

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

OCTOBER 13, 2020

A Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Ogallala, Nebraska, was held at City Hall Council Chambers in said City on the 13th day of October, 2020, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. Present were: President of the Council: Deb Schilz; Council Members: Kevin Block and Darryl Weddington. Absent: Dorie Nolde. City Manager: Bruce Smith. City Clerk: Jane Skinner. City Attorney: Michael McQuillan.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publishing one time in the Keith County News and posting at the City Hall Administration Building as shown by the Certificate of Publication and Posting Notice attached to these Minutes. Notice of this meeting was simultaneously given to the President and to all members of the Council on October 9, 2020 and a copy of their Acknowledgement of Receipt of Notice and the Agenda is attached to these minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the notice and in the Notice to the President and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The President of the Council stated this meeting is being convened in accordance with the Open Meetings Act and acknowledged a copy of the Open Meetings Act being duly posted in the southeast Corner of Council Chambers.

Council Member Block moved to excuse Council Member Nolde from the October 13, 2020 City Council Meeting. Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Dorie Nolde. Motion declared carried.

Lorena Beckius, Wes Schmer and Chris Laflan addressed the Council regarding their interest in serving on the City Council, completing the vacated seat of LD Walker.

Council Member Block moved to appoint Chris Laflan to fill the unexpired term of LD Walker on the City Council. Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Kevin Block and Deb Schilz. No: Darryl Weddington. Absent: Dorie Nolde. Motion declared failed.

Council Member Block moved to appoint Chris Laflan to fill the unexpired term of LD Walker on the City Council. Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Dorie Nolde. Motion declared carried.

City Attorney Michael McQuillan administered the oath of office to Council Member Chris Laflan.

Council Member Block moved to approve the consent agenda. Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Kevin Block, Chris Laflan, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Dorie Nolde. Motion declared carried and the consent agenda was approved as follows:

- A. Appointment to Board – Library Board (1).
 - 1) Rod Ruzanic – Four Year Term (10-01-2020 – 09-30-2024).
- B. Minutes of the Regular Meeting held September 22, 2020.
- C. O.V.F.D. – Probationary Membership of Adam D. Bean.
- D. O.V.F.D. – Auxiliary Membership of Nicholette Bean.
- E. O.V.F.D. – Probationary Membership of Jennifer Ernst.
- F. O.V.F.D. – Probationary Membership of Bradley Ernst.
- G. O.V.F.D. – Resignation of Emily Withington.
- H. Application for Master Plumber License – Dan Heble.
- I. Application for License to Perform Work within the Public Right of Way – Zeb Peterson.

Agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the Minutes of the President and Council of the City of Ogallala, Nebraska, were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meeting of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

Jane M. Skinner
City Clerk

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