# **Regular Session**

# **January 25, 2021**

**Notice of Meeting and Agendaa**

# An agenda for the City of Stockton, Missouri’s Board of Aldermen regular session meeting on January 25, 2021 was originally posted pursuant to RSMo Chapter 610.020 on January 21, 2021.

### Call regular session to order/Roll call

Mayor Pro Tem, Barbara Pate called the regular session meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. and the City Clerk took roll call. Council members present in addition to Barbara Pate, were MaryAnne Manring, Mark Frieze and Brent Wallen. Mayor Hamby was absent. It was determined a quorum was present. Attending staff were City Clerk, Vanessa Harper, City Superintendent, Raymond Heryford and Building Inspector/Code Enforcer, John Wilson. City Attorney, Peter Lee, was scheduled to arrive later.

**Pledge and Invocation**

After attendees recited the Pledge of Allegiance, invocation was given by alderperson acting as Mayor Pro Tem, Barbara Pate.

**Agenda Approved:**

Manring motioned, seconded by Frieze, carried; approving the agenda set for the January 25, 2021 City Council meeting. Unanimously approved.

**Visitors:**

Doug Burns was scheduled to address Council for a variance request however his issue was able to be resolved before the meeting.

**Minutes:**

Motion made by Manring, seconded by Frieze, carried; to approve the minutes with corrections noted for the regular council meeting on January 11, 2021. Unanimously approved.

## Bills:

Wallen motioned, seconded by Frieze, carried; to approve and pay bills as presented. Unanimously approved.

**Comments from the Public:**

Miles Brite with the Cedar County Republican thanked Council for the opportunity to report on the City Council meetings over recent years since he would be starting a new job with Hammons and would no longer be reporting for the paper.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Harper presented current estimates for replacing the sidewalk along East Street according to prepared engineered plans from 2011. The new estimate for the entire stretch of sidewalk came to $723,561.00 making the City’s 20% match over $144,000.00. Manring motioned, seconded by Frieze, carried; to use the estimate as a budgetary tool and incorporate the City’s $144,000.00 share into the City’s five-year action plan. Unanimously approved.

# **Reports from Appointed Boards**

Park: Absent. Reviewed minutes from the park board’s January meeting noting the need to update the park to GFI and still provide the necessary electrical for the annual Walnut Festival. Heryford will research and report back to the Council.

Cemetery:  Absent. Pate requested her appointment of Gary Simpson to the Cemetery Board be placed on the next meeting’s agenda for Council to vote on. No votes taken.

Airport: Absent. No votes taken.

Sheriff Department Liaison: Absent. No votes taken.

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# **SCHEDULED BUSINESS**

Regarding revising the City’s boot allowance policy, Council recommended that going forward the Mayor construct and present the policies he wants to implement to the Council for their review rather than expect the Council to create the policies during the meeting sessions. Wilson will work with the Mayor on preparing a boot allowance for the City outside crew.

Wallen motioned, seconded by Manring, carried; to schedule this year’s City annual fireworks display for Friday, July 2. Unanimously approved.

**Reports from Appointed Officials**

City Attorney: Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken.

Public Works Supervisor: Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken.

City Clerk: Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken

Building Inspector/Code Enforcer: Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken.

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICALS:**

**Pate:** Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken.

**Manring:**  Thanked the outside crew for painting the much-needed crosswalks behind the school. Nothing for closed. No votes taken.

**Wallen:**  Thanked the outside crew for filling the trenches across Craig Street. Nothing for closed. No votes taken.

**Frieze:** Nothing for open or closed. No votes taken.

**MAYOR –COMMUNICATIONS:**

**Mayor Hamby**: Absent.

**Adjourn Regular Session**

Manring motioned, seconded by Wallen, carried; to adjourn the regular session meeting at 5:05 p.m.

Approved with the following votes: Wallen, Frieze and Manring: Yes. None: No. None: Absent.

**ATTEST:**

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**City Clerk Mayor**