

CITY OF STAPLETON
COUNCIL MEETING
January 12, 2023

Lisa M. Cranford, Mayor
Kimberly Poss, City Clerk
Chris Dube, City Attorney
Gail Berry
Robert Hoffman
Larry Holley
Brandon Mumford

Council Present:
Janis Holley
Jason Irby
John Legander III
Christopher Whipple

Council Absent:
Willie Moss

Mayor Lisa Cranford called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and rendered the invocation.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Mayor Cranford called for a motion to approve the minutes of the December 8, 2022, regular meeting. Motion made by Jason Irby, second by John Legander III, to approve the minutes of the meeting. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

1. Open Sealed Bids for Trucks

Mayor Lisa Cranford opened all sealed bids.

1989 Toyota Supra Truck bids:

Jacob Irby \$525.00
Angela Collins \$555.00
Garrett Grant \$1,100.00
Thomas Green 500.00
Charles Beasley \$400.00
Corey Collins \$1,212.00

1991 GMC Sierra C2500 bids:

Cody Williams \$510.00
Brandon Mumford \$1,000.00
Thomas Green \$800.00
Warren Pittman \$610.00
Charles Beasley \$355.00

Motion made by Jason Irby and seconded by Janis Holley to accept the highest bid of \$1,212.00 by Corey Collins for the 1989 Toyota Truck. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

Motion made by John Legander III and seconded by Janis Holley to accept the highest bid of \$1,000.00 by Brandon Mumford for the 1991 GMC Sierra Truck. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

2. Election of Mayor Pro-Tem:

Motion made by Chris Whipple and seconded by John Legander III to elect Jason Irby as Mayor Pro-Tem. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

3. Dates for Officials Pay

Motion made by Chris Whipple, seconded by John Legander III, to pay the council twice a year (June & December). The vote was unanimous.

4. LMIG Project Update

City Clerk, Kimberly Poss, presented to the council that the 2022 LMIG project had been completed and paid. The 2023 LMIG project application has been approved for funding.

5. Purchase of Firehoses

Motion was made by Janis Holley and seconded by Chris Whipple to purchase ten (10) fire hoses from Fireline at \$1,720.00 with SPLOST funding. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

6. Replacing Playground Mulch

Council members discussed replacing the rubber mulch that is at the playground. The clerk was instructed to obtain quotes for 50 yards and 25 yards of rubber mulch for presentation at the next meeting.

7. Martha Ann Usry updates for Car Sale, Gun Sale, Water Tank and Clean up at gym

Ms. Usry was not present at the meeting. No discussion at this time.

A motion was made by Jason Irby and seconded by Chris Whipple to enter into executive session for Personnel. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

A motion was made by Jason Irby and seconded by Janis Holley to exit out of executive session for Personnel. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

A motion was made by Chris Whipple and seconded by Jason Irby to approve the pay raise of Brandon Brown to \$19.50 per hour. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

A motion was made by Chris Whipple and seconded John Legander III to approve the pay raise of Shane Barrow to \$20.50 per hour. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

A motion was made by Chris Whipple and seconded by Janis Holley to approve the pay raise of Robert Hoffman to \$27.00 per hour. Everyone voted in favor of the motion.

CITIZEN COMMENTS: There were no citizen comments.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, motion made by Jason Irby, seconded by Chris Whipple to adjourn the meeting. The vote was unanimous, and the meeting closed in order at 6:40 p.m.

Kimberly Poss, Clerk