



City of Galena
211 W 7th St.
Galena Kansas 66739



MINUTES

CITY

REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING 05/01/2023

Event Date/Time May 1, 2023 6:00 PM Location City Council Chamber 211 W 7th ST, Galena, KS 66739

CALL TO ORDER

Agenda Item

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Minutes

The regular City Council meeting was called to order on Monday, May 1, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the Galena Council Chamber with Mayor Ashley Groves presiding.

Agenda Item

ROLL CALL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Minutes

Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

MINUTES

Agenda Item

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES 04/17/2023; FIRE DEPARTMENT MEETING MINUTES 04/27/2023

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Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner, seconded by Ms. Watkins to approve and place on file the REGULAR MEETING MINUTES 04/17/2023 and the FIRE DEPARTMENT MEETING MINUTES 04/27/2023.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

APPROPRIATIONS

Agenda Item

AP23-05A: \$37,135.13

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Moved by Ms. Watkins; seconded by Ms. Flint to approve and pay AP23-05A in the amount of \$37,135.13.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

MAYOR

Agenda Item

LIONS CLUB: HARRY CANTRELL

Minutes

Lions club presented a \$500.00 donation to help with the cost of renovating the Senior Citizen and Event Center.

CITY ATTORNEY

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Agenda Item

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Minutes

Moved by Ms. Flint; seconded by Ms. Watkins to approve Resolution 23-17; a resolution fixing a time and place providing a hearing before the governing body, at which the owner, his or her agent, lienholders of record, occupants and other parties in the interest of structures located within said city and described herein may appear and show cause why such structure should not be condemned and ordered repaired or demolished as an unsafe structure, 1118 Madison.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

NEW BUSINESS

Agenda Item

NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION PLAN

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Minutes

Moved by Ms. Flint; seconded by Ms. Watkins to approve Resolution 23-16, a resolution by the City of Galena, Kansas to set a public hearing regarding the establishment of a neighborhood revitalization plan, May 15th with amendments to sections numbers and date.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:



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Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

OLD BUSINESS

Agenda Item

WILLIAM GILLELAND: EXTENSION FOR 301 JOPLIN ST CONDEMNED PROPERTY (SEE ATTACHED RESOLUTION)

[res.23-09.pdf](#)

Minutes

Mr. Gilleland was advised to return to the next City Council Meeting May 15th, with an update on progress. List of code violations from the City Building Inspector was given to Mr. Gilleland.

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Agenda Item

TRANSFER OF FUNDS

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Flint to transfer \$11,000 from the Equipment Reserve fund to the General, then transfer the \$11,000 from General to Solid Waste.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

CITY PARK WALKING TRACK LIGHTS

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Flint to approve the upgrade from Liberty Utilities on the Walking Track Lights.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

7TH STREET SCHOOL CROSS WALK BEACONS

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Watkins to approve the purchase of new Advanced Warning beacons with a 12 Month warranty in the amount of \$8000.00 from Gades Traffic. Galena USD 499 may assist with purchase price.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries



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ADJOURN

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Moved by Ms. Flint; seconded by Ms. Watkins to adjourn the regular meeting.

Ayes: Mr. West (via phone), Ms. Flint, Ms. Watkins, Mr. LaTurner

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Mr. Nolan

Motion Carries