

CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
 Beardstown, Illinois

March 16, 2021

**Roll Call** The City Council of the City of Beardstown, Cass County, Illinois met in regular session Tuesday, March 16, 2021 at the Beardstown City Hall, 105 West Third Street at 6:31 P.M. At the above time and place, the following members were present: Mayor Leslie A Harris, City Clerk Brian Ruch, Alderpersons: Lisa Buhlig, Ron Culves, Gabe Seward, Tim Harris, Robert Burget, Keith Schramm, Mary Davis 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 2, 2021 be dispensed with, that the minutes be approved as published.” passed unanimously by voice vote.

**Consent Agenda Filed** Motion by Davis, seconded by Seward “That the routine reports of the Consent Agenda be approved and filed.” passed unanimously by roll call vote under the Omnibus Vote Designation.

<u>City Clerk’s Report</u>	<u>February 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April</u>
Cash Receipts	\$ 615,455.90	\$10,017,615.16
Cash Disbursements	\$ 753,366.19	\$ 9,327,999.12

<u>City Treasurer’s Report</u>	<u>February 2021</u>
Combined Checking:	
General Fund	\$ 757,126.74
Special Revenue Funds	\$3,125,320.09
Bond Sinking Funds	\$ 680,793.92
Water Increment Fund	\$ 211,990.98
Adequate Assurance Fund	\$ 98,800.00
Harbor Development Fund	\$ 277,065.43

<u>Overtime &amp; Part-Time Pay for February 2021</u>	
Ambulance Department	\$ 14,265.58
Police Department	12,219.03
Fire Department	6,647.24
Public Works/Cemetery Department	2,527.75

<u>Ambulance Report-Beardstown</u>	<u>February 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April 30</u>
Total Calls	39	n/a
Total Charges	\$50,127.60	\$551,261.00
Total Collections	\$26,138.93	\$239,019.74
County Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$224,119.38
Total Write-off	\$32,813.43	\$326,626.23

<u>Ambulance Report-Virginia</u>	<u>February 2021</u>	<u>May 1-April 30</u>
Total Calls	13	n/a
Total Charges	\$ 19,556.40	\$253,692.40
Total Collections	\$ 7,451.13	\$120,784.58
County Taxes	\$ 0.00	\$206,879.42
Total Write-off	\$ 15,141.35	\$146,479.94

Disbursements for the period ending March 16, 2021.

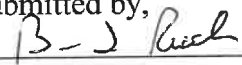
Exmark Zero  
Turn Mower-  
Public Works  
Department

Motion by Burget, seconded by Schramm “That the purchase of an Exmark Lazer Z S-Series Zero Turn Mower in the amount of \$10,639.00 from Herter Sales and Services for the Public Works Department 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 there will be a Recycling Drive at the Beardstown Plaza this Saturday from 9:00am-12:00pm. Chamber of Commerce and Connect will be having an Easter Egg Hunt in the Downtown City Parks on Saturday, April 3, 2021.

Alderwoman Buhlig thanked the National Guard for their help during the food basket distribution held at the school. Alderman Seward thanked Public Works Director Gary Hamilton and the Public Works Department for the recent maintenance on the City alleys.

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 6:35P.M. on the motion of Davis, seconded by Harris.

Submitted by,  
  
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City Clerk