

City of Oakland
Regular Meeting
City Hall
15 East Main Street
Thursday, February 2, 2017
7:00 P.M.

Council members present: Donnie Woodworth, Fred Ehler, David Stolz,
Steve Newlin, Dan Drake

Also present: Mayor Jamie Harris, Clerk Kelsey Willison, Chief of Police
Jack Sanders, Treasurer Dan Mathews, Janice Hunt, Kevin
McReynolds, Randy Duzan, Jim Grant, Rob Lee, Mike Huff,
Michael Patterson

Jamie Harris started the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS: Motion-Stolz, 2nd-Newlin,
Motion approved 5 ayes

APPROVAL OF TREASURER'S REPORT: Motion-Woodworth, 2nd-Newlin. Motion
approved 5 ayes.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion- Newlin, 2nd- Stolz Motion approved 5 ayes.
Add: Water Rate Increase from E.A.W.D.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: none

POLICE REPORT: Jack Sanders

6 Traffic citations, 2 criminal arrests, Assisted Oakland Fire Department with a fire at 211E. Montgomery St, Assisted Oakland Ambulance 4 times, Gas leak; unfounded, Civil matter between family members, Assisted Coles County Sheriff's Department with Domestic battery in Ashmore, Assisted Edgar County with a pursuit. Suspect abandoned his vehicle and fled on foot, Assisted Coles County K-9 unit with vehicle search, Responded to repeated 911 calls of various natures by a mentally disturbed individual. Subject had to be involuntarily committed. Theft of approximately \$1,400.00 by hacking of bank accounts.

PUBLIC WORKS: Randy Duzan

Took sewer and water samples, read water meters, maintenance on equipment, such as working on the 1972 Trencher fixed for around \$2,000.00 repair shop wanted \$6,500.00, Plowed snow once, cleaned sidewalks, grated silver street, replace a Do Not dump sign, Jim and Randy will be attending a water conference February 21-23 in Effingham looking into replacing the line locator that was stolen a few months ago.

Unfinished Business:

Clean up at Gazebo (remove concrete left from Mediacom Tower)
George Edwards is waiting on a call back from Mediacom.

New Business:

Open Sealed Bids for old Police Car

Bayridge Motors Inc. \$3,255.00

Brian Lang \$2,779.68

Roger Hale \$2,200.00

Bill Berry B&C Auto Sales \$1,895.00

Highest bid went to Bayridge Motors Inc. \$3,255.00

Motion- Newlin, **2nd**- Stolz Motion Approved 5 ayes

Kelsey needs to contact Bayridge Motor Inc. about shipping and payment.

Donation to Oakland High School National Honor Society

Donate \$100.00 **Motion-** Stolz, **2nd**- Woodworth Motion approved 5 ayes

Donation for Oakland High School Post Prom Committee 2017

Donate \$100.00 **Motion-** Woodworth, **2nd**- Stolz Motion approved 5 ayes

Pioneer Village - make a path for horse-and- buggy path

The Path would be along the creek that runs west onto city's sewer plant property.

Norton Knolls Golf Course sits just south of the area. The Village will be hosting youth groups such as Boy Scouts for camping. The buggies will be driven by Brian Karrick.

The Village has insurance and the groups staying will have to sign a liability waiver

Motion- Stolz, **2nd**- Woodworth Motion approved 5 ayes

Water rate increase from E.A.W.D.

Need an ordinance that will automatically increase water rates every time the city's water goes up. Kevin McReynolds is going to work on the ordinance. Ordinance committee will meet and discuss. Woodworth, Stolz, Stark, Wednesday February 15, 2017 @ 7:00 p.m.

Committee Reports/ Building Permits: Rob Cox 12x21 carport

Bills Reviewed and Voted Payable:

Motion- Woodworth, 2nd- Newlin. Motion Approved 5 ayes

Adjourned: 7:55 P.M. **Motion-** Woodworth 2nd- Newlin. Motion Approved 5 ayes

Kelsey Willison, City Clerk

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