

# **CITY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES**

City Hall Commission Chambers

Monday, July 21, 2014

7:00 p.m.

MEETING #4966

## **CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL:** Mayor Brian Delzeit, Commissioners Kent Smoll, Jan Scoggins, Rick Sowers and Joyce Warshaw

**INVOCATION** by Pastor Kurk Larson, Grace Community Church

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

## **PETITIONS & PROCLAMATIONS**

National Day of the Cowboy Proclamation was read. Marshall Allen Bailey spoke on behalf of National Day of the Cowboy. Janie Bailey presented National Day of the Cowboy flags. Governor Brownback will sign a State Proclamation at high noon Saturday, July 26 in Wright Park.

**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).**

Randi Clifford, Branch Executive Director gave a mid-year report for the Dodge City Family YMCA. Commissioner Kent Smoll complimented Randi and his staff for all their hard work. Commissioner Joyce Warshaw asked Randi to share a thank you with his staff. Commissioner Rick Sowers thanked Randi and his staff personally for sticking with the change from the recreation programs being a City department to the YMCA.

Chelsey Dawson Main Street Director gave the Main Street quarterly update.

Dan Schenkein, President of the Dodge City Area Chamber of Commerce, spoke about the 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Dodge City Days. The Chamber of Commerce cannot do this job without all of the volunteers. He thanked the City of Dodge City for all of their assistance during this 10 day festival. He particularly thanked Melissa McCoy for writing a Kansas Humanities grant which allowed for several programs to be presented during Dodge City Days. He also thanked Paul Lewis and all of the Park Department as well as the Public Works Department.

Ryan from Boothill Casino talked about the Longhorn Drive which will be held on August 2.

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

1. Approval of Work Session Minutes, July 7, 2014;
2. Approval of City Commission Meeting Minutes, July 7, 2014;
3. Approval of Joint City/County Commission Meeting Minutes, July 14, 2014;
4. Approval of Special City Commission Meeting Minutes, July 14, 2014;
5. Appropriation Ordinance No. 14, July 21, 2014;
6. Cancellation of Prior 29 TE-0374-01 ATSF Railway Depot Agreement/New Project Agreement for 29 TE 0374-01 ATFS Railway Depot.

Commissioner Kent Smoll moved to approve the Consent Calendar as presented; Commissioner Joyce Warshaw seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

#### **ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS**

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

Nannette Pogue, Finance Director/City Clerk:

- Presented a draft of the 2015 Budget.

Jane Longmeyer:

- The City is expecting a lot of visitors during Doge City Days. She is asking businesses and residents to welcome visitors and make sure property is inviting.

Commissioner Kent Smoll:

- Encouraged citizens to attend activities during Dodge City Days and enjoy.

Commissioner Jan Scoggins:

- Thanked Ernestor De La Rosa and Daniel Cecil for the tour of 24 city parks, and; encourages all citizens to enjoy the parks.

Commissioner Rick Sowers:

- Reminded everyone to vote in the primary election on August 5.

Commissioner Joyce Warshaw:

- It is very important to get out and vote in August;
- Dodge City Days is exciting;

- Thanks Ernestor De La Rosa for everything he has done;
- Thanked Daniel Cecil for the tour of the Dodge City parks;
- The employees of the City of Dodge City are a great group of people.

Mayor Brian Delzeit:

- Talked about Dodge City Days being the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest event in Kansas;
- As Mayor, he was asked to talk about Dodge City Days during a recent motorcycle ride;
- He was honored to welcome and send off members of the North American Rally; he was again told that the Dodge City Convention and Visitors Bureau is the best!

**ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Jan Scoggins moved to adjourn the meeting; Commissioner Joyce Warshaw seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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Nannette Pogue, City Clerk