



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



MINUTES

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REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING-01/16/2024

Event Date/Time Jan 16, 2024 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 Council Meeting was called to order on Tuesday January 16, 2024 at 6:00 pm, in the Council Chamber, with Mayor Ashley Groves presiding.

Agenda Item

ROLL CALL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Minutes

Roll Call indicated the following:

Present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

MINUTES

Agenda Item

Regular Council Meeting 1/3/24 and Fire Department Meeting 1/11/24.

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Minutes

Moved by Mr. Laturner; seconded by Ms. Reynolds to approve and place on file Regular Council Meeting 1/3/24 and Fire Department Meeting 1/11/24.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries:

APPROPRIATIONS

Agenda Item

AP24-01B: \$ 152,290.65

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Moved by Mr. Laturner; seconded by Ms. Flint to pay appropriations AP24-1B of \$152,290.65.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries:

MAYOR

Agenda Item

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Minutes

Moved by Ms. Jackson; seconded by Ms Reynolds to retain Councilman Laturner as President of Council.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Abstained: Mr. Laturner

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Caries:

CITY ATTORNEY

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Agenda Item

1020 S MAIN ST UPDATE

Minutes

Ms. Jackson updated the council on 1020 S Main. She stated she had not talked to the owner/resident but she had spoke with his father and a mental health worker.

Agenda Item

1503 LINCOLN DR: RESOLUTION NEEDED

[1503lincolndr.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Laturner; seconded by Ms. Reynolds to pass Resolution 24-03. a resolution accepting the preliminary report of the public officer that certain structures within the city limits of Galena, Kansas are dangerous, unsafe, or unfit for human habitation and set a hearing for March 4, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the Council Chambers.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries:

NEW BUSINESS

Agenda Item

WATER & SEWER TAP FEES 216 W 17th



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Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jackson to waive the water and sewer tapping fees for 216 W 17th St.in Galena Kansas.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries:

Agenda Item

CROSSWALK LITES SPRING GROVE

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Reynolds to pay a \$5000.00 out of Special Highway funds for a new/ updated crosswalk signal to replace the one in Spring Grove, the school is willing to contribute funds for the sign. Cost \$8895.00.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Caries:

OLD BUSINESS

Agenda Item

FIRE DEPARTMENT PLACED ON LIST

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Flint to allow the fire department to be placed on a list for a slot for 2026 apparatus /fire truck estimated cost \$759,196.00. Motion was made 11/20/23 to allow the fire chief to start looking.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries:

Agenda Item

BIDS FOR MOWING CEMETERIES

Minutes

Moved by Ms Reynolds; seconded by Mr. Laturner to allow a request for bids to be published for the mowing of the cemeteries.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Caries:

ADJOURNMENT

Agenda Item

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Moved by Mr. Laturner; seconded by Mr. Oglesby to adjourn the regular meeting of 1/16/24.

Ayes: Mr. Oglesby, Ms Reynolds, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Botkin, Ms. Watkins

Motion Caries: