

MINUTES OF BROOKFIELD CITY COUNCIL

June 28, 2022

5:30 PM – City Hall

I. Call to Order

The members of the Brookfield City Council met June 28, 2022. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Lonnie Trentham at 5:30 p.m. at City Hall.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

Council members present: Lonnie Trentham, Sarah Wessing, Richard Techau and Jack Forbes. Absent: Frey. Also present: Dana Tarpenting, City Manager, Donna Barger, City Clerk, Adam Warren, City Attorney, and Police Chief, Joel Dixon.

IV. Approval of Minutes

A motion made by Wessing seconded by Techau to approve the May, 2022 minutes. Motion carried 4-0.

V. Monthly Financial Report

A motion to approve the May, 2022 financials were made by Techau, seconded by Wessing and carried 4-0.

VI. Old Business

A. None

VII. New Business

A. Presentation of 2020-2021 City Audit

John Gillum, CPA, presented his findings to the Council. Gillum reported the City in good standing and presented favorable findings for the 2020-2021 audit.

B. Consideration of an Ordinance in reference to Holidays

Discussion was heard regarding the addition of two paid holidays, Martin Luther King Day and Juneteenth for city employees. Wessing made a motion to table the matter and Forbes seconded the motion. Motion carried 4-0.

VIII. Comments from Citizens

None

IX. Miscellaneous matters from the City Manager

Tarpening commended city employees who volunteered their time with the recent casualty in Chariton County.

Tarpening provided Council with bid sheets of five properties Michael Wessing is requesting to purchase. These properties were not bid upon at the most recent opportunity with the recent advertisement. Motion was made by Forbes and seconded by Techau to accept the bids as presented. Motion carried 4-0.

X. Miscellaneous matters from the City Council

Wessing inquired about the option of residential recycling.

Forbes addressed concern regarding the lighting of the railroad underpass.

XI. Adjournment

A motion was made by Wessing and seconded by Forbes to convene into closed session pursuant to Section 610.021.2 relating to real estate. Motion carried 4-0.

Forbes yes
Wessing yes
Techau yes
Trentham yes

A motion was made by Techau and seconded by Forbes to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:24 pm.

Copies of all proposed ordinances and resolutions are available for public inspection prior to the council meeting at the office of the City Clerk in the Municipal Building.