Shambaugh City Council Meeting Minutes MAY 4 2020

Call to order

A tele- conference meeting of Shambaugh City Council Meeting was held at Shambaugh City Hall on **MAY 4 2020**. Attendees included Ron Peterman, Sandra Bilokonsky, Sherry Stuvick, Joe Dow, Kevin Johnson and Karen Miller Mahlon Sorensen, Patty Johnson and Sam Woodruff were not present. Patty had tech issues trying to connect. Lyle Palmer sent report via email. Quorum was present.

Approval of minutes

Motion Sherry Stuvick Second Joe Dow All in favor: yes Motion carried

Reading of Agenda

Motion Sherry Stuvick Second Karen Miller All in favor: yes Motion carried

Reports

On April 19, deputies conducted a traffic stop at 2nd and West Street. Steven Wells arrested for driving while barred, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of marijuana. Steven also received citations for no insurance and registration violation. Time: 20.48

Unfinished business

Joe stated he will get an invoice sent out to the city for the slap work for the maintance building. Bryon Osthoff has begun working on the property. There was no activity from the attorney.

Motion to Bills and Unpaid Bills

Motion Sherry Stuvick Second Joe Dow All in favor: yes Motion carried

Business

Water/Sewer: Sam was not present. Ron stated that during meter reading, people are using more water. Sandra stated that she posted the water quality report online and the note on the water bills per Sam's request. She also stated that Kevin Davis paid his outstanding bill.

Streets: Ron stated that Sam has begun the patching process on the streets and a load of super patch was order that cost around \$2500. Ron stated he and Sam were talking about the oiling of the streets and the road use taxes, funds going into the city accounts. If the city was to oil it would leave our account low, since there is not that funding coming back into the city account due to people not spending. Council discuss, that it would be best to hold off as well until next year on oiling the streets until more funding is in the city's account. Sam and Ron have patch Main and West and when weather permits they will start patching the rest of the streets.

Mayor: Ron stated Landfill meetings have been cancelled due to virus, however the Landfill called for a meeting to discuss issues. Keven asked if they are still taking swell feed, and stated that it is starting to smell really bad. Ron stated that he will discuss that with them.

Clerk: Sandra stated that the Governor would like everyone to go to testiowa.com to access for COVID19. This does not mean you will be tested, this is an assessment. Sandra announced the website for lowa state virus information which is the following: coronavirus.iowa.gov Sandra stated that although our citizens are focused on the numbers locally that since our citizens do travels to go to other locations, that it is important to be aware of those numbers as well. Sandra gave the numbers of new cases as of 5/4/20. On 5/4/20 there were 534 new cases in Iowa. In the surrounding counties the numbers are the following: (9) Page, (4) Nodaway MO, (2) Atchison MO, (1) Taylor, (1) Montgomery, (2) Mills, (49) Pottawattamie, (906) Douglas NE, (148) Sarpy NE Sandra stated that she encourages the citizens of Shambaugh to practice social distancing and guidelines of using masks. Sandra stated that she has reopen the office, however masks and social distancing are required in the office. Sandra stated the Governor's proclamation still requires the playground and the city hall to be closed. However she stated once, things are lifted there is a requirement on how cleaning should be done. Her concerns, is if the people who rent the hall do not follow the cleaning protocols, then the risk falls upon her. She stated she does not feel comfortable with that. Council agree to keep hall closed until the virus is over.

Adjournment

Motion Sherry Stuvick Second Karen Miller All in favor: yes Motion carried