

COMMON COUNCIL
COUNCIL CHAMBERS-CITY HALL
MARCH 16, 2010-7:00 P.M.

The Common Council of the City of Kendallville met in regular session Tuesday March 16, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Roll call was answered by Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe, Council member Regan Ford, Council member Larry Davis, Council member Jim Dazey, Attorney Doug Atz, Council member April Waters, and MYAC member Grant Manon. Council member Max Franklin was absent.

Others present were: Dennis Narkter-News Sun, Mike Schultz-WAWK, Ashley Karn, Ashlyn Baldwin, Courtney Conley, Shelby Sutton, Lakota Hatton, Abra Ritchie, Katie Baker, Kayla Bowen, Destiny Forker, Karlee Speelman, Ashley Nichols, Heidi Speelman, Merriette Poyser, Alora Cassiday, Abigail Amstutz, Jasmine Kleeburg, Pam Lash, Marlene Rowe, Pam Polziani, Sue Pomeroy, Robert Spillner, Mafalda Spillner, Cindy Marple, Scott Derby, Jim Goodwin, Rob Wiley, Mike Taulbee, Ryan Alwine, and Mike Riehm.

Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all in attendance.

Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe welcomed Girl Scout Troop 10826 to the council meeting.

Minutes March 2, 2010/Meeting

The minutes of the March 2, 2010 meeting were presented for approval. Council member Jim Dazey made a motion to approve the minutes with a second by Council member Regan Ford. The motion passed 4 ayes-0 nays.

Petitions and Comments

No petitions or comments were heard.

Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe stated that the city has applied for an orchard grant. The grant is for fruit trees and is being provided by a Fruit Tree National Program. We are currently number three (3). We will be receiving a presentation by Jane Roush in about a month. It is a program to get communities to think about a healthier life style.

Mayor

Recognition of Jim Goodwin's years of service

Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe presented Jim Goodwin with a plaque for his 31 years of service to the Kendallville Park Department and the City of Kendallville. We all wish him well in his endeavors and there will be an Open House on April 1, 2010 if anyone would like to stop in and wish Jim well.

“Severe Weather Awareness Week” Proclamation

Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe read the City of Kendallville Proclamation “Severe Weather Awareness Week” proclaiming March 14 through March 20, 2010 as “Severe Weather Awareness Week”.

Humane Society Report

The February 2010 report for the Humane Society of Noble County, Inc. was presented for review.

Aviation Minutes

The minutes of the February 3, 2010 and March 3, 2010 Kendallville Aviation Meetings were presented for review.

Cemetery

The minutes of the March 3, 2010 Cemetery Meeting were presented for review.

Fire

The February 2010 Report for the Kendallville Fire Department was presented for review.

Police

The February 2010 Report for the Kendallville Police Department was presented for review.

Street

The February 2010 Report for the Kendallville Street Department was presented for review.

Old Business

G.O. #1128/Police Department Fees-2nd Reading

Council member Jim Dazey request that the second reading of General Ordinance #1128/Police Department Fees be read in its entirety. Attorney Doug Atz read General Ordinance #1128/Police Department Fees in its entirety. Council member Jim Dazey made a motion to approve the second reading of General Ordinance #1128/Police Department Fees with a second by Council member April Waters. The motion passed 4 ayes-0 nays.

Allowance of Bills and Claims

Council member Jim Dazey presented claim numbers 37304 through 37424 in the amount of \$430,561.81. Council member Jim Dazey made a motion to approve the bills and claims with a second by Council member April Waters. The motion passed 4 ayes-0 nays.

Motion to Adjourn

Council member Jim Dazey made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mayor SuzAnne Handshoe adjourned the meeting at 7:21 p.m.

Sheryl Hanes-Clerk Treasurer

Minutes approved by me this ____ day of _____, 2010.

W. SuzAnne Handshoe-Mayor