



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



MINUTES

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REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING 7/15/2024

Event Date/Time Jul 15, 2024 6:00 PM Location City Council Chamber 211 W 7th ST, Galena, KS 66739

CALL TO ORDER

Agenda Item

CALL TO ORDER

Minutes

The regular city council meeting was called to order on 07/15/2024 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. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Absent: Ms. Watkins

MINUTES

Agenda Item

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES 7/1/2024

[regularcitycouncilmeeting07_01_2024.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Mr. Oglesby to approve and place on file the Regular Meeting Minutes of 07/01/2024.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

APPROPRIATIONS

Agenda Item

AP24-07B: \$100,501.47

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[ap24-07b.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Botkin to approve and pay Appropriations 24-07b in the amount of \$100,501.47.

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



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Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

MAYOR

Agenda Item

REVENUE NEUTRAL RATE

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Reynolds to approve to possibly exceed the revenue neutral rate for 2025 and send statement to county.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Jackson to set the budget and RNR hearing for August 19th , 2024 during the regular City Council meeting.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

CITY ATTORNEY

Agenda Item

STO ORDINANCE

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[ord.2024-03standardtrafficeordinance.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Flint to approve Ordinance 24-03, An ordinance regulating traffic within the corporate limits of the City of Galena, Kansas; incorporating by reference the Standard Traffic Ordinance for Kansas Cities, edition of 2024

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

UPOC ORDINANCE

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[ord.2024-04uniformpublicoffensecode.pdf](#)

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Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Mr. Oglesby to approve Ordinance 24-04, An ordinance regulating public offenses within the corporate limits of the City of Galena, Kansas; incorporating by reference the Uniform Public Offense Code for Kansas Cities, edition of 2024.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Agenda Item

2004 JOPLIN: TABLED FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jackson to table 2004 Joplin until the next meeting to allow time for Building Inspector to meet for inspection.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

DEPARTMENT HEADS

NEW BUSINESS

Agenda Item

GRAVY'S PLACE: REQUEST TO CLOSE 4TH STREET 8/10/2024 FOR SPECIAL EVENT

[res.specialevent.pdf](#)

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[res.2024-22specialevent.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jackson to approve Resolution 24-22, A Resolution seeking to close a portion of Fourth Street temporarily for a special event and allow alcohol to be possessed in restricted areas.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Agenda Item

PLANNING AND ZONING MEETING

[ord.2024-05rezoning2103joplin.pdf](#)

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Jackson to approve the recommendation rezoning the property at 2103 Joplin from a R1 to an R2.

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

Nays:



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Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Jackson to approve Ordinance 24-05, an ordinance rezoning real estate located in the City of Galena, Cherokee County, Kansas, from an R1 to R2 legally described as 2103 Joplin St.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

OLD BUSINESS

Agenda Item

WATER AND SEWER TAP FEES TABLED FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Minutes

Request for Utility Committee Meeting to discuss Water, Sewer, and Solid Waste Rates.

DEPARTMENT HEADS

Agenda Item

FIRE ARM INCENTIVE FOR OFFICERS

Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Jackson to approve an officer incentive to receive their duty weapon to keep for personal use after five years of service or leave of position upon the Department Heads approval.

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

Nays: Mr. Oglesby

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

Agenda Item

ATTORNEY CLIENT

Minutes

Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Flint to call a 10 minute attorney client executive session to protect attorney client privileges, keeping in session city attorney, department heads, and Ms. Roberts.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Start: 6:23 pm

End 6:47 pm

No Action Taken

Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner,



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Ms. Jackson

Absent: Ms. Watkins

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NON ELECTED PERSONNEL

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Moved by Mr. Oglesby; seconded by Ms. Flint to call a 10 minute executive session to discuss personnel matters of nonelected personnel keeping in the city attorney.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries

Start: 6:47 pm

End 7:18 pm

No Action Taken

Roll call indicated the following council members present: Mr. Oglesby, Ms. Reynolds, Ms. Botkin, Ms. Flint, Mr. LaTurner, Ms. Jackson

Absent: Ms. Watkins

ADJOURNMENT

Agenda Item

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Minutes

Moved by Mr. LaTurner; seconded by Ms. Jackson to adjourn the regular city council meeting.

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

Nays:

Absent: Ms. Watkins

Motion Carries