

The Seymour Board of Aldermen met for a regular meeting at 6:00 pm on Thursday, August 11, 2022, in the Seymour City Hall Board Room, 123 West Market Street.

At 6:00 p.m. Mayor Alicia Hagen called the meeting to order.

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

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

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

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

Approval of Bills

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

Citizen Comments

Anna Pritchard asked for an update on the sidewalks. MODOT is waiting on steel plates. They are supposed to be here August 15. Anna Pritchard thinks the South side of the square would be a better place for the Webster County Health Department mobile unit to set up because of easier access.

Rezoning-Anthony Kelly

The planning and zoning board recommends the zoning change for Anthony Kelly's property on Clinton Ave. A motion was made by Crisp/Wallace to approve the zoning change to light industrial. Ayes: all. Nays: none. Abstain-Ashley.

Bid Opening-Apple Computers

Two bids were received. Terry Kelly submitted a bid for 375.00 for all three mac computers, Matt Hickey submitted a bid for 525.00 for all three mac computers. A motion was made by Wehmer/Crisp to accept Matt Hickey's bid. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 828 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AND ASSESSING A PROPERTY TAX FOR GENERAL REVENUE FUND, LIBRARY FUND, PARK FUND, CEMETERY FUND, AND ON ALL REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY, RAILROAD COMPANIES, TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE COMPANIES, AND ON ALL OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SEYMOUR, MISSOURI, THAT IS NOT EXEMPT FROM TAXATION BY STATE OR NATIONAL LAW FOR THE YEAR 2022

A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to accept the first reading of Bill # 2022-828 Ordinance #828. An ordinance levying and assessing a property tax for general revenue fund, library fund, park fund, cemetery fund, and on all real estate and personal property, railroad companies, telegraph, and

telephone companies, and on all other public utilities within the corporate limits of the City of Seymour, Missouri, that is not exempt from taxation by state or national law for the year 2022. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

A motion was made by Wallace/Ashley to accept the second and final reading of Bill # 2022-828 Ordinance #828. An ordinance levying and assessing a property tax for general revenue fund, library fund, park fund, cemetery fund, and on all real estate and personal property, railroad companies, telegraph, and telephone companies, and on all other public utilities within the corporate limits of the City of Seymour, Missouri, that is not exempt from taxation by state or national law for the year 2022. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 829-ATV

City Administrator Hillary Gintz drafted the ATV Ordinance. A motion was made by Ashley/Wehmer to have the ATV ordinance on the next agenda to pass. Ayes: all. Nays: none. Administrator Gintz passed out a drafted amended UTV ordinance that will need to be passed due to allowing ATV's. A motion was made by Wallace/Crisp to have the amended UTV ordinance on the next agenda to pass. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Department Reports

See Report.

Fire Chief David Smith reports everything is going well. He has received four applications for volunteer firemen. This would put them up to nine volunteers. Chief Smith is having training every other Monday. Fire prevention month is in October. September 5 they are inspecting Baker Creek's sprinkler system.

Police Report

See Report.

Police Chief Steven Pogue was informed Webster County 911 dispatch no longer wants the WC cities phones to roll over to dispatch. 911 will be meeting September 12 to vote this issue.

City Administrator Report

City Administrator Hillary Gintz-MODOT is still on track with the sidewalks.

Aldermen Report

Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-the Frances St. and Thoroughfare property with the fence keep moving stuff in. A letter was sent this spring. There is no progress on Sally Findley's property.

Administrator Gintz sent her a letter asking her to come to a Board meeting or to call her. Are they living in the fifth wheel on Summit? They are not.

Alderman Dan Wehmer-there is a truck sitting in front of Lisa Guthery's unlicensed and has a flat. Police Chief Steven Pogue will start the process to address this.

Alderman Bub Wallace-Alderman Bub Wallace and Jim Ashley received a letter about the parking on N. Frances St. A motion was made Wallace/Ashley to have an amended ordinance drafted to include no parking on the street on N. Frances from Clinton to Steel. Ayes: all. Nays: none. When will the city take possession of the Anderson Street apartments? Administrator Gintz said 90 days after July 13 the city can take possession.

Mayor Report

Mayor Alicia Hagen-Frances Street gas issue-waiting on the report from DNR. Mayor Hagen asked if a letter was sent on the Karen Circle lot. Supervisor Mitch Plummer contacted them. This week completed phase 2 of the chip grant. Mayor Hagen will be notified September 15 if Seymour was awarded the grant.

At 7:10 a motion was made by Ashley/Wallace to go into executive session. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

The reason for executive session is pursuant to section 610.021 (3) (12) Personnel & Sealed Bids.

At 8:10 a motion was made by Crisp/Wehmer to go back into open. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-The Library is wanting a booth for the Apple Festival but do not have the funds for it. The library needs to contact the Merchant's Association to see if there are booths available.

At 8:20 p.m. a motion was made by Wallace/Wehmer to adjourn. Ayes: all. Nays: none. The following roll call vote was recorded. Alderman Jim Ashley-yes. Alderman Bub Wallace-yes. Alderwoman Nadine Crisp-yes. Alderman Dan Wehmer-yes.

Mayor Alicia Hagen

City Clerk Leslie Houk