

City of Bucklin
July 13, 2020
City Hall

1. Call to Order

Mayor Sellard called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Council Present: Kirk Esplund, Brian Bostelmann, Cody Warden, and Kraig Lindsay. City Staff present: Clerk Rikki Hager, City Supervisor Ricky Konrade. Also Present: Blanca Soto-Census, Ernestor De La Rosa-City of Dodge City, and Mollea Wainscott-DC/FOCO Economic Development.

2. Consent Agenda-

A. Approval of the minutes from June 22, 2020 Council meeting.

B. Approval of the minutes from July 8, 2020 Budget Workshop.

C. Approval of Appropriations Ord. No. 20-06-26 for \$11,863.16.

D. Approval of Appropriations Ord. No. 20-07-13 for \$17,583.56.

Moved to July 27, 2020 Agenda. Not approved at this meeting.

3. Items of Business

A. Library Board Members-Sellard said the members that live outside of city limits for this term and this term only. Bostelmann/Esplund appoint Kevin Halling. Motion carried 4/0.

B. Ernestor De La Rosa-from City of Dodge City-Census-52.4% is Bucklin's completion rate. Extended until 10/31.

C. Rolloffs at pool-figure out fine/commercial dumping.

D. Shop teacher project-Sellard approved within limit for materials to teacher.

E. Sidewalk-Deweese-Paul ripped up sidewalk that was pretty non-existent, was going to plant to grass. Wasn't aware there was an ordinance on sidewalks. Will come in and get the permit and Mayor will review with City Attorney what needs done based on ordinance.

F. Library Budget-made librarian aware of shortfalls.

G. Christmas Lights- have some support funds for purchasing lights to go down Main Street. Will get updated quote from vendor for next meeting.

H. Code Enforcement Inspector-look into hiring Vickie Williamson. Vickie is asking for \$20.00/hour, plus mileage and to use city vehicle during inspection time. Looking at having her do entire process.

4. Department Head Reports

Konrade start sealing next week. Asked what council wanted sealed. Finish south Main and start other streets. Water is ok. Sewer Ponds are way down. Sweepers been running. Curbs and hydrants are all painted through town. Weeds are sprayed in road. Mosquitos have been sprayed twice now. Will start with 2x a week. Will finish holes from leaks with concrete.

Sellard will look into the water rates. Sellard said that they were still working on sidewalk projects. KDOT has cost share 85/15 on project. Mollea is looking into the Grant.

Sellard had a meeting at Ford City Hall for Spark funding/CARES Act. There is a county appointed committee, encouraging every town in the county to get a share of the money. Come up with anything that will help us to help with COVID, drive-thrus, special HVAC, new city hall buildings, software improvements to help, allowing people to work from home, different programs, get ideas, get bids, will lobby for it. Ford County is getting over 11 million. DC 3-4 Mill. 100% transparent. July 28 have idea for costs, over shoot by 10% July 29 for commission.

5. Executive Session Esplund made a motion to go into executive session to discuss issues pertaining to non-elected personnel to protect privacy issues, not to exceed 20 minutes at 9:10 pm. Bostelmann seconded. Motion carried 4/0.

Returned from executive session at 9:30 pm, no action was taken in executive session.

6. Adjournment – Warden made a motion to adjourn. Lindsay seconded. Motion carried 4/0.

Adjourn at 9:30 PM.

ATTEST:

/s/ Rikki M. Hager

Rikki M. Hager, City Clerk

/s/ Clay Sellard

Clay Sellard, Mayor
(SEAL)