

CITY OF SEDAN
MINUTES OF MARCH 19, 2024

The Sedan City Council met for the council's regularly scheduled meeting on March 19, 2024, beginning at 5:30 PM, with Mayor Bryan Blankinship presiding. Council members present: Janice Fine, Kathy Miller, Sharon Payne, Adam Clark, and Angela Evans. Employees present: Lana Robinson, Jim Miller, Raven Darnall, and Nancy Crawford. Citizens present: Wellington Butler, Esquiu Avalos, and Breanna Avalos.

Mayor Bryan Blankinship called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM.

Adam Clark made a motion to approve the agenda. Sharon Payne seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Janice Fine made a motion to approve the minutes from the regular meeting held on March 5th, 2024. Sharon Payne seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Angela Evans made a motion to approve the payment of the bills in the amount of \$50,914.35; Kathy Miller seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Public Comments -- N/A

Staff Comments-

- o Raven Darnall gave February Month End budget report.
- o Jim Miller went to the PWWSD #20 meeting representing the city. PWWSD #20 are going to be extending the dock to push out the pump station more in case the water levels get lower they will be able to supply the city. KDOT Cost Share Grant was cut from \$1,000,000.00 to \$500,000 which meant the mapping for repairs needed to be cut in half. A discussion was held with the council and staff. It was agreed to put in the repairs for S. Montgomery, N. Hooper, N. Montgomery and S. School between Main St. and Elm.
- o Lana Robinson gave an update on grants she will be working on. One is for new docks at both lakes. A Grant for the swimming pool and walking trails.

Council Comments-

- o Mayor Bryan Blankinship approved for Jim to purchase mower parts for mowing season and approved uniforms for new officer.

City Certificate of Deposit (CD)-

- o Nancy gave a rundown of the money market and CD's.
- o Adam Clark wants to put money into CD's and the money market using the Appleby funds. He would like to put \$100,000.00 from the Fire Department, \$150,000.00 from the sidewalk

fund, and \$250,000.00 from the improvement's funds into the money market at Elevate Bank. He would like to put the rest into a CD at Elevate Bank.

Adam Clark made a motion to transfer \$500,000.00 of the Appleby funds into the money market at Elevate bank and the rest of the funds from the Appleby account into a CD in Elevate Bank. Angela Evans seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Warded SFY 2026 CCLIP-PR Project-

- o KDOT will be working on the corner on main street with the blinking light.

Account #585 sewer reduction and payment plan-

Kathy Miller made a motion to approve a payment plan of \$127.14 for three months and sewer reduction of \$159.00. Adam Clark seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Foundation Repair to Shop Flooring-

- o Jim Miller advised the council that the foundation of the main shop will need to be repaired. An updated quote was requested by the council.
- o Adam Clark asked if the Applebee funds can be used for the repairs to the foundation. Lana Robinson will get that information from the attorney.
- o Tabled for next meeting.

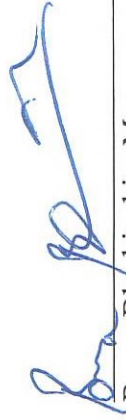
Guest Tax for Southeast Kansas Living Magazine Ad Request-

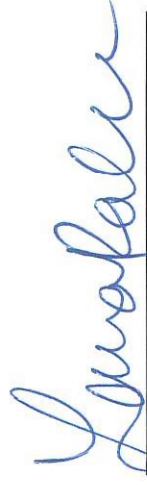
- o SADEC is requesting funds from the Tourist tax to place an ad about the city in Southeast Kansas Living Magazine and Facebook.

Janice Fine made a motion to approve payment to SADEC for \$237.50 for the Southeast Kansas Living Magazine Ad from the tourist tax. Sharon Payne seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Jim Miller also advised the sand truck will be getting back with completed repairs.

At 6:20PM, Adam Clark made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Sharon Payne seconded the motion. Motion carried and the meeting adjourned.


Bryan Blankinship, Mayor


Lana Robinson, City Clerk