

Longton City Council Meeting

Approved Minutes

March 12, 2013 – 7PM

Regular Meeting:

Mayor Stephen Fielder opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

Council members present: Justin Corle, Sharon Ferguson, Mark Ashenfelter, Mary Love and Jason Clatt.

Also present: Joe Love and Lotus McDow. Kimber Dupuis attended later.

Minutes: S.Ferguson made a motion to accept the February regular meeting minute as presented.

M.Love seconded. Carried 5-0.

Bills: M.Ashenfelter made a motion to accept the February paid bills and the March bills to be paid, as presented. S.Ferguson seconded. Carried 5-0.

Public Forum: None

Fire Department Report: J.Clatt requested to move on to next agenda item and return to the Fire Dept. Report when Fire Chief Kimber Dupuis arrives.

Police Department: Joe reported he received a few calls for dogs running loose.

Water – Sewer - Street Report: Mayor Fielder asked if Hank would move a dumpster. Council discussed the color options available for the new water tower. Mark will have some photoshop examples of different options for council to select color at next meeting.

S.Ferguson made a motion to approve paying a bill to Deines and Deines for legal services out of the wtr line/tower account. M.Ashenfelter seconded. Carried 5 -0.

M.Ashenfelter made a motion to adopt Ord. No. 422, raising water rates and changing utility billing schedule and water meter reading schedule effective with bills due May 15, 2013. J.Corle seconded. Carried 5-0.

Council discussed the current water leak policy. S.Ferguson made a motion to delete the policy. J.Clatt seconded. Carried 5-0. The City Clerk may set customer up with a payment plan.

Other Business: J.Corle made a motion to donate \$100 to the EV MoonBuggy Team and \$100 to the EV After Prom Party. M.Ashenfelter seconded. Carried 5-0.

S.Ferguson gave permission to Charity Dowell to have an obstacle course dug up north of the Fair Barn for the upcoming 5k walk/run, which will raise funds for the Choice's Medical Clinic in Wichita. J.Clatt seconded. Carried 5-0.

Fire Dept. Report: Kimber reported on a structural fire in town. The Fire Dept. had to replace the batteries in the '86 pumper.

Meeting Adjourned: J.Corle made a motion to adjourn. M.Ashenfelter seconded. Carried 5-0.

Minutes taken by Lotus McDow