**Minutes of City Council Meeting**

**City of Oakland, NE**

**Regular Meeting**

***January 15th, 2018***

A meeting of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Oakland, Nebraska was convened in open and public session at **5:30 p.m. on January 15th, 2018** at the Oakland Auditorium. This was the regular monthly meeting. The meeting was called to order by Council President Greg Mockenhaupt. On roll call, Council members Matt Johnson, and Luke Blanc, Dan Jacobs. Mayor Beckner was absent

 Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by the posting of a notice, one of the designated methods for giving notice, as shown by the certification of posting attached to these minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and City Council.

Council President G.Mockenhaupt reminded all present of the location of the Open Meeting Laws poster in the back of the Rosen Room and stated that the council would be conducting business in accordance with said law. Council President G.Mockenhaupt asked all present to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion made at 5:3opm by L.Blanc to accept the *January 15th, 2018 agenda*. Seconded by Johnson. All council present voted AYE-absent Mayor Beckner

 The *minutes of the* *December 18th, 2017 meeting* were presented. L.Blanc made a motion at 5:31pm to approve the minutes as presented-Jacobs seconded. All council present voted AYE-absent Mayor Beckner

 Motion made to approve *December 2017 Treasurer’s Report* by L.Blanc and seconded by Johnson at 5:32pm. All council present voted AYE-absent Mayor Beckner

**ADDRESSES-**

 At 5:34pm Brenda Pearson brought up her concern about the property next to her building on 714 N. Oakland Ave. Her concern is that the building structure if unsafe and that it may cause some nuisance problems when renting out or having an open house. Mrs. Pearson wanted to know what actions are being taken from the owner and their time frame on it all. It was decided that Police Chief Poland would contact the owner. Either the owner or Chief Poland would follow up with Mrs. Pearson on all details

 Permission was given to Quenchers to have their street dance May 26th, 2018. Motion was made at 5:40pm by M.Johnson and seconded by L.Blanc. All council present voted AYE-absent Mayor Beckner

**Police Department-** Police Chief Poland gave a report stating the K-9 search was still in progress, between three different dogs. They are hoping to have a meet & greet appointment set up soon with each. The Police Department wants to include the O-C Elementary school in the name decision for the K-9 dog. The children will color a picture and have a name they think would best suit the dog, Police Department will then choose out of those choices.

 It was brought up that all communication regarding the 150th celebration between the Police Department has been done.

Ordinances that are a work in progress are related to parking distances and disorderly housing.

G. Mockenhaupt did receive concerns from some citizens about main street parking – Chief Poland has taken action by step one of displaying paper warnings explaining the ordinances and has called the owners of the building about the problem.

**Departmental Reports-** An UTV has been purchased with the approval of Mayor Beckner and Supervisors G.Mockenhaput, L.Blanc and D. Jacobs from Johnsons Cycle & Auto in Fremont, NE. A sprayer will be purchased in the near future to go with the UTV to help out the Street/Park/Solid Waste Departments.

The bills and warrants were presented to the City Council as follows:

 AENTA 56,116.28/AMERICAN BROADBAND CLEC 368.42/ ANDERSON HARDWARE 283.62/ ANDY’S QUICK STOP 460.93/ BLACK HILLS ENERGY 335.22/ BLUE 360 MEDIA 132.37/ BOK FINANCIAL 9,988.75/ BRANIFF SERVICE 85.00/BREHMER MFG. CO. 4.06/ BURT CO. SHERIFF’S OFFICE 30.00/ BURT CO. TREASURER 10.00/ CVA COOPERATIVE 570.30/ CLERK INSTITUE/ACADEMY $393.00/ DATA TECH 142.93/DEARBORN NATIONAL 230.66/ ENGELHARDT T.V. & COMMUNICATION 1,090.00 /FARMER’S PRIDE 608.27/ INGRAM LIBRARY SERVICE 269.78/JEFF FRAHM 325.00/ INSUREVEST FIN. GROUP 500.00/ JEO CONSULTING GROUP 4,311.60/ JERRI CASE 14.72/ JOHNSON CYCLE & AUTO 8,995.00/ JOHNSON & MOCK 332.50/ K-C PARTS & REPAIR 636.23/ MIDWEST LAB. 436.50/NPPD 4,191.28/ NPPD 7,664.90/NPPD 147.60/ NELSON’S FOOD PRIDE 32.80/NNSWC COALITION FEES 3,904.51/ OAKLAND HEIGHTS 219.11/ OAKLAND CRIAG PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1,525.00/ OAKLAND INDEPENDENT 122.51/ OMAHA WINWATER CO. 1.55/ ONE CALL CONCEPTS INC 2.28/ QUALITY PRINTING 312.60/ SAPPS BROS INC 410.64/ SKYWAVE WIRELESS, INC 105.00/ TENNANT SALES & SERVICES 1,027.50/ UTILITIES SERVICE GROUP 1,000.00/ VERIZON WIRELESS 191.85/

 M. Johnson made a motion to *accept the warrants*. Blanc seconded and all council present voted AYE-absent Mayor Beckner

There being no further business to come before the council *motion to adjourn meeting* made by Johnson, seconded by L.Blanc at 6:05pm.

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