

City of Omaha  
Council Meeting  
November 9, 2020

The regular monthly meeting was rescheduled for November 9, 2020 due to scheduling conflicts. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Leslie King. Roll call: Laura King, Lorene Roberts, Mike Roberts and William Atchison. Absent: Orville Lippe Also present: Troy Burleson/Police Chief, Chris Jamison/Police Sergeant, Bill Melbourne/Police Officer (sworn in on November 2, 2020) and Dalton Larson/Water Supervisor.

The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed and discussed. Lorene mentioned that the Emmanuel Baptist Church tore down the old house beside them. A motion was made by William, seconded by Mike to accept the minutes. All in favor. Motion carried. 4/Ayes

The financial reports for the city and the water dept. were distributed and discussed. Leslie mentioned that the General Fund was looking good. A motion was made by Lorene, seconded by Mike to accept the financial reports for both the city and the water dept. All in favor. Motion carried. 4/Ayes

#### Old Business:

Leslie mentioned the speed bump price will be \$166.00 times 8 because they are 10 feet in length. Laura mentioned the price was cheaper at the last meeting. Leslie mentioned that they were only 5 foot in length and that the shipping is included. Leslie also mentioned that the only way to get them cheaper is to buy 14 of them or more. Lorene mentioned that was the only way to get them cheaper. Leslie mentioned that yes it was. A motion was made by William, seconded by Laura to get the 10 foot long speed bumps. All in favor. Motion carried. 4/Ayes

Leslie mentioned that the guy has not signed the papers for the title. Laura mentioned taking the trailer back. Lorene mentioned what would happen if he does not sign the papers. Leslie mentioned that he would have to sign for a lost title if he does not sign the papers. Laura mentioned calling him again and does he answer the phone. Leslie mentioned that he does answer. Leslie also mentioned that he would call him again. Lorene mentioned what happened at voting and that they should be told not to touch anything. Bill mentioned that since Eddie retired and that line is only turned on for voting that it had not gotten turned on this time. Gina mentioned that it was on week before voting because she had met election official there to make sure the tablets worked and that she thought NATCO had turned off. Gina also mentioned that a few days after the tablets were checked NATCO called wanting to know if there was anything that needed to be done for voting, Gina mentioned to them that no everything was on and ready to go and then at voting time the internet did not work.

#### Street Update:

No Update at this time. Mike mentioned that cars are blocking the right of way and alley, there is also a trailer there that needs to be moved at the detail shop. Mike mentioned that he had talked to Charles about moving things off the right of way. Laura mentioned the letters being sent out. Gina mentioned that they are to be posted. Troy mentioned calling them once they are posted. Lorene mentioned that there is another trailer in the park, third one down. Lorene mentioned Sumrall, Kathy, Gadelmann, the old truck is the street and on church property. Troy mentioned having the church talk to them and they could have it towed. Laura mentioned sending or posting the letters. Troy mentioned that it would be easier for the church. Lorene mentioned John Chrisman needs to move vehicles one of them does not have an engine. Lorene mentioned getting the parking signs up, set date.

Lorene also mentioned that there is a couch by Rick Gross's old place, it is by the side of the house. Lorene mentioned that Ricky Jones property runs behind there and we need to find out who owns it. Laura mentioned asking permission. Leslie mentioned that community service worker could work something out. Lorene mentioned it being on the right of way. Mike mentioned MacDonlad and it being cleaned it and cleaning up the stump.

Leslie mentioned the Christmas party. December 19, 2020 @ 6  
Dalton brings drinks, Lorene salad and rolls, Laura sweet potatoes casserole, William ham, Chris mashed potatoes, Mike turkey and need dressing, Gina green beans and peach cobbler, cheese cake, apple pie/cobbler, Troy mentioned just letting him know what to bring. \$10.00 present limit, men bring men and women bring women

Mike mentioned getting new chairs for the shelter, he found some at Lowes for \$10.98 a piece. Lengthy discussion. Council mentioned keeping them and putting them back in the shelter.

Police Update:

Troy mentioned that the black and white is clean and pretty and that Mike test drove it. Troy also mentioned that Bill was Sworn In on November 2, 2020. Troy mentioned that he fully recommends him to the council.

Lorene mentioned the dumping by Rick Gross's old place they need to out affidavit, they were both standing there.

Water Update:

Gina mentioned letter was sent to ANRC.

Laura mentioned the office being open. Dalton mentioned that there was nothing going on. Laura mentioned getting thermometer to put at the door. Troy mentioned for them to call and not to take cash. Mike mentioned calling to my appointment. Lorene mentioned if people were coming up to the office. Laura mentioned that she had some people talk to her about the office not being open. Dalton mentioned that if its for him he takes care of it and that Gina takes care of the rest. Laura mentioned that they are not getting the proper customer service. Gina mentioned that she returns all calls and makes arrangements to meet if needed. Lengthy Discussion

No further business before the council. A motion made by William, seconded by Mike to adjourn the meeting. All in favor. Meeting adjourned. 4/Ayes

Leslie King/Mayor

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Gina Dunn/Sec./Treas.

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