

Mayor & Board of Aldermen
Betty Brazelton Community Center
October 18, 2016 – 6:00 p. m.
Minutes

1. Call To Order

Mayor Gene Schoonover called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 in the Betty Brazelton Community Center at City Hall. Mayor Schoonover led the pledge to the flag.

2. Roll Call

Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass answered roll call. Alderman Leonard Eads was not in attendance.

Other city personnel present were Dwight Adkison, Dave Speiser, Bob Burns, Don Moore, Jeff Jones and Susie Freece.. Guests included Garden Club members.

3. Approval of Meeting Agenda

Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. made the motion to approve the meeting agenda. Alderman Gerald Snodgrass seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

4. Garden Club Project – Linda Langford

Linda Langford, representing the Lathrop Garden Club, shared information with the Mayor and Board of Aldermen on the Little Mule Path behind the Elementary School that will include a walking trail and pollinator haven. Volunteers are welcomed to come and help with the project.

5. Minutes – September 20, 2016 Regular Meeting

Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. made the motion to approve the regular session minutes of September 20, 2016. Alderman Roy Adams seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

6. September 2016 Financial Report

Alderman Gerald Snodgrass made the motion to approve the September 2016 financial report. Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

7. September 2016 Invoice/Check Listing

Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. made the motion to approve the September 2016 invoice/check listing. Alderman Roy Adams seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

8. Reports

Department reports from water, public works, police and city administrator were included in the monthly meeting packet for review, information and discussion for the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

9. Consider Ordinance Allowing Chickens Within the City Limits

This item was tabled until the November 15, 2016 meeting.

10. Ordinance No. 1293 – Wolf Property Lot Split, Between Park and Pine Streets

Mayor Schoonover introduced Ordinance No. 1293 being an ordinance to adopt a replat of Lots 5 and 6, Block 3 in the City of Lathrop. Alderman Gerald Snodgrass made the motion to approve the first reading of the ordinance. Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. seconded the motion that passed by the following roll call vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none. Alderman Gerald Snodgrass made the motion to place the ordinance on its final passage. Alderman Roy Adams seconded the motion that passed by the following roll call vote. Aldermen Gerald Meppelink Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

11. Resolution No. 3 – Authorize Application Safe Routes to School Sidewalk Between Oak & South Streets on West Side of Center Street

Alderman Gerald Snodgrass made the motion to approve Resolution No. 3 to authorize the application for the Safe Routes to School Sidewalk between Oak and South Streets on the west side of Center Street. Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

Note: The Lathrop School Board elected to commit 10 percent of the total construction cost of the Safe Route to School Sidewalk Project and capped the commitment at \$15,000 total.

12. Public Participation – none.

13. Mayor Comments – none.


14. Aldermen Comments – none.

15. Executive Session - Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. made the motion to go into executive session for the discussion of personnel RSMO 610.021 (3). Alderman Roy Adams seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

16. Adjourn

Alderman Gerald Meppelink, Jr. moved to adjourn. Alderman Roy Adams seconded the motion that passed by the following vote. Aye: Aldermen Gerald Meppelink, Jr., Roy Adams and Gerald Snodgrass. Nay: none.

APPROVED THIS 15 DAY OF November, 2016.



Gene Schoonover, Mayor

ATTEST:



Susie Freece, City Clerk