**Wheaton City Council**

**June 7, 2023**

**Minutes**

Wheaton City Council met in regular session on June 7, 2023. Members present were Brandon Shockley, Casey Prewitt, Jon Brattin, Jeremy Martell via phone, and Mayor David Shockley. Others present were Chief Clint Danforth, Abby Wilson, JoGina Park, David Greek, and Josh Kinnaman.

Mayor David Shockley called the regular meeting to order at 6:01pm.

There was no one present for Public Comment.

Brandon Shockley made a motion to approve the May council meeting minutes. Seconded by Jon Brattin. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Casey Prewitt made a motion to approve the May bills. Seconded by Brandon Shockley. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Casey Prewitt made a motion to table the Employee Handbook until the July meeting. Seconded by Jon Brattin. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Sealed bids for the City’s Trash Service were opened by the council members.

Casey Prewitt made a motion to accept the Trash Service bid from Stanphill Sanitation, which is to continue Trash Service with Stanphill Sanitation for the next five (5) years with no changes made to the current contract. Seconded by Jeremy Martell. Motion passed with a 4-0 vote.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Josh Kinnaman received a bid for the repair of the sidewalk off Hurlbut St down to the corner of Reasor/Carnes from Michael Roppolo.

Jon Brattin made a motion to accept the bid from Michael Roppolo for up to $10,000.00 to repair the sidewalk. Seconded by Brandon Shockley. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Josh Kinnaman received a bid for the restriping of parking lines, handicap parking lines, and the crosswalks along Main St from Ron’s Sealing & Striping.

Brandon Shockley made a motion to accept the bid from Ron’s Sealing & Striping. Seconded by Casey Prewitt. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Received a suggestion from a community member that toddler playground equipment is needed in the City Park. Josh Kinnaman stated that we do already have a baby swing and he will get that put up with the other swings in the City Park.

David Shockley has asked the council about donating toward the Fire Department’s Freedom Jam and Wheaton BBQ.

Casey Prewitt made a motion to donate $500 to each of these events. Seconded by Jon Brattin. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Discussed taking bids for the red truck and tractor that are no longer needed. JoGina Park will place an ad in the paper to start receiving those.

The City court closed 18 cases in May. 12 people appeared in City Court on June 6.

In May, the City Police Department responded to 44 calls, had 18 traffic stops, 1 arrest, and gave 2 ordinance violations.

Chief Danforth discussed items he has applied for through the LESO program. Will wait for confirmation on those items.

Casey Prewitt made a motion to go into closes session. Seconded by Jeremy Martell. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Casey Prewitt made a motion to come out of closed session. Seconded by Brandon Shockley. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

Brandon Shockley made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Jeremy Martell. Motion passed with a vote of 4-0.

Jon Brattin-yes Casey Prewitt-yes

Brandon Shockley-yes Jeremy Martell-yes

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