

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

June 7, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: The Regular Meeting of the Galena City Council was called to order on Monday, June 7, 2021, at 6:00 P.M. in the Galena Council Chamber with Mayor Lance Nichols residing.

ROLL CALL: Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
Absent: Mr. Nolan

MINUTES: Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Mr. West; to approve and place on file the Regular Council Meeting minutes of 05/17/2021, Special Meeting minutes of 05/21/2021 and the Fire Department Meeting Minutes of 05/27/2021
AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
NAYS:
Absent: Mr. Nolan
Motion Carries

APPROPRIATIONS 21-06a: Moved by Ms. Qualls-Groves; seconded by Ms. Flint to pay appropriations 21-06a in the amount of \$55,916.11.
AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
NAYS:
Absent: Mr. Nolan
Motion Carries

MAYOR LANCE NICHOLS INTRODUCES NEW LIBRARIAN DEANN WHITED TO THE COUNCIL

DEMO HEARING: Mayor Lance Nichols opened the floor for the hearing on 1800 Joplin. After no discussion, the hearing was closed.

Councilman Oglesby requested a second opinion on the condition of 1800 Joplin. Mayor Nichols asked Superintendent Josh Reed to reach out to a contractor to get the second opinion. Superintendent Reed advised he would follow up with Code Enforcement.

Chris McWilliams was in attendance to discuss his property and semi-trailers. He was advised that he needed to contact EPA to get a written letter about what he could or could not build/use his mined property

(S14, T34, R25, ACRES 18.5, NE4 SW4 N SL&SF RR) for. He is to submit the written letter for the EPA to the City Clerks office for presentation to the Council at the June 21st, 2021, City Council Meeting.

Executive Session: Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Qualls-Groves
To call for a 10-minute attorney/client executive session with Superintendent Josh Reed, Assistant City Clerk Tracy Roberts, and City Attorney Candace Gayoso.

AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Start: 6:32pm

End: 6:50pm

ROLL CALL: Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
Absent: Mr. Nolan
No Action Taken

Executive Session: Moved by Ms. Qualls-Groves; seconded by Ms. Jordan
To call for a 10-minute attorney/client executive session with Superintendent Josh Reed and City Attorney Candace Gayoso.

AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Start: 6:51pm

End: 7:11pm

ROLL CALL: Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
Absent: Mr. Nolan
No Action Taken

Library Parking Lot: Moved by Ms. Qualls-Groves; seconded by Ms. Jordan to pay \$2282.50 to 3-C's to seal and stripe parking spots at the Galena Public Library. Other bid was Springfield Striping and Sealing for \$6183.35.

Roll Call Vote: AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves, Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Ms. Qualls-Groves excused herself from the meeting at 7:16pm

Mowers: Moved by Ms. Jordan; seconded by Ms. Flint to purchase one 60" Bad Boy and one 54" Bad Boy lawn mower from Lambert Tractor in the amount of \$10754.60. Other bids were S&H Farm Supply Skagg Patriot mowers 54" and 60" for \$14789.00 and S&H Farm Supply Sparton mowers 54" and 60" for \$12998.00.

AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves,
Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Ms. Qualls-Groves reentered the meeting at 7:20pm

Executive Session: Moved by Ms. Qualls-Groves; seconded by Ms. Jordan
to call for a 10-minute attorney/client executive
session for personnel including City Attorney Candace
Gayoso, Asst. City Clerk Tracy Roberts, and Police
Chief Billy Charles

AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves,
Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Start: 7:27pm

End: 7:55pm

Councilman Neil Oglesby excused himself from the meeting at 7:36pm

Councilman Neil Oglesby reentered the meeting at 7:40pm

ROLL CALL: Roll call indicated the following council members
present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves,
Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan
Absent: Mr. Nolan
No Action Taken

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Ms. Jordan; seconded by Ms. Watkins to
adjourn the regular meeting.

AYES: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Flint, Ms. Qualls-Groves,
Ms. Watkins, Mr. West, Ms. Jordan

NAYS:

Absent: Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

ATTEST:

Tracy Roberts Asst. City Clerk

Lance Nichols, Mayor