CITY OF SEDAN SPECIAL MINUTES OF JUNE 26th, 2024

A Special Meeting of the Sedan City Council was called to order on June 26th, 2024, at 5:30 PM, with Mayor Bryan Blankinship presiding. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the Hollow Park restoration of the walkway. Council members present: Sharon Payne, Adam Clark, Angela Evans, Janice Fine and Kathy Miller. Employees present: Lana Robinson, Nancy Crawford and Chief Richardson. Citizens present: Wellington Butler, Jack Warren, Darrel Blankinship, Bill McGuire, Leslie McGuire, Mark Davis, Ralene Davis, Diana Clanton, Jan Uhls, Michelle Williams, Sarah Wilkinson, Kelsy Loyd, Trish Roudybush, Sue Allen, Linda Beber, Teresa Thompson, and Allton Coate.

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

Discussion was had between the council and the public about the Hollow Park walkway restoration. There were several questions about the ADA compliancy of the walkway and if the city needed to comply. Kathy Miller reached out to the Kansas League of Municipalities and spoke with a lawyer and the lawyer advised it did not apply to this case. Community members were upset due to the work being stopped on city property due to there not being prior approval by the city council to start the work. It had been told to the citizen who turned in an agenda request form that there needed to be prior approval for this work, as it was on city property. The police were called out to contact those involved to advise them the work needed to stop as there was not prior approval by the city. Citizens were upset over the police being contacted and spoke to the council regarding their frustrations.

Kathy Miller made a motion to allow Hollow Board to continue with walkway restoration. Janice Fine seconded the motion. Motion carried.

At 6:09 PM, Sharon Payne made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Angela Evans seconded the motion. Motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

Bryan Blankinship, Mayor

Lana Robinson, City Clerk