

The Seymour Board of Aldermen met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Thursday, January 21, 2021 in the Seymour City Hall Board Room, 123 West Market Street.

At 6:00 p.m. Mayor Richard Vinson called the meeting to order.

Roll call: Jim Ashley, William Pogue, Nadine Crisp, Dan Wehmer. It is determined there is a quorum.

Also, present was City Administrator Hillary Gintz, Police Chief Steven Pogue, City Clerk Leslie Houk.

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Pogue/Ashley to approve the minutes. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

New Business

Approval of Bills

A motion was made by Wehmer/Pogue to approve the bills. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Citizen Comments

No comments.

6-Month Financial

A motion was made by Wehmer/Crisp to approve the 6-month financial. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

ORDINANCE #790 AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE AND AMEND ARTICLE II BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETINGS, CHAPTER 110 MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN, SECTION 110.170 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI.

A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to accept the first reading of Bill # 2021-790, Ordinance #790. AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE AND AMEND ARTICLE II BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETINGS, CHAPTER 110 MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN, SECTION 110.170 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI. Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes, Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

A motion was made by Crisp/Pogue to accept the second and final reading of Bill # 2021-790, Ordinance #790. AN ORDINANCE TO REVISE AND AMEND ARTICLE II BOARD OF ALDERMEN MEETINGS, CHAPTER 110 MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN, SECTION 110.170 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI.

Ayes: All. Nays: None. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes, Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Note: Ordinance #790 is to start with the February 2021 meetings.

City Administrator Report-Hillary Gintz

City Administrator Hillary Gintz presented a state bid for a new truck for the Electric Department that was budgeted. The bid is for a 2021 Chevrolet Silverado 2500 HD Crew Cab 4WD, 32,020.00. Administrator Gintz would like to order a second truck for the Sewer Department. Administrator Gintz noted the two trucks will be replacing the Toyota Tacoma and the older Sewer Chevrolet. A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to approve the purchase of two trucks. One for the Electric Department and one for the Sewer Department. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes, Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

City Administrator Hillary Gintz presented two state bids for a new vehicle for the Police Department that was budgeted. Verbal bid for a Chevy Silverado Police Package for 33,050.00. Galena Chrysler Dodge for a 2020 Dodge Durango for 31,634.00. A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to approve the purchase of the 2020 Dodge Durango. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes, Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The Cabinet Shop on Clinton is wanting to expand. The owner Joe Beamish needs part of Hillcrest for semis to drive thru. Mr. Beamish asked if the city could move the boulders back a little. Mr. Beamish would gravel part of Hillcrest and keep it maintained. The Aldermen are all in agreement with this.

Heidi Matuszek's property is right outside the city limits. She will be building 3 duplexes. She has asked for city water but does not want to be annexed into the city. Ordinance allows the city to have a higher water rate for water to anyone outside city limits. A motion was made by Pogue/Wehmer to authorize City Administrator Hillary Gintz to do what is needed for water service to Heidi. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Administrator Gintz spoke with Belinda Cook. She has a large lot on Summit Street listed for sale. The lot can be divided up for 3 houses. The property will require grinder pumps for the sewer. Belinda would like the city to purchase the grinder pumps. The Aldermen are not in agreement to purchase the grinder pumps. Administrator Gintz will look into getting an utility easement from the property North to connect to the main.

Mayor Report-Richard Vinson

Nothing to Report

Aldermen's Report

Alderman Dan Wehmer and Alderman William Pogue handed out 2 designs of a possible city flag. Alderman Pogue would like the community to vote on the designs.

Alderman Dan Wehmer and Alderman William Pogue handed out designs for Banners to hang around the square while the apples and snowflakes are not hung.

Alderwoman Nadine Crisp has noticed some bad looking electric poles down Summit. Kenny Lansdown's wife called MODOT about the children at play sign on Mack Road. MODOT said it is in the city and it would be up to the city.

Alderman William Pogue noticed a streetlight out at Charles and Clinton. Alderman Pogue did a walk through with Ron Cardwell at the COVID testing building. The only thing left is to seed the yard.

At 7:50 p.m. a motion was made by Pogue/Crisp to go into executive session. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for executive session is pursuant to section 610.021 (3) Personnel.

At 9:30 p.m. a motion was made by Pogue/Wehmer to adjourn. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman William Pogue-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Richard Vinson

City Clerk Leslie Houk