

City of LeClaire, Iowa
City Council Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 6, 2023 – 6:00 p.m.
Council Chambers, 325 Wisconsin St, LeClaire, IA

Mayor: _____ Blair: _____ Bloom: _____ Gravert: _____ Long: _____ Salvador: _____
Bockenstedt: _____ Laserfiche: _____ Publication: _____

Mayor Gerard called the City Council Meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 325 Wisconsin Street. Present: Mayor Dennis Gerard, Council Members Amy Blair, Bill Bloom, Sara Gravert, Barry Long and Ryan Salvador, City Administrator Dennis Bockenstedt, City Clerk Tracy Northcutt, Police Chief Shane Themas, Fire Chief Shane Bleeker, Public Works Director Mark Dale, Parks & Rec Director Greg Ludwig, and Library Director Melita Tunnickliff and City Engineer Leo Foley. Absent: None. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Resolution 23-016

Moved by Long, seconded by Blair, approving the February 6, 2023, Consent Agenda. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-017

Moved by Long, seconded by Bloom, approving all the Council Meeting Minutes of January 16, 2023, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Public Appearances – None

Mayor’s Report

Mayor Gerard administered the Oath of Office to John E. Mullin as Fire Captain of the City of LeClaire.

Council Reports

Resolution 23-018

Moved by Blair, seconded by Long, calling for a change in the Council Meeting Schedule for July 2023 from meeting on the first & third Mondays to meeting on the second and fourth Mondays, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-019

Moved by Blair, seconded by Gravert, calling for and setting a public hearing date of February 21, 2023 on the proposed Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Budget Max Levy & Property Dollar Rates, as presented. Discussion was held concerning the changes proposed by the State of Iowa concerning rollback replacement taxes. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-020

Moved by Gravert, seconded by Long, approving the amendment to the Public Works Techs I,II, III, Utilities Operator and Laborer Job Descriptions, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-021

Moved by Gravert, seconded by Salvador, calling for and establishing a date for the public hearing for amendments to Chapter 69 – Parking Regulations Ordinance for February 21, 2023, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-022

Moved by Gravert, seconded by Bloom, calling for and establishing a date for the public hearing for amendments to Chapter 63 – Speed Regulations Ordinance for February 21, 2023, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-023

Moved by Salvador, seconded by Long, approving the contract for an Economic Development Grant with Root 67 LLC, Rodney & Kimberly Collier at 423-425 N Cody Road, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Resolution 23-024

Moved by Salvador, seconded by Gravert, approving the form of contract with Rodney & Kimberly Collier for the refurbishment of the stone wall located along property line and right of way in front of 208 and 214 N Cody Road, as presented. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Other Comments:

Council Member Gravert requested an update on the Territorial Bridge Project. Leo Foley, City Engineer, Veenstra & Kimm, gave an overview of the project.

Adjournment

Moved by Long, seconded by Blair, to adjourn at 6:12 p.m. Motion carried unanimously on roll call vote.

Dennis Gerard, Mayor

Attest:

Tracy A. Northcutt, City Clerk