

**ULYSSES CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
February 22, 2017**

PRESENT:

Mayor: John Battin

Council Members Present: Kenneth Warner, Jerry Jo Deckert, Tim McCauley,
and John Duran

Staff Present: Alan Olson, Sarah Britton, and Dave Black,

Visitors: Gary Boldt

Mayor Battin called the meeting to order at 5:00pm.

The **Pledge of Allegiance** was led by Mayor Battin.

Council Member John Duran led the room in **Opening Prayer**.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Council Member Deckert, seconded by Council Member Warner to approve the consent agenda. Council Members McCauley, and Deckert voted yea. Those voting nay, none. Motion carried, 4 yeas. Nays, none.

Visitors:

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

STAFF COMMENTS

City Clerk Britton stated that the Chamber Dinner is February 25, 2017 at 6:00p.m. Britton asked the Council if they agreed to have Ruben Flores be the voting delegate at the Annual Meeting of Membership of the Kansas Rural Water Association. The council agreed to designate Ruben as the voting delegate.

Interim City Administrator Olson stated that for several years the city has leased the parking lot south and west of City Hall, but it came to people's attention when they started getting notices to pay property taxes on that property. It is leased to the city so we can use it for public parking. Olson also stated that he spoke with the tax appeals board about the taxes, but the first thing we need to do is get the lease agreement up to date. If there is nothing that you would like to change we will have the agreement ready to sign at the next meeting.

COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS

Council Member Deckert asked how the Golf Course was doing. Interim City Administrator stated that it is doing fine.

Mayor Battin stated that sometime in March or April the City Council will have a joint meeting with the County Commissioners to discuss some issues that concern both city and county.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Council Member McCauley, seconded by Council Member Duran to adjourn the meeting at 5:09 p.m. Motion carried, 4 yeas. Nays, none.

Mayor John Battin

Council Member Jerry Jo Deckert

Council Member Tim McCauley

Council Member Kenneth Warner

Council Member Warren Devore

Council Member John Duran

Council Member Larry Velasquez

Interim City Administrator Alan Olson

City Clerk Sarah Britton