

City of Omaha
Council Meeting
August 1, 2016

William Atchison was sworn in by Mayor Leslie King at 6:05 P.M. August 1, 2016.

The regular monthly council meeting was called to order by Mayor Leslie King. All council members present: William Atchison, Laura King, Lorene Roberts and Orville Lippe
Also present: Dalton Larson/Water Supervisor

Guests: Gabby King

*The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed and discussed. Leslie mentioned Midco. Gina mentioned that she had never heard from them. A motion was made by Laura, seconded by Lorene to accept the minutes. All in favor. Motion carried 4/Ayes. William did not vote because he was not at the previous meeting.

*The financial reports for the city and the water were distributed and discussed. Leslie mentioned repair at daycare for the ac unit, had ants and was the switch. A motion was made Lorene, seconded by Emmett to accept the financial reports for both the city and the water dept. All in favor. Motion carried. 5/Ayes

Leslie mentioned that water dept. Dalton mentioned that everything was going good. Lorene mentioned turning the well off. Dalton mentioned that he had been turning it off and that sometimes he can not because the lightening had already started.

Leslie mentioned the park update. Orville mentioned that he was going to try and finish up the dirt work and filling in mulch. Orville also mentioned the horseshoe pits. Leslie mentioned that the last time he talked to Mike that it was still a go. Leslie also mentioned that the school had given the city another piece of equipment for the park, it has three holes and you shoot a ball in to it, not sure what it is called. Orville mentioned that he would try and work on park tomorrow August 2, 2016. Leslie mentioned that a buddy of his had donated a bbq grill they just had to get it out of the ground. Gina mentioned talking to Mike about another grill, because he is a welder. Orville mentioned having grand opening in two weeks. Gina mentioned that she did not know how long it would take Mike Sprague to come and inspect it. William mentioned waiting until school started because then everyone would be back.

Old Business:

Leslie mentioned meeting with Tim Mays and Cassie Elliott last Tuesday. Cassie mentioned that the money that they are applying for is HUD money too and that the city can only have one grant at a time. Gina mentioned putting off the sidewalk. Lorene mentioned that she agreed because the water was to important. Laura mentioned that she agreed but that she really wanted sidewalk. Leslie mentioned taking the water up into Missouri because there a lot of people and it would help extend the water lines. Dalton mentioned that they were low income. Dalton mentioned that he went down Tower Rd. and took three cussing and that those people did not want the water. Dalton mentioned that the city would pay to put water in. Leslie mentioned that he had taken Tim up to the old well and that he knows how bad it needs repairs. Dalton mentioned that if we got \$2,000,000.00 then it would be possible to put the water in for those people. Lorene mentioned \$2,000,000.00 and the more people the more money.

*Leslie mentioned that we were lucky because the census showed low income here. There was a lengthy discussion. William mentioned that he wants to go with the water. Orville mentioned that the Stacey's will not let the water go across their land. A motion was made by William, seconded Lorene to hold off on the sidewalk until after the water grant is finished. All in favor. Motioned carried. 5/Ayes

Gina mentioned the insurance and that the claim would have to be files under mechanical break down due to a broken impeller. Dalton mentioned that there was no impeller in the motor and that he had talked to Franklin the maker of the motor. Leslie mentioned that Gina had the money to pay SW Boone. Gina mentioned that she did have money but wanted to make sure insurance was going to pay first.

Lorene mentioned the mowing. Gina mentioned that he will be by this week so we can show him where to mow and that he was suppose to do it last weekend but the boss had other plans, so he is going to aim for this weekend. Lorene mowing behind Dixies. Leslie mentioned mowing school house road across from Hazel's where light pole is. Lorene mentioned mowing behind the Mary McCarver place on Pine St. Leslie mentioned that he had told Betty Lenard that the mow was coming and she said ok. Lorene mentioned that it needed to be dozed. Leslie mentioned that Mike Blevins who runs the grater was going to try and do it.

Leslie mentioned fixing Jefferson St. and that Mike would do it and just pay for fuel. Orville mentioned he fixed it twice last month. Leslie mentioned taking \$1,000.00 and \$100.00 for chip and seal and labor. Lorene mentioned that they were out of Green Forest. Leslie mentioned that they were. Laura mentioned that behind Peachy and Johnny, where you go up to Home Town needed to be repaired also. Leslie mentioned that it would be \$4,000.00 for all the repairs. Leslie also mentioned that he had talked to Load N Go and that they had resurfaced the parking lot themselves. Orville mentioned that he had fixed Washington Street but that it would not last. Emmett mentioned talking to Charles because he used to work for quarry.

No further business before the council. A motion was made by Lorene, seconded by Emmett to adjourn the meeting. All in favor. Meeting adjourned. 5/Ayes

Leslie King/Mayor

Gina Dunn/Sec./Treas.
