

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
 Beardstown, Illinois

April 6, 2021

Roll Call The City Council of the City of Beardstown, Cass County, Illinois, met in regular session Tuesday, April 6, 2021 at Beardstown City Hall, 105 West Third Street at 6:42 p.m. At the above time and place, the following members were present: Mayor Leslie Harris, City Clerk Brian Ruch, Alderpersons Gabe Seward, Robert Burget, Ron Culves, Mary Davis, Tim Harris, Keith Schramm, Lisa Buhlig and Sally Lael. Absent: none. There being a quorum present, the meeting was called to order.

Public Comment There were no public comments.

Minutes Approved Motion by Burget, seconded by Lael "That the reading of the minutes of the meeting held March 16, 2021 be dispensed with, that the minutes be approved as published." passed unanimously by voice vote.

Consent Agenda Filed Motion by Seward, seconded by Davis "That the Consent Agenda be approved." passed unanimously by roll call vote under the Omnibus Vote Designation.

<u>Water Superintendent Report</u>	<u>March 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April 30</u>
Gallons Pumped	28,718,664	302,893,715

<u>Police Chief's Report</u>	<u>March 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April 30</u>
Calls Answered	784	7,838
Criminal Arrests	33	216
Traffic Arrests	25	423
Traffic Stops	70	882
Warrants Served	15	127
City Ordinance Citations	0	3
Criminal Damage Reports	4	69
Thefts, Felony	5	52
Thefts, Misdemeanor	2	70
Burglaries	2	26
Batteries	7	46
Disorderly Conduct	3	7
Accidents	15	158

<u>Fire Chief's Report</u>	<u>March 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April 30</u>
City Fires	9	81
Rural Fires	5	27
Mutual Aid	0	6
Rescue Calls	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
Total	14	117

Code Enforcement Report- February & March 2021
Attached to Minutes

Zoning Officer Report- February & March 2021
Attached to minutes

Disbursements for the period ending April 6, 2021.

Purchase-
Camera for
Police Vehicle

Motion by Lael, seconded by Burget "That the purchase of an in-car camera in the amount of \$5,594.00 from Watch Guard Video for the Police Department be approved." passed by 8-0 roll call vote. Yea: Buhlig, Burget, Culves, Davis, Harris, Lael, Schramm and Seward. No: none. Absent: none.

Street Corners-
Cass County
Mental Health
New Hope

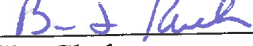
Motion by Seward, seconded by Davis "That the request from the Cass County Mental Health New Hope to solicit on the street corners on Friday, May 14, 2021 be approved." passed by 8-0 roll call vote. Yea: Buhlig, Burget, Culves, Davis, Harris, Lael, Schramm and Seward. No: none. Absent: none.

Mayor Harris informed she signed a Proclamation for the Exchange Club recognizing April as Child Abuse Month.

Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 6:46 P.M. on the motion of Davis, seconded by Lael.

Submitted by


City Clerk