

The Seymour Board of Aldermen met for a regular meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 12, 2023, 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. There is a quorum.

Also, present was City Administrator Hillary Elliott, Police Chief Steven Pogue, Fire Chief Dave Smith, Supervisor Mitch Plummer, City Clerk Leslie Houk.

Old Business

Approval of Minutes

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

New Business

Approval of Bills

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

Citizen Comments

No comments.

Municipal Judge Appointment

Mayor Alicia Hagen appointed Chuck Replogle as Municipal Judge for a two-year term. A motion was made by Wallace/Ashley to approve Mayor Hagen's appointment. Ayes: All. Nays: None.

Park Board Appointment

Mayor Alicia Hagen appointed Savannah Clark to the park board replacing Tatum Shepherd. Her term ends June 2026. A motion was made by Crisp/Wehmer to approve Mayor Hagen's appointment. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Abstain: Wallace because Savannah is his wife's cousin.

Department Reports

See Report.

Fire Report

See Report.

Fire Chief David Smith would like to buy hoodies for the department. The cost is 525.00. A motion was made by Wehmer/Ashley to approve the purchase of the hoodies. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Police Report

See Report.

City Administrator Report

City Administrator Hillary Elliott-Bob Crump would like to use the safe room for share your Christmas. The Christmas tree lighting will be November 25th at 6:00 p.m.

Administrator Elliott passed out the RFP for the new fire station. A motion was made by Wehmer/Crisp to approve the RFP and have bids due by October 26th at 5:00 p.m. Ayes: all. Nays: none.

Administrator Elliott passed out street paving bids. American Paving 162,066.00 and Emery Sapp & Sons 171,768.70. A motion was made by Ashley/Crisp to approve American Paving's bid and have them pave S. McMahan and the W. Alley. Ayes: all. Nays: none. Mayor Alicia Hagen would like it on record that she lives on Karen Circle. Due to the construction Karen Circle is in bad shape. Mayor Hagen has not asked for Karen Circle to be paved.

Aldermen Report

Nothing to report.

Mayor Report

Mayor Alicia Hagen-Wednesday is the book fair. Mayor Hagen asked Police Chief Steven Pogue if an officer can be there from 3-7 and if he has handouts. Chief Pogue has coloring books, pencils, and stickers. There were twenty-one entries for good neighbor week. Mayor Hagen awarded the good neighbor to Carol Sartin. Mayor Hagen would like Carol Sartin to light the Christmas tree this year.

At 6:45 p.m. a motion was made by Wallace/Ashley 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 (1) (3) Litigation & Personnel.

At 7:45 p.m. a motion was made by Crisp/Wallace 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