

MINUTES OF THE FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL MEETING

October 28, 2013

The Fairfield City Council met in regular session on Monday, October 28, 2013 at 7:00 P.M. with Mayor Malloy presiding. Members present were: Hamilton, Rasmussen, Boyer, Ledger-Kalen, Hammes, and Halley. Revolinski was absent.

CONSENT AGENDA

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Boyer

AYES: Hamilton, Boyer, Halley, Rasmussen, Hammes, Ledger-Kalen

**TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 23,
2013 REGULAR MEETING.**

**TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 3029 AUTHORIZING
EMPLOYMENT IN THE WASTEWATER DEPARTMENT.**

**TO APPROVE OPERATING CLAIMS IN THE AMOUNT
OF \$607,424.01.**

PUBLIC FORUM/APPEARANCES

Ed Morrison, IMWCA loss control representative, appeared before the City Council to present a Best Practices Award to the City of Fairfield. This award represents the City of Fairfield going above and beyond by practicing workplace safety throughout all city departments.

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Rasmussen

AYES: Hamilton, Rasmussen, Ledger-Kalen, Hammes, Halley, Boyer

**TO APPROVE THE LIGHTING DEDICATION
CEREMONY ON NOVEMBER 29TH AS REQUESTED
BY THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.**

RESOLUTIONS, ACTION ITEMS & ORDINANCES

Moved by Rasmussen, seconded by Boyer

AYES: Rasmussen, Boyer, Halley, Hammes, Ledger-Kalen, Hamilton

**TO APPROVE A CLEANING CONTRACT
FOR T & L CLEANING.**

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Moved by Boyer, seconded by Halley

AYES: Boyer, Halley, Hamilton, Ledger-Kalen, Hammes, Rasmussen

TO APPROVE A CAT GRANT.

Moved by Hammes, seconded by Ledger-Kalen

AYES: Hammes, Ledger-Kalen, Rasmussen, Hamilton, Halley, Boyer

**TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 3030
APPROVING A TAX ABATEMENT FOR
300 W. BURLINGTON AVE. (SWEET SPOT).**

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Hammes

AYES: Hamilton, Hammes, Boyer, Halley, Rasmussen, Ledger-Kalen

**TO PASS THROUGH THE THIRD AND FINAL
READING AND ADOPT ORDINANCE NO. 1109
VACATING AN ALLEYWAY TO THE FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH.**

Moved by Boyer, seconded by Rasmussen

AYES: Boyer, Rasmussen, Ledger-Kalen, Halley, Hammes, Hamilton

**TO ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 3031
AUTHORIZING THE CONVEYANCE OF REAL
ESTATE TO THE FIRST UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH.**

Mayor Malloy announced this was the time and date set for a public hearing on an amendment to a deer ordinance.

LaVon Hostetler spoke in favor of this amendment stating that deer have wreaked havoc on gardens and flowerbeds in the city limits. She also stated that deer are increasingly more brazen about entering back yards.

Several residents including Diane Rosenberg, Christine Boxerman, Nikki Weaver, Susan Chapin, and Joseph Boxerman all spoke against this amendment stating there are other alternatives other than killing the deer.

Parks & Recreation Director, Derik Wulfekuhle, suggested that OB Nelson and the dog park be closed while this deer hunt would be going on. He stated he would arrange for that.

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Rasmussen

AYES: Hamilton, Rasmussen, Ledger-Kalen, Hammes, Halley, Boyer

**TO PASS THROUGH THE FIRST READING OF
ORDINANCE NO. 1110 WHICH IS AN
AMENDMENT TO THE CURRENT DEER
ORDINANCE.**

MAYOR REPORT

Moved by Halley, seconded by Hammes

AYES: Halley, Hammes, Boyer, Ledger-Kalen, Rasmussen, Hamilton

**TO APPOINT WERNER ELMKER
TO THE FPAC BOARD AS RECOMMENDED
BY MAYOR MALLOY.**

COMMITTEE & BOARD REPORTS

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Ledger-Kalen

AYES: Hamilton, Ledger-Kalen, Rasmussen, Boyer, Hammes, Halley

**TO CREDIT \$2,893.85 BACK TO JOHN DAHL'S
UTILITY BILL AT 308 E. FILLMORE AS
RECOMMENDED BY THE WATER & SEWER
COMMITTEE.**

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ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Hamilton, seconded by Boyer

AYES: Hamilton, Boyer, Halley, Hammes, Rasmussen, Ledger-Kalen

TO ADJOURN AT 9:00 P.M.

Submitted by:

Joy Messer
City Clerk