

Minutes of Regular Meeting  
July 12, 2007

Meeting called to order by Mayor Brownie at 7 P.M..

All council present except VanGuilder. Plus Treasurer Deb Hill

14 members of the public present.

Motion by Butala seconded by Ziebarth to approve the agenda.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brownie seconded by Trude to approve the minutes of the June 7 2007 meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brownie seconded by Ziebarth to approve the minutes of the June 20 2007 special meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

Bills were presented and motion by Brownie seconded by Butala to pay bills as presented.

Motion carried unanimously.

Brickyard Days Committee. Nick Shanda reported the date is set for August 3 and 4 2007. there will be a parade, Car show and all the rest. North Country waste will furnish all garbage disposal. Presb. Church will have a pancake breakfast. **MORE VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED IF YOU WANT TO SEE A CELEBRATION NEXT YEAR.** Please contact Nick Shanda, Sherri Lafontane or any one on the committee.

Candy Butala said that she has most of the people on the new portion of Goad Drive in favor of finishing the street. We will get an estimate for her to show the people so they will know the cost.

Carlton Taxing district letter was discussed. There are a lot of answer needed before we can make a decision. Motion by Brownie seconded by Ziebarth to table it until the August meeting.

Motion carried unanimously.

The portion of the new ordinance concerning keeping all lots cut and cleaned up was discussed. Motion by Butala seconded by Brownie to send letters to all residents informing them of what the ordinance says.

Motion carried unanimously.

Backup lawn mowing: After much discussion a motion by Brownie seconded by Trude to pay the operator \$10.25 per hour and 41.66 per hour for the tractor.

Motion carried Ziebarth abstained.

League of Small Cities is holding a meeting in Duluth on July 28, 2007 Motion by Brownie seconded by Ziebarth to allow the Clerk to attend.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mike Tondryk used his riding mower to mow part of the park After discussion a motion by Brownie seconded by Trude to pay him \$50.00 for the use of his mower.

Motion carried unanimously.

A quote of \$1750.00 was received from Kiminski Paving to reseal and remark the City parking lot. Motion by Trude seconded by Ziebarth to have them do the job.

Motion carried unanimously.

Fire Chief report: He reported on many issues concerning the department. After much discussion he left the meeting.

Late fees on water and sewer were discussed. Some people are ignoring the fee and their accounts are delinquent by that amount. Motion by Brownie seconded by Trude to sent them a letter explaining this to them then if not paid send them a shutoff notice if not paid.

Motion carried unanimously.

Treasurer report. The Townships have had some questions on the letter sent concerning the billing process. I think we have answered their questions.

2008 BUDGET TIME IS HERE we will have some numbers for the council by next meeting.

We will have a work session prior to our August meeting. We will meet at 5:30 P.M. to work on the budget.

Motion by Brownie seconded by Trude to adjourn at 9:00 P.M.

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