LONGVILLE CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES – UNAPPROVED Wednesday, May 17, 2017

Mayor Jocko Kline called the Regular Scheduled Meeting of the month to order on: Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at 4:00 pm

Pledge of Allegiance

PRESENT: Mayor; Jocko Kline, Council Members; Nathan Tabaka, Neil Tobiason and Jim Workman. City Clerk/Treasurer; Christina Herheim. Deputy City Clerk; Dianne Larson. Employees; Sara Putnam, Nancy Raines and Jesse Osburnsen. Citizens: Steve Shallbetter, County Administrator: Joshua Stevenson; Doug Sandstrom, Colleen Moravek, Bryan Welk (Cass County Sherriff's office).

ABSENT: Darlene Petterson

- 1. M/S/P: Tabaka/Workman to adopt agenda for May 17, 2017
- 2. M/S/P: Workman/Tabaka to approve Regular City Council Meeting Minutes of April 19, 2017.
- 3. New Business:
 - a. M/S/P: Workman/Tabaka to accept Variance application from Longville Area Food Shelf to pave driveway (approval recommended by Planning and Zoning Committee).
- 4. Licenses and Permits:
 - a. M/S/P: Tabaka/Workman to approve Lakes & Pines Deer Hunters Gambling Permit for Spring Raffle waive fee, no waiting period.
 - b. M/S/P: Workman/Tobiason to approve renewal of Liquor Licenses for (Tabaka abstained):
 - i. Patrick's Fine Dining
 - ii. Jerry's One Stop
 - iii. Tabaka's
 - c. M/S/P: Tabaka/Tobiason to approved temporary liquor permits at Stuart Pavilion for:
 - i. Melissa Week 6/11/17
 - ii. Christina Herheim 6/16/17
 - iii. Scott Johnson 6/17/17
 - iv. Inguadona Lake Association Leroy Bertsch 8/19/17
- 5. Old Business: Scrap pile at Franky's must be cleaned up. Agreed by council that the City Clerk/Treasurer will send a letter to the party to address the issue.
- 6. Citizens addressing the council:
 - a. Doug Sandstrom School Forest. Presented proposal to the city council for a 4 acre proposed lease site. City Council is considering the proposal, and requested additional information.
 - b. Josh Stevenson, County Administrator. Presented Cass County Resolution No. 19-17 to move Longville Ambulance Building to the new Longville Highway Department building in 2018.
 M/S/P: Tabaka/Workman to approve moving the Longville Ambulance Building to the new Highway Department building in 2018.

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- 7. Engineer's report: None
- 8. Commissioner's Reports:
 - a. Kline
 - i. Police
 - 1. Officer Welk: everything is going well, no issues.
 - 2. Officers are in Longville during closing time of Bottle Shop and Docksider for protection of employees closing up these establishments.
 - 3. Additional officers will be assigned to patrol during summer events, holidays, etc.
 - ii. Liquor
 - 1. Docksider: Putnam:
 - a. Sales are up 9.5%
 - b. Extra staff have been hired for busy summer season.
 - c. MN Dept Health Inspection on 5/2. Provide hand sink in Merry Chef Oven area. Replace walk-in cooler with NSF approved cooler.
 - d. AC units up and running and working well.
 - e. Getting an estimate for complete remodel of Docksider to present for next year's budget.
 - 2. LLBS: Raines:
 - a. Provided written report by Sam Kohn of MMBA Conference
 - b. New storage building in place for storage of supplies/equipment. No liquor is stored in the shed.
 - c. No new hires for the summer. Working with the staff they have.
 - d. Sales were down last month.
 - e. M/S/P: Workman/Tabaka to approve ordering of poly box trucks and cart for transport of product.

b. Petterson

- i. Library: No report
- ii. Ballfield: Osburnsen: ballfield is up and running. Thatched, bagged, fertilized, mowed, ball games have started.
- iii. Tennis/Park: Osburnsen: Replaced stairs on playground equipment, under warranty. Ordered basketball hoops.
- c. Tobiason
 - i. Airport; reported by Shallbetter
 - 1. **Fuel on hand** Approximately 4074 gallons on hand. Price is \$3.60/gallon.
 - 2. <u>Maintenance</u> Fuel System WiFi repeater and cable has been ordered
 - 3. **Zero Turn Mower** Osburnsen reported John Deer mower blew a front tire, and replacement has been ordered.
 - 4. <u>Snow Plow</u> Osburnsen reported that the snow plow is in desparate need of repairs, and has priced 2 repair options:
 - a. Use of front end loader Skid Steer plate: \$7,500
 - b. 3 point front hitch with accumulator, weights, HD arm/torsion tube kit and pushbar support \$23,904
 - S.E.H. was contacted and advised there are 2 possibilities for grant money:
 - a. State funding 70% state/30% local. Would hopefully be received with the next t20 months. No guarantee.

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- b. Federal funding in 2018 could be pursued. We could purchase a plow in Oct or Nov of 2017, and be reimbursed in July of 2018 when grant comes through. To qualify, must be Buy American Steel requirement. Grant would be 90% FAA/ 5% state/ 5% Longville.
- 5. **Obstructions** No new information. Will be talking with S.E.H. this week.
- 6. <u>Hangar Issue</u> Pilot reported having problems with his hanger since the ramp was repaved. Frost heave this year was a major issue. Contacting S.E.H. to see what can be done.
- d. Tabaka
 - i. Sewer: no problems.
 - ii. Osburnsen: All is good. Mapping is being put together.
- e. Workman
 - i. Streets: Osburnsen looking to contract with a new company for street sweeping. County did come through Main Street once.
 - ii. Cemetary: Osburnsen: Working on clean-up
- 9. Clerk's Report
 - a. No report
- 10. Employee relations
 - a. M/S/P: Tobiason/Tabaka to approve part-time seasonal hire of Docksider employee: Timothy McCuskey
 - b. M/S/P: Workman/Tobiason to approve part-time seasonal hire of City Maintenance employee: David Klosner
- 11. Moved into closed meeting at 5:00 pm to discuss letter of reprimand. Meeting reopened at 5:10 pm. M/S/P: Tabaka/Tobiason to grant permission to deliver letter of reprimand.
- 12. Administration and Financial
 - a. M/S/P: Tabaka/Workman to approve Payroll, Payroll liabilities and claims from check # 66599-66676 in the amount of \$193,070.49 Debit Card amount of \$446.65 totaling \$193,517.64.

M/S/P: Tabaka/Workman to adjourn meeting at 5:16 pm

	Christina Herheim City Clerk/Treasurer
Jocko Kline	
Mayor	

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