

Minutes
City Council Regular Meeting
February 25, 2019

CALL TO ORDER—ROLL CALL

The City Council of the City of Villa Grove met in regular session on **Monday, February 25, 2019**, in Council Chambers. Mayor Eversole-Gunter called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Roll call found the following members present: Alderman Leon, Johnson, Griffith, Allen, Stipp, Junior Alderman Mixell. Aldermen Blaney and Junior Alderman Hutchison were absent. Clerk Osborne and City Administrator Athey were also present. Various Public members were in attendance.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE -The Mayor stood and led all attendees in The Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE LAST REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 2/11/19-Alderman Leon motioned to approve the minutes of the last regular council meeting held on February 11, 2019. Alderman Johnson seconded the motion. Roll call: Leon, yea, Johnson, yea, Griffith, yea, Allen, yea, Stipp, present, Junior Alderman Mixell, yea. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF CLAIMS FOR PAYMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$83,160.38 Alderman Leon motioned to approve the payment of claims in the amount of **\$83,160.38**. Alderman Johnson seconded the motion. Roll call: Leon, yea, Johnson, yea, Griffith, present, Allen, yea, Stipp, yea, Junior Alderman Mixell, yea. Motion carried.

ENGINEERING REPORT-No engineering report.

PUBLIC COMMENTS-No Public Comments were made.

BUSINESS- No Business on the Agenda

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Administrative & Risk Management-Chair Blaney –Blaney was absent-No report.

Community Development-Chair Johnson-The next meeting will be 2/26/19 at 5 pm. Heath Wilson has accepted the position of Director of recreation programs and Steve Douglas has agreed to take over the concession stand operations. The new Park Board will be appointed at the next meeting of the board on 2/26/19 at 6 pm.

Emergency Services-Chair Leon- Nothing to report

Franchise Development-Chair Stipp-Alderman Stipp. The Mayor reported a meeting with Arrow Ambulance to begin contract discussions. Another meeting will be also be set with Advanced Disposal for the recycling changes.

Public Works- Chair Allen-Thank you to the Public Works crew for their work on the water leak and getting is resolved in an expeditious manner, with minimum down time for the water. Great Job! This also is a reminder to residents to please sign up for Code RED service.

Senior Center-Chair Griffith-Nothing to Report.

Mayoral Report- A Thank you to the public works department on the leak repair.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION- No Closed Session needed.

ADJOURNMENT-With no further business, Alderman Leon motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:15 p.m. Alderman Johnson seconded the motion. Roll call: Leon, yea, Johnson, yea, Griffith, yea, Allen, No, JA Mixell, yea. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Michelle L. Osborne, City Clerk

XC: Mayor and City Council; Building Inspector; Department Heads; File