

City of Bucklin  
August 12, 2019  
City Hall

1. Call to Order  
Mayor Fisher called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.  
Council Present: Cody Warden, Brian Bostelmann, Clay Sellard. Absent: Shane Jones and Luke Knowles, City Staff present: Clerk Rikki Hager, City Maintenance Bud Green. Citizens Present: Charlene Kirkpatrick.
2. Consent Agenda-
  - A. Approval of the minutes from July 22, 2019 Council meeting.  
Warden motioned to approve the consent agenda. Sellard seconded. Motion carried 3/0.
3. Purchase requests and Items needing Council Action
  - A. Public Hearing-2020 Annual Budget. Mayor Fisher called the advertised public hearing for the 2020 annual budget to order at 6:50 pm. With no comments, Fisher closed the hearing 6:55 pm.  
Warden motioned to approve the 2020 Budget as presented. Sellard seconded. Motion carried 3/0.
  - B. Charlene Kirkpatrick-Asked for money to pay someone to water flowers. Mayor advised the city can only give support for supplies.
  - C. Dog Ordinance-Council is not going to make changes to ordinance, it is no longer on the table for discussion. PIT BULLS ARE NOT PERMITTED IN CITY LIMITS. TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED.
4. Committee Reports
  - A. Library Board- No reports.
5. Department Head Reports
  - A. Public Works- Green stated ran into issues with street sealing. Wasn't enough rock purchased to finish Nebraska. Last 3 loads weren't cleaned enough to make it through spreader. Warden and Bostelmann has looked at and agree that it's not clean. Sellard advised Randall said he would 3 loads next year without cost. Minneola was here and oil truck wouldn't heat. Summer help is gone after 8/13. Green gave quote for transmission on GMC pickup from G&G, \$3,050.00. Sellard motioned to fix the GMC, through Bucklin Automotive not to exceed \$4000.00. Bostelmann seconded. Motion carried 3/0. Cameras will be worked on next week.
  - B. Code Enforcement- No report.
  - C. Court/Police- No report.
  - D. Fire Department- No report.
  - E. City Clerk- Been working on conversion of utility billing. Badger Beacon put off working on the file for 3 weeks and finally last Monday 8/5 new person started working the file. PSN also started working their files and hope to have all up and running by end of August normally.
6. Executive Session: Sellard made a motion to go into executive session for non-elected personal, not to exceed 15 min @ 7:56pm. Warden seconded. Motion carried 3/0.  
Council returned to open session at 8:11 pm. No action was taken in executive session.  
Sellard motioned to give Mark Green a one time pay adjustment of \$150.00. Warden seconded. Motion carried 3/0.  
Sellard motioned to give Mark Green a pay increase of \$0.50 effective today. Warden seconded. Motion carried 3/0.  
Sellard motioned to make Mark Green the interim City Superintendent of the City of Bucklin. Warden seconded. Motion carried 3/0.  
Sellard would like to run in all outlets and ad for a full-time city maintenance person.
7. Adjournment – Warden made a motion to adjourn at 8:15pm. Bostelmann seconded. Motion carried 3/0.  
Adjourn at 8:15 PM.

ATTEST:

/s/ Rikki M. Hager

Rikki M. Hager, City Clerk

/s/ Michael R. Fisher

Michael R. Fisher, Mayor  
(SEAL)