HULL CITY COUNCIL

City of Hull

Proceedings of

September 13, 2021

Mayor Moss called the meeting to order at 5:01 pm. In attendance were Councilpersons Kyle Te Slaa, Les Van Roekel, Eric Rankin, and Kim Wielenga. Also present were Jim Collins, Denise Keizer, Brent Kleinwolterink, Zoe Curiel, Gordon Egdorf, Trenton Kaufman, Dwayne Bonestroo, Yanelly Rubio, April Van Der Brink, Paulina Alvarado, Brynn Van Voorst, Kohen Rankin, Andrea Pena, Amy Kelley, Maryann Bleeker, Jan Wissink, and Doyle Wissink.

A motion was made by Wielenga and supported by Van Roekel to approve the agenda. Motion carried 4-0.

A motion was made by Te Slaa and supported by Rankin to approve the consent agenda which consisted of the minutes of August 23, 2021, August Financials, September claims report #1 and the Outstanding Debt Report for State Treasurer. Motion carried 4-0.

Discussion was held regarding the traffic signal analysis. A motion was made by Te Slaa and Supported by Rankin to move forward with the traffic study at both intersections, Main Street and Division Street. Motion carried 4-0.

Discussion was held regarding the storm water drainage issue. Wissink and Bleeker addressed the council with questions and concerns regarding retention ponds. It was noted the Streets & Storm Sewer Committee will meet with Jim to discuss this issue.

It was noted the Rolling Hills Golf Course will be taking over the winter basketball tournament.

Discussion was held regarding vicious dogs in the city limits.

Discussion was held regarding the Hull Chamber 2022 payment. Van Roekel will request additional information from the Chamber President. The 2022 payment amount will be discussed at the October 11th meeting.

Emerick joined the meeting at 5:52 pm.

Public Correspondence – Kohen Rankin addressed the council regarding his Eagle Scout Project. A motion was made by Van Roekel and supported by Te Slaa to approve the Gaga Ball Project for Eastside Park, along with $700 and sand for the project. Motion carried 4-0, Rankin abstained from the vote.

Administrator’s Report – Collins noted building permits were given to RG Building, LLC, and Dirk De Koning. Collins updated the council regarding Maple Heights, Liberty Heights, Walnut Heights, and Commerce Center inquiries. Collins noted he spoke with Doug Julius, County Engineer regarding storm water control. Discussion was held on the cost of RIDES available to elderly or sick people in Hull. It was noted several churches are organizing their own rides. Collins and Mayor Moss met with Debi Durham regarding the State American Recovery Act Plan Funds. It was noted the City Clerk job has been posted. Collins and Mayor Moss attended the Northwest Iowa Developers Stakeholder Meeting. Collins met with County Supervisor Carl Vande Weerd regarding the County’s ARPA dollars. Collins noted a dog complaint from Deputy De Kam. Westside Park Shelters are complete. The city continues to work with lawn nuisance issues.

Finance – no report.

Streets & Storm Sewer – will be meeting this month.

Building, Equipment, & Grounds – no report.

Parks, Pool, Recreation – no report.

Public Safety Committee -- no report

City Utilities – water restriction is still on for the City of Hull

Economic Development – In Administrator’s Report.

Other Business – none.

Upcoming Events— The next City Council meeting will be held on September 27th at 5:00 pm. Collins will be attending the Iowa League of Cities Conference on September 15-17. NCC Building D dedication will be held on September 21st at 10 a.m. Northwest Iowa League of Cities meeting will be held on September 23rd.

Adjournment – A motion was made by Te Slaa and supported by Emerick to adjourn the meeting at 6:40 p.m. Motion carried 5-0.

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