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City Attorney
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City Engineer
Robert T. Trautwein

Monthly City Meeting
Monday, February 15, 2021

Mayor Bryan Coomer began the meeting at 7:00 p.m. via ZOOM, as advertised on the Barbourmeade website. The following commissioners and officials were present: Mayor Bryan Coomer, David Westerman, Robert Longshore, Dan Streit, City Attorney Stan Chauvin and City Clerk Brian Davis.

Others Present:
Leigh Tatum

MEETING MINUTES

The minutes from the January 25, 2021 meeting were considered for approval. Commissioner Longshore made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Streit seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.

TREASURER'S REPORT

City Treasurer Chris Russell was not in attendance, but the treasurer's report was provided to the commissioners before the meeting began. Commissioner Westerman made a motion to approve the report as submitted. Commissioner Longshore seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.

WARRANTS – BILLS FOR PAYMENT

City Clerk Brian Davis presented the warrants for February 2021 (Warrant 2-01 through 2-05). City Treasurer Chris Russell joined the meeting and added Warrant 02-06 to Eagle Sign for sign replacement and reinstallation in the amount of \$429.05. Commissioner Longshore added a request to Compton's Lawn & Landscaping in the amount of \$5,300.00 for snow removal/salting (Warrant 02-07). Commissioner Streit made a motion to approve the warrants as revised. Commissioner Longshore seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 4-0.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Leigh Tatum, 7819 Pine Ridge Road, stated she is here observing and has questions regarding some of the city business. She will direct some questions to City Attorney Stan Chauvin after she has had a chance to review some materials.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Bryan Coomer had nothing to report other than roads, which will be covered by Commissioner Longshore.

ROADS & MAINTENANCE/ANIMALS

Commissioner Robert Longshore provided a report on the recent weather event and the actions that were taken by Compton's Lawn & Landscaping. He has been checking the streets about every two hours. The entrances to Barbourmeade were plowed today. The roads are passable at slow speeds, but once cars begin traveling more than 20 mph or so then braking at intersections becomes a problem. He will continue to work

with the representatives from Compton's to monitor the storm and get recommendations on what actions to take.

Last week (week of February 8), the company had waiting and when they went to get salt the depots were closed, so that delayed the deployment of salt on the roads. Barbourmeade roads have traditionally been challenging because of the tree coverage near the streets. The trees block sunlight, which keeps temperatures down and prevents the salt from working. As long as temperatures are below 20 degrees it will not make sense to salt the roads.

Commissioner Longshore has tried to respond to all phone calls and emails, and tried to provide updates on the Nextdoor app. He will continue to talk to anyone who reaches out to him.

Commissioner Longshore reported he has received more complaints about the dog at Alpena and Morningview. The dog got past the underground fence. City Attorney Chauvin will contact David Mudd to speak with the owner.

SANITATION

Commissioner David Westerman has not received any complaints.

BEAUTIFICATION

Commissioner Tom Budniak was not in attendance and did not submit a report.

SAFETY & INSURANCE

Commissioner Dan Streit reported 71.5 hours of police patrol the last reporting period.

CITY ENGINEER REPORT

City Engineer Ted Trautwein was not in attendance and did not submit a report.

CITY ATTORNEY REPORT

City Attorney Stan Chauvin stated David Mudd has been selected to be the police chief for the city of Bancroft. Officer Mudd is trying to determine if he can continue to serve in his current capacity. He is also working on several projects, including the dumpster and rental property registrations.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

City Attorney Chauvin stated the Kentucky League of Cities has submitted a sample resolution for changing the calculation for road fund distributions. Resolution 2021-01 was read by City Attorney Chauvin. Motion made by Commissioner Longshore to adopt the resolution as read by City Attorney Chauvin. Second by Streit. The motion approved 4-0.

The next meeting will be on Monday, March 15, 2021.

With no further business to discuss, Commissioner Longshore made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Streit seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting ended at 7:35 p.m.

Bryan Coomer, Mayor

Attest: Brian Davis, City Clerk
