

The Carl Junction City Council met in regular session on Tuesday July 02, 2019 at 7:00 PM at City Hall. Mayor Mark Powers called the meeting to order with the following present: Rick Flimm, Don Marshall, Richard Zaccardelli, Roger Spencer, LaDonna Allen, Mike Burns, Randy Hutcheson and Mark Satterlee. Also present were City Administrator Steve Lawver, City Attorney Mike Talley, and City Clerk Maribeth Matney.

AGENDA

Roger Spencer motioned to approve the agenda as presented. Richard Zaccardelli seconded. All in favor. No opposed. LaDonna Allen motioned to approve the consent agenda. Roger Spencer seconded. All in favor. No opposed.

PUBLIC FORUM

Eileen Hines wanted to bring to the attention of the Council that the sign for the Senior Center shows the arrows pointing in the wrong direction. She stated that this has caused problems with people trying to find the Senior Center. She stated that the sign points past the police station which has caused confusion for those looking for the Senior Center.

REVIEW DRAFT OF DECEMBER 2018 STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

Steve Laver stated that DNR wants the draft to be put out on public notice. He stated that the public would be notified within the next 10 days and from there it will be adopted. Lawver stated that the reporting is every two years and it is just a couple of pages shorter from the previous ones. This plan will last through 2021 and will be renewed in 2022. Richard Zaccardelli discussed issues with erosion on W Briarbrook Lane. Steve Lawver stated that a work order is needed to fix those issues.

REPORTS

The Council reviewed the Administration report. Steve Lawver stated that there have been many building permits issued. Don Marshall asked if anything had been done with the property on Pennell with the log cabin and storage unit. Steve Lawver confirmed that the property had been purchased by Bittner Properties. There was discussion about the speed limit on Karen Dr. Richard Zaccardelli stated that he had received complaints that the speed is set too high. Zaccardelli expressed concern that Marie Lane has considerable damage due to the nearby sub-division that is being constructed.

Public Works report –Nothing to add
Police Dept. report –Nothing to add
Building Insp –Nothing to add.
Court report - Nothing to add.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Budget/Finance: Mike Burns nothing to add

Code/ Nuisance: Randy Hutcheson- nothing to report.

Human Resources: Roger Spencer nothing to report.

Public Facilities & Planning: LaDonna Allen stated that the committee met prior to the Council meeting this evening. She stated that bids will be coming in for construction on the Veteran's Memorial. They are also looking at relocating Frank Dean and they will be looking at what will be the most cost effective. Allen stated that the library has had an amazing response with the public she expressed her gratitude for all of the donations and support received.

Senior Citizens-Richard Zaccardelli stated that lots of activities have been scheduled with the senior center for the month of July.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Richard Zaccardelli discussed the water collection area and how it fills up faster since putting in Cody John Way in our County Club Estates Park.

Mike Burns discussed that two letters that were written to the editor of the Carl Junction Citizen regarding the added .50 cent postage charge. Burns wanted to try to get the information to the citizens that we did not add an extra charge but itemized a charge that was already in place there was discussion on the best way to reach the public regarding this issue.

Randy Hutcheson asked if there were any plans to pave Joplin Street. Steve Lawver stated that the money that was originally planned for the paving was spent for the tornado recovery. Because Carl Junction does not have a use tax, the funds had to be taken from transportation.

NEW BUSINESS

LaDonna Allen requested an update to the website at the same time that the draft is published.

Richard Zaccardelli stated that the City of Parsons in Kansas has implemented a new Ordinance to keep people from throwing their grass down the storm drain.

Steve Lawver stated there is a company looking to build a new cell tower outside of city limits. He stated an access easement has been requested from the City to access that property. An internet company is going to be contacting the chief next week to fly a drone to look at possibly putting up an antenna on our PD tower.

ADJOURNMENT

LaDonna Allen motioned to adjourn the meeting. Mark Satterlee seconded. All in favor. No opposed. Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.


CITY CLERK


MAYOR