00 p.m.

Call to Order

Mayor Dumler called the meeting to order at 7:00pm and led the Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence. Clerk swore in new council members.

Present were Randy Garcia, David O’Dell (via Zoom), Betsy Liebau, Leza Chryssovergis, Neal Summerson.

Consent Agenda

Betsy requests we move Lagoon Update to the top of the agenda due to Brian Foster being here from BG.

Randy motioned to accept consent agenda with agenda item change, Betsy 2nd, motion carried.

Public Comments

None

Organizational Reports

***Pride**

- Business of the Month: SageBrush Salon & Spa
- Meeting- Feb. 21 @ 7pm at Community Center
- Commodities- March 11@ UMC Box up 12:30pm; Distribute 1:30pm.

***WRA**

- Balance: \$5430.18
- Basketball Jan 8-Feb 12
- Spring Soccer registration ends Feb 18- through CC Rec
- Meeting Feb 21 6pm @ city building

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Lagoon update

Brian Foster updated council with Wastewater Volumes; Preliminary Sizing; Site Requirements; Next Steps; Current & Proposed Schedule. KDHE needs to be informed of which option we will pursue (Variance vs. upgraded Treatment) BY 4/1/2022

2. GROW Clay County- Natalie Muruato here

Natalie explained where Clay County Growth Alliance (GROW Clay County & Explore Clay County) got started; Committees (comprised of board members & Investors); what programs/events are currently scheduled. Investment Form given to council.

3. USD 379 & Wakefield School

School Board Reps. Debbie Brown & Jason listened to council concerns.

4. Res. 252- GAAP Waiver

Randy motioned to accept Resolution 252, Neal 2nd, motion carried.

5. Scenicview Landscaping

Betsy motioned to accept ScenicView Landscaping 2022 proposal, Randy 2nd, motion carried.

6. South Central Slurry Proposal

Neal motioned to pay South Central Slurry \$40,000 for sealing streets Superintendent Ochs and SCS agree upon, Randy 2nd, motion passed. (David left zoom).

7. Blight update (if any)

8. Covid 19 update (if any)

***Employee Reports**

Clerk- report given. Betsy motioned Julie to attend CCMFOA Spring Conference & KRWA Clerk Day, Leza 2nd, motion passed.

Superintendent- report given. Leza motioned Jeff to attend KRWA Annual Conference, Neal 2nd, motion passed.

Police- report given. James goes to training March 15-17 in Salina.

***Executive Session**

Betsy motioned for Executive Session to discuss non-elected personnel matters until 8:45pm, Neal 2nd, motion passed.

Chris brought the meeting back to order at 8:45pm. No action taken.

***Adjournment**

Randy motioned to adjourn, Neal 2nd, motion passed.

City Clerk