

CITY OF GARRISON
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, July 5, 2023

The regular meeting of the Garrison City Council was held Monday June 5, 2023, at 6 pm. The meeting was held at the Garrison Public Library. Mayor Flickinger presided. Council members present: Tina Rommann, Al Lindsey, Marvin Trimble, Robert Decker, and Doug Kearns. City Clerk, Angela Dague recorded the minutes.

- Kearns moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Trimble. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Hearing – Ron/Holly Melley did not show up to the requested hearing. A letter will be sent.
- Decker moved to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Rommann. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
 - Minutes of the Regular Meeting dated June 5, 2023
 - Minutes of the Code Work Session dated June 19, 2023
 - Financial Reports
 - Claims List dated July 5, 2023
- Vicki Grimm requested a culvert in her front yard. She also informed the Council that there were kids riding bikes through the ditch, and up into her yard. Concern is if they get hurt.
- Garrett Flickinger - fence permit
 - Kearns made a motion to approve Flickinger’s fence permit, seconded by Lindsey. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Bill Glime – fence permit – no action taken; citizen did not attend.
- Public Comment –
 - Thank yous were expressed to Marvin Trimble for work at the park in preparation for the Sesquicentennial.
 - Auens expressed concern about the new ditch depth in front of their residence.
 - There are 2 offensive smells - a foul garbage smell. It has been addressed. The other is a rotten corn smell. Will be addressed before Sesquicentennial.
- Departments gave reports/comments.
 - Mayor – Requested 2 vehicles get tagged.
 - Public Safety – No report
 - Attorney – report given.
 - Maintenance/Roads – Ditching has started, road work is slated to begin mid-July, potholes will be filled, discussion on alley work between Walnut and Spruce. City will look into Hatch regrading the alley.
 - Public Works – Hydrant needs replaced on Main, continue progress with fence at lagoon and seeding the area, valve is in process of being replaced.
 - BC Development –no report
 - Park – Pavilion has a new roof and paint, dug outs and benches are being built, lime will be leveled, new toilet will be put in.

- Fire Dept. – prepping for Sesquicentennial, will be blocking off Hickory for BBQ and dance, parts of park will be blocked.
 - Library – Prepping for Sesquicentennial breakfast and history display, Summer Library Program and kids’ lunches are going on through July.
 - Sesquicentennial – Discussed in other departments. Trees on Main will be picked up, basketball nets are being purchased, there are honeybees in the Haunted building.
 - Administrative – Clerk will be out of the office August 17 – up to 2 weeks, because of shoulder surgery. The clerk shared nuisance charts and progress with abatements that have started.
- Business Items:
 - The code meeting will be July 17 @ 6 pm.

Lindsey moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Decker. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried. There being no further business before council, Mayor Flickinger adjourned the meeting at 7:55 pm.

MAYOR:

Garrett Flickinger

ATTEST:

Angela Dague, Clerk

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