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February 22, 2022

Due to the holiday on Monday the Rossville City Council meeting was called to order on Tuesday, February 22, 2022 at 7:00 pm by Mayor James Meyer.

Council members present were Todd Reeves, Dan Glotzbach, Trish Heim and Toby McCullough.

Also present was Alan Zlatnik, Jason Connell and Jeffrey Overmyer.

Motion by Toby McCullough to approve minutes of the February 7, 2022 meeting as written was seconded by Trish Heim and carried.

The following bills were presented;

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EFTPS-FedWh	\$1,005.39	EFTPS-FICA	\$1,853.96
EMPower Retirement	447.00	Grace Hier	150.00
Kansas Payment Center	123.69	Kansas Withholding Tax	483.80
KP & F	1,085.75	KPERS	1,137.81
Alan Zlatnik	1,512.47	Tracey Taylor	814.81
Lisa Stum	1,168.11	Michael Kirk	1,278.46
Jason Connell	1,017.75	Douglas Schreiner	271.13
Harry Hammer III	635.44	Tina Dick	458.94
Frederick White	57.63	Trent Stanley	1,133.92
Jacob Akin	270.59	AFLAC	520.88
Advance Insurance Co. Of Ks.	77.40	Axon Enterprise, Inc.	678.34
Casey's	1,767.88	Century Business Technologies	39.61
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Ks.	9,908.67	Microsoft	8.00
US Bank	54.56	Charles D. Jones & Co., Inc.	133.00
CenturyLink Business Service	498.13	D & D Security	24.95
Evergy	1,960.98	David Klamm	10.00
Fastdraws	54.91	Kansas Gas Service	494.22
Galls LLC	151.98	Hawkins, Inc.	1,499.92
KTA Tolls	6.80	Kalos, Inc.	146.68
Kansasland Tire	1,330.28	Ks . State Treasurer-Bonds	24,511.88
Rossville Truck & Tractor Co.	122.02	Stanley E Oyler Law Offices	3,140.00
State Industrial Products	612.66	Universal Chemical LLC	550.86
Wheatland Pest Control	135.00		
TOTAL	63,346.26		

Motion by Dan Glotzbach to pay bills as presented totaling \$63,346.26 was seconded by Todd Reeves and carried.

Motion by Dan Glotzbach to approve agenda with the addition of water bill adjustment-434 Orange and computer purchase was seconded by Trish Heim and carried.

Christi McKenzie arrived at 7:04pm.

Mayor Meyer reported that he had consulted with City Attorney Stanley Oyler regarding lease for walking trail and that no agreement has been completed yet due to issues with liability insurance that need to be resolved after the City has selected a new insurance carrier.

Christi McKenzie reported that she had attended the school board meeting and asked board about partnering with the City to upgrade lights at Campbell stadium and the school board decided not to partner with the City.

Utility Superintendent Alan Zlatnik reported that his department had purchased boards to repair signs and dug hole for forestry burn pile. In addition, Zlatnik noted that J. Warren would be taking down the poles at Campbell Field on Friday.

Christi McKenzie inquired about sprinkler system at swimming pool. Superintendent Zlatnik to get cost estimate for repairs.

Police Chief Jason Connell reported that Officer Hammer III had submitted information regarding transportation enhancement grant for crosswalks and sidewalks at Highway 24. Christi McKenzie to look at application for submittal.

Chief Connell noted that Code Enforcement Administration Jeffrey Overmyer and he had notified property owner of trailer at 525 W. Pottawatomie about scheduled inspection and owner failed to answer door and allow access for the purpose of inspection. Chief Connell noted that City could request court order to access property from district court.

Council inquired about police personnel scheduling. Chief Connell noted that Officer Schreiner was scheduling part time officers to cover shifts and that the police department may need to look at hiring another part time officer.

Council inquired about code enforcement violations. Chief Connell noted that the police department would be looking at violations more carefully in the spring.

Toby McCullough reported that he had talked to Brandon Bergstresser about stone for south City entrance sign and he had indicated that he would be picking up stone to take to Lardner to get engraved.

Code Enforcement Administrator Jeffrey Overmyer reported that inquiry had been made about property in commercial zones being used as residence. Current zoning codes do not address issue. Following discussion, no action was taken.

Demolition permit for shed at 525 Orange was presented. Motion by Christi McKenzie to approve permit was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried.

Clerk requested permission to purchase three new laptop computers for use at court sessions using funds from court "IT" fees collected at cost of app \$5,500.00. Following discussion motion by Trish Heim to approve purchase was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried.

Request for water bill adjustment for 434 Orange due to leak at meter that was repaired by city personnel was presented. Motion by Toby McCullough to approve adjustment of half the overage was seconded by Todd Reeves and carried.

Council discussed progress of bid for insurance coverage and quote from KMIT. No action was taken at this time.

Motion by Dan Glotzbach to adjourn was seconded by Toby McCullough and carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

City Clerk Lisa M. Stum