

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

JUNE 8, 2021

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 8th day of June, 2021, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. Present were: President of the Council: Deb Schilz; Council Members: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block and Darryl Weddington. Absent: Chris Laflan. 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 June 4, 2021 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 Laflan from the June 8, 2021 City Council Meeting. Council Member Bassett seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried.

Mayor Deb Schilz proclaimed June 20 - 26, 2021 as Ogallala RSVP Volunteer Week.

Lorena Beckius and Jo Brown, representing the Unity Project, presented a check to the City for the remainder of the playground and splash pad project.

Council Member Block moved to approve the request to advertise in the Keith County Service guide, on the inside cover, allocating \$1,499.00 for the advertisement. The following council members voted Yes: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried.

Council Member Weddington moved to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held May 25, 2021. Council President Schilz seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Abstain: Darrell G. Bassett. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried.

Jane Skinner, City Clerk-Treasurer, presented the May 2021 financial report.

Council Member Block moved to approve the claims payable to Adams Insurance Advisors in the amount of \$724.00. Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Abstain: Deb Schilz. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried.

Council Member Weddington moved to approve the Kathleen Lute Public Library Conference Room Rental Agreement. Council Member Bassett seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried.

Council Member Block introduced Resolution 2040, a resolution amending the City of Ogallala Library Special Fee Schedule. Council President Schilz read the resolution by title and Council Member Weddington seconded the motion. Upon roll call vote, the following

Council Members voted “Yes”: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. The following Council Members voted “No”: None. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried and resolution 2040 is adopted, a copy of said Resolution being attached hereto and by this express reference, incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

Council Member Bassett moved that the statutory rule requiring the reading of Ordinance 1409 on three different days be suspended. Council Member Block seconded the motion. Upon roll call vote, the following Council Members voted “Yes”: Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. The following Council Members voted “No”: Darrell G. Bassett. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared failed.

Council President Schilz read Ordinance 1409 by title and announced that ordinance 1409 has been read for the second time.

Bruce Smith, City Manager, addressed the Council regarding the various city projects occurring within the City of Ogallala.

Council Member Weddington moved to adjourn. Council Member Schilz seconded the motion. The following council members voted Yes: Darrell G. Bassett, Kevin Block, Deb Schilz and Darryl Weddington. No: None. Absent: Chris Laflan. Motion declared carried and meeting adjourned at 7:46 P.M.

Jane M. Skinner
City Clerk

Approved:

Deb Schilz
Council President

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
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COUNTY OF KEITH) SS.
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CITY OF OGALLALA)

I, Jane M. Skinner, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Ogallala, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceedings were contained in the Agenda for the meeting of June 8, 2021 kept continuously current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said 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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