

CITY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

City Hall Commission Chambers

Monday, May 15, 2023

7:00 p.m.

MEETING #5248

Public is welcome although seats are limited for social distancing; or you can view as follows:

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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL: Mayor Michael Burns, Rick Sowers, Chuck Taylor present, Commissioners Joseph Nuci, Kent Smoll absent

INVOCATION by

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Michael made a moved to amend the agenda, under the consent calendar change High Five Investments to Dodge City Brewing, LLC. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve the agenda with the change. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

PETITIONS & PROCLAMATIONS

Mayor Michael Burns read the Building Safety Month Proclamation and proclaimed the month of May 2023 as building safety month and encouraged our citizens to join us as we participate in building safety month activities.

City Manager, Nick Hernandez stated that the city hosted a contractor's appreciation luncheon and golf tournament. There were approximately 140 participants in the golf tournament and 300 that attended the luncheon. We want to show our appreciation to all our contractors and show them that we are in this together, listen to them. The event went over very well. We are looking at purchasing some trench safety equipment with the proceeds from the golf tournament which then can be utilized by the contractors.

Mayor Michael Burns read the Public Works Proclamation and proclaimed the week of May 21st through May 27th, 2023 as national public works week and , and I called upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our public works and to recognize the contributions which public works officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort, and quality of life.

Corey Keller, Public Works Director thanked all the women and men that make up these divisions and departments. There will be a luncheon for the city employees of Public Works Departments. He invited the commissioners to attend the luncheon that will be held on May 25th from 11:30am to 1:00 pm at the (MSB) Municipal Service Building, 100 Chaffin Road here in Dodge City.

VISITORS (Limit of five minutes per individual and fifteen minutes per topic. Final action may be deferred until the next City Commission meeting unless an emergency situation does exist).

Mike Benzel , southwest representee of the Christian Motorcycle Association said they would have a bike rally to be held here in Dodge on June 2 – 4 at Wright Park. Invited the commissioners and said all the public is welcome. The organization is hoping there is enough interest to start a chapter here in Dodge City. It promotes good citizenship. There will be games, rides and other activities. All are welcome to come.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Approval of Special City Commission Meeting Minutes, May 1, 2023.
2. Appropriation Ordinance No.10, May 15, 2023.
3. Cereal Malt Beverage License:
 - a. Dodge City Brewing, LLC, 701 3rd Avenue

Commissioner Chuck Taylor moved to approve the consent calendar as presented. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. 2023-16: A Resolution of the City of Dodge City, Kansas to designate the city website as the official city newspaper as required by charter ordinance number 43 was approved on a motion by Commissioner Rick Sowers. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

Resolution No. 2023-17: A Resolution of the City of Dodge City, Kansas, authorizing certain public improvements and providing for the payment of the costs thereof was approved on a motion by Commissioner Chuck Taylor. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

1. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve to purchase a Graco Linelazer Paint Machine from Craftco Inc. in the amount of \$35,995 for Public Works Street Department. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

2. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve the quotes for the installation of conduit fiber, software and hardware for the display enclosures, as well as the audio, future traffic signal coordination, installation of internet units and fiber backbone for the Downtown Streetscape Project associated with the Information Network of Kansas (INK) Grant. The city's share of this grant will be \$48,248.41. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.
3. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve the special assessment proceedings for Milstock Addition Unit 2. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.
4. Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to approve the special assessment proceedings for Casa del Rio Addition. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.
5. Commissioner Chuck Taylor moved to approve the special assessment proceedings for Candletree Addition Unit 6. Commissioner Rick Sowers seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

OTHER BUSINESS

STAFF REPORTS

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Rick Sowers moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Chuck Taylor seconded the motion. The motion carried 3 - 0.

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Clerk