

City of Fairbury
City Council Minutes – June 2, 2021
6:30 p.m. - Fairbury City Hall

1. **Call to order** – Mayor Slagel called the meeting to order.
2. **Mayor Slagel directed the Clerk to call roll and the following members of Council answered present:** Gary Norris, Steve Endres, Charles Hoselton, Jon Kinate, Bruce Weber, Gerald Hoffman and Lynn Dameron. Bill Schmidgall was absent.
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Motion to approve the Consent Agenda** – Motion by Kinate, second by Hoselton to approve the following items on the Consent Agenda:
 - A. Minutes from the May 19, 2021, council meeting
 - B. Voucher Invoice Register listing the bills
 - C. Treasurer's Cash Report (second meeting of the month)
 - D. Check Register (second meeting of the month)
 - E. 511 W Walnut, 200 sq ft @ \$1.75 per sq ft = \$350; 509 W Elm, 220 Sq Ft @ \$1.75 per sq ft = \$385
 - F. Overtime Report

Motion carried 7-0. YES-Norris Endres Hoselton Kinate Weber Hoffman Dameron

5. **Mayor Slagel opened Public Comment and the following persons provided comments:**
 - **Jim and Jeanne Munz presented Brian J Munz Scholarship Awards to Amanda Edelman, Rebecca Steffen, Kylie Bazzell, Zachary Bee and Mitchell Bazzell**

6. **Reports of Departments**

- Streets & Fire – Martin Steidinger, Superintendent & Chief reported
 - Pine Street is done
 - The sewer plant road is done
- Sewer – Brad Duncan, Superintendent – no report
- Water – Mike Mellott, Superintendent was absent
- Police – Robert McCormick, Chief reported
 - He's still waiting on the new squad car to get delivered
- City – Brett Ashburn, Superintendent reported
 - The Boys & Girls Club is hosting a Vaccine Drive June 19th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the circle parking lot (near the volleyball courts) of North Park for individuals 12 years of age and older
 - Scheduled a Water & Sewer Committee meeting prior to the next council meeting, June 16th, at 6:15 p.m. to discuss new water meters and software
- Legal – Steven Mann, City Attorney – no report

7. **Reports of Aldermen**

- Alderman Norris reported the concrete pads for disc golf have been installed
- Alderman Endres reported Tony Welch, summer help for the Street Department, is doing a good job
- Alderman Hoselton – no report
- Alderman Kinate reported he spoke with City Superintendent Ashburn about the misspelled street sign in Timber Ridge
- Alderman Weber – no report

- Alderman Hoffman reported he received a complaint from a constituent about getting late fees on his/her water bill
- Alderman Dameron – no report
- Alderman Schmidgall was absent

8. Items Removed from Consent Agenda
NONE

9. Old Business – Discussion/Action Items - NONE

10. New Business – Discussion/Action Items

- A. Motion by Kinate, second by Dameron to approve a request to close Locust Street between 3rd & 5th Streets on Saturday, July 31st for the 2nd Annual Prairie Dirt Classic Cruise-In from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Motion carried 7-0. YES-Norris Endres Hoselton Kinate Weber Hoffman Dameron
- B. Motion by Norris, second by Hoselton to approve a bid received for 2021-2022 MFT Seal Coat project from McLean County Asphalt Company in the amount of \$28,564.30. Motion carried 7-0. YES-Norris Endres Hoselton Kinate Weber Hoffman Dameron

11. Other Items for Discussion & Information

This section includes items received after the required posting of 48 hours prior to the start of the meeting.

- A. The Council approved a Motorist Awareness Program Proclamation from the Gold Wing Road Rider's Association
- B. The Mayor shared a letter from an out of town visitor expressing displeasure at a sign on private property on the west side of town

12. Public Comment

13. DID NOT ENTER

14. Adjournment – Motion by Dameron, second by Kinate to adjourn at 6:52 p.m.

Nancy Widlacki, City Clerk