

City of Oakland
Regular Meeting
City Hall
15 East Main Street
Thursday, August 1, 2019
7:00 P.M.

Council members present: Fred Ehler, Steve Newlin, Dave Stolz
Caleb Maxedon, Bradley Lee Jr.

Also, present: Mayor Bob Michaels, Clerk Vickie McQueen,
Treasurer Dan Mathews, Randy Duzan, Pam Duzan,
Attorney Jacob Smallhorn, Jim Clifton, Grace Thompson,
Dale Hanner, MaryAnn Hanner, Ethan Brewer, Beth
Hildebrand

Bob Michaels started the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Presentation of Appreciation Plaque to Randy Duzan for serving 42 years with the City

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

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

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion- Stolz, 2nd- Ehler Motion approved 5 ayes

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

GENERAL BUSINESS:

POLICE REPORT:

Police Report July 2019 (3 weeks)

-20 citations

-1 Citation for possession of cannabis.

Other Activity:

-Responded to a fire alarm at a residence with Oakland Fire Dept.

- Intoxicated pedestrian in roadway.
- Assisted CCSO with a domestic in Rardin. Later in the shift assisted them with another domestic (same players). Suspect fled on foot and was apprehended.
- Civil Standby.
- Well-being check.
- Battery at "Quality" Housing. Forwarded offense report to S. A. Office.
- Child accidentally locked in vehicle during the infamous hot spell. We've since ordered a kit to unlock vehicle ONLY in emergency situations like that.
- Assisted Oakland Ambulance.
- Assisted CCSO with a domestic in Ashmore.
- Car deer accident.
- Detained a registered sex offender that was listed as non-compliant. After investigating further, he was compliant and there was a clerical error.
- Domestic on Johnson Drive.

Bad news.... car seat had to be replaced at about \$1,500.

Good news.... We'll be receiving approximately \$500 from a drug asset forfeiture and a percentage of \$7,100 from a vehicle we seized from a drug asset forfeiture. Unsure what the exact percentage will be.

PUBLIC WORKS:

Water and Sewer samples, read water meters. Replaced valve to the Lion on the Square and is working. Watermain by Jim Cliftons will be worked on soon.

Unfinished Business:

Sidewalk Update

Will be working on raising sidewalks 3" by the school. Jim Cravens will be helping.

Recycling Bin at School

School is ok with moving the bin back up behind the City Hall when the next bin is delivered. Bob will attend the Hindsboro meeting 2nd week of August to ask for help with the payment of bin.

Jacob will talk to Coles County Regional Planning to see if they will assist with payment.

Luke Williams offered \$500 a year to help keep it.

East Oakland Township will give \$3000.

Bob will ask Janice to run ad in paper for donations.

It was approved to continue Recycle Bin through August.

APPROVAL OF NON-HIGHWAY VEHICLES ORDINANCE NO.2019-O-3: Motion-Stolz
2nd-Lee Motion approved 5 ayes.

APPROVAL OF ANNUAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO.2019-O-2: Motion-Ehler
2nd- Newlin Motion approved 5 ayes.

Regional Planning: New Codes book

Jacob found that there is a new code book from 2017, book is 114 pages long and will be E-mailed to Vickie and she will forward to all council members to review. It was discussed to appoint a committee to review and approve ordinances.

Intern still feels he can print a new code book for under \$1000.

ADDENDUM TO POLICY FOR OVERTIME FOR CITY EMPLOYEES, MARCH 5, 2015

Overtime for City employees can not exceed 80 hrs at any time.

Motion- Newlin 2nd -Stolz Motion approved 5 ayes.

APPROVAL OF APPRECIATION BONUS FOR JACK SANDERS:

A bonus of \$147.00 a month starting August 1, 2019 and continue for 11 months.

Motion – Ehler 2nd – Newlin Motion approved 5 ayes.

PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEE ACTION NEEDED.

New Business:

PROMOTE JIM CLIFTON TO SUPERINTENDANT OF PUBLIC WORK:

Motion – Stolz 2nd – Newlin Motion approved 5 ayes.

MOTION TO HIRE CALEB MAXEDON FOR MAINTANANCE WORKER, START AUGUST 15, 2019:

Motion – Newlin 2nd – Ehler Motion approved 4 ayes Obstain - Maxedon

Committee Reports/ Building Permits:

Committee Meeting: Personnel and Police None to report at this time

Bills Reviewed and Voted Payable:

Motion-Stolz 2nd-Newlin . Motion approved 5 ayes

Adjourned: 7:55 P.M.

Motion- Stolz 2nd - Ehler Motion approved 5 ayes

Vickie McQueen, City Clerk