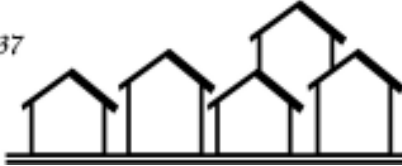


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July 21, 2025

The Rossville City Council meeting was called to order on Monday, July 21, 2025 at 5:58 pm by Mayor James Meyer.

Council members present were Trish Heim, Todd Reeves, Dan Glotzbach, Rick Towers and Vern Sumner.

Also present were Thomas Sipp, Chance Stum and Myron Leinwetter.

Motion by Rick Towers to approve the minutes of the July 7, 2025 meeting as corrected was seconded by Trish Heim and carried.

The following bills were presented;

American Playground & Recreation	\$9,198.00	EFTPS-Fed Wh	\$1,117.45
EFTPS-FICA	2,296.20	EMPower Retirement	544.85
Grace Hier	150.00	Kansas Withholding Tax	697.01
KPERS	1,927.50	Alan Zlatnik	1,818.85
Taylor Morelli	1,226.21	Lisa Stum	1,515.13
Randall Anderson	1,075.63	Chance Stum	1,412.77
Douglas Schreiner	509.82	Tina Dick	45.20
Thomas Sipp	2,008.77	Brooklyn Sipp	1,201.18
Harry Hammer III	179.03	AFLAC	465.50
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Ks	8,502.51	Brightspeed	136.43
Amazon.com	98.91	Casey's Business Mastercard	310.71
Cenex Fleet Fueling	613.70	Galls LLC	7.99
Century Business Technologies	219.01	Plakio Angelo	.50
Evergy	3,496.63	Freedom Claims Management	4,606.43
Premier Farm & Home	525.97	Kansas Gas Service	131.80
Richard's Heating Cooling	334.00	Lowe's Business	519.25
Stephen M. Connelly, CPA,PC	1,470.00	Office Depot	79.98
Office Max	629.99	Tany Miller & Kazimir Dziena	76.89
Stanley Oyler Law Office	4,235.00	Universal Chemical LLC	567.73
Sugar Creek	72.76	Bank of the Flint Hills	40.20
Rossville Water Service	76.89		
TOTAL	54,142.38		

Motion by Dan Glotzbach to pay bills as presented totaling \$54,142.38 was seconded by Rick Towers and carried.

Motion by Trish Heim to adopt agenda as written was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried.

Mayor Meyer reported that WIBW had done news report on the ballpark grandstand that would air on Thursday at 10.

Motion by Trish Heim to go into executive session for 20 minutes to discuss personnel was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried. Executive session to be from 6:04pm to 6:24pm. Mayor and council to attend.

Motion by Trish Heim to extend executive session for 10 minutes was seconded by Todd Reeves and carried.

Motion by Trish Heim to extend executive session for 5 minutes was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried.

Council reconvened in open session at 6:39pm.

Utility Employee Chance Stum reported that he and the Mayor had looked at drainage ditches needing to be cleaned and Mayor noted that property owners would need to be contacted. Council also had discussion regarding mowing of grass in or on ditches, sidewalks and streets and cleaning of storm drains on Highway 24.

Council had discussion with Chance Stum regarding playground mulch. Following discussion council requested that previous decision to purchase mulch be cancelled as mulch could not be installed before Tall Corn Festival. Council to look into option of purchasing rubber mulch for playground area in City Park.

Police Chief Thomas Sipp reported that he had contacted Safe Kids Kansas and they provided information on grants to assist with purchase of rubber mulch for playground. He forwarded this information to Myron Leinwetter.

Chief Thomas Sipp reported that crosswalk at Main and Highway 24 was painted on Saturday. Will need to get more beads from KDOT to complete other crosswalk. Will plan to do on July 26th if can get beads.

Chief Thomas Sipp reported that there seems to be few traffic issues with the bridge work on Highway 24 due to signal being triggered automatically and signs.

Chief Sipp reported on inquiry from Zach Kanieki of Shawnee County Parks and Recreation regarding swimming pool parking lot issues during Tall Corn Festival. Chief Sipp noted that committee advised that parking lot will be closed both Friday and Saturday.

Chief Sipp reported that; new radar units have been installed; property on Navarre had been mowed and letter mailed noting that no further notice will be given; he had spoken with owner of stop and shop about holes and someone should be out this week; he took 2024 Tahoe to Safelite for repair of rock chip in windshield; he has identified several properties with tall grass and downed tree branches and will contact when weather is drier.

Chief Sipp discussed part time employee differential pay and inquired about paying for any time worked after 5pm regardless of employees start time. Following discussion motion by Todd Reeves to pay part time police officers differential pay for time worked after 5pm regardless of when shift starts as long as time worked after 5pm is at least 3 hours was seconded by Trish Heim and carried.

Chief Sipp presented incident report from June.

Motion by Todd Reeves to approve employee salary changes as presented was seconded by Dan Glotzbach and carried. List to be attached to minutes.

Mayor reported that ballpark grandstand renovations were on schedule and project is ready to go out for bids.

Clerk presented special event CMB license applications from the Rossville American Legion Post #31 for the City park area and for the 400 block of Main Street. Following discussion council requested that Chief Sipp contact Alcohol Beverage Control regarding requirements.

Motion by Todd Reeves to adjourn was seconded by Vernon Sumner and carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:41pm.

Lisa M. Stum
City Clerk