

1. The Rockford City Council met in regular session at City Hall on Wednesday July 12, 2017. Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Present were Council Member Johnson, Arndt, Smith with Marth & Stokes absent. Citizens present were Mark Kroemer with WWA, Steve Ross with Steve's on Main, Angie Johnson with Holy Name Catholic Church and Grow, Monica Murray with Rockford Fun Days, Del Duffield with Twin Strike Emporium, Dennis Ginther, Glenn Biggs and Employee Randy Schweizer.


Motion Johnson, sec. Smith to approve the agenda as posted. Passed all ayes roll call vote.

2. Motion Smith, sec. Arndt to approve the consent agenda consisting of June 13th Council Minutes, Monthly Reports, Claims and Expenses, and Outside Liquor License for Twin Strikes Emporium.
3. Motion Smith, sec. Arndt to approve Resolution #2017-14 Contract Library Roof Replacement with King Construction for the total of \$72,500.00. All ayes. Motion carried.
4. Motion Johnson, sec. Smith to approve paying for the Library roof out of half general and half LOST funds. All ayes. Motion carried.
5. Motion Arndt, sec. Smith for City to pay half of asphaltting ally from 5th St. N.W. to 6th St. N.W. and other half to be paid for by Holy Name Catholic Church. All ayes. Motion carried.
6. Motion Smith, sec. Arndt to approve paying for the Main Street Paving Project out of Road Use and LOST funds. All ayes. Motion carried.
7. Monica Murray asked for approval to move the Dead Engine Run down a block to 1st Ave if Main Street is closed. She also wanted to update the council on all the festivities that day to be done at Central Park, Rockford Fire Station and the Rockford town ball diamonds.
8. Steve Ross with Steve's on Main asked for approval of Main Street to be blocked off from after the parade on July 15 to dusk for a beer garden to be set up. Council advises that no approval will need to be taken with it being blocked off for Del Duffield with Twin Strike Emporium for the cars Show and Shine that day.
9. Angie Johnson with Grow talked about the 3 blocks left for the main street lighting project and that she and Don Nelson worked many hours applying for a \$60,000 grant for help with trying to finish it up. Grow did receive a grant in the amount of \$4,000.00 to be spent in the next year, so their hopes are to receive some donations and fundraising to at least do block nearest to bridge to not lose the grant. They asked the city to consider a donation towards that project and are grateful for the donations and both City and Light Plant employees hours toward the project.


10. Dennis Ginther with Rockford Historical Society talked about the volunteers that painted the Rockford Historical Building this past weekend and the donation of paint they received from Diamond Vogel and Dan & Amanda Paulus.
11. Motion Smith, sec. Johnson to approve working on Sewer Rates Ordinance to raise rates \$1.00 per thousand gallons. All ayes. Motion carried.
12. Public Works Director Randy Schweizer reported on dog calls, stop sign violation, the Main Street paving project and Rockford Fun Days.
13. Mayor Johnson reported on calls about fireworks and working on ordinance for that. He also talked about the work being done at the Wyatt Park campground from Neil Fullerton Excavating and the donation of time that the Dow family worked on by boat ramp to clean up river bank. He ended by talking about different ideas to be considered to our city parks.
14. Motion Johnson, sec. Arndt to adjourn at 8:44 p.m.

June Receipts: General \$14,101.53, Library \$251.58, Road Use \$8,913.26, Employee Benefits \$432.87, Emergency \$84.46, LOST \$12,617.84, Debt Service \$500.16, Water \$15,327.69, Sewer \$8,392.28

June Disbursements: General \$16,357.36, Library \$2,625.93, Road Use \$2,659.73, Employee Benefits \$2,266.48, Debt Service \$49,061.25, Water \$8,984.36, Sewer \$9,694.52



Scott Johnson
Mayor



Pam Hopper
City Clerk

ROCKFORD CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

JULY 21, 2017

1. The Rockford City Council met in special session at City Hall on Friday, July 21, 2017. Mayor Scott Johnson called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M. Present were Council Members Corey Johnson, Mike Smith, and Alvin Marth with Vernon Arndt and Jason Stokes absent.

Motion Marth, sec. Johnson to approve the agenda as posted. All ayes. Carried.

2. Motion Marth, sec. Johnson to approve Steve's on Main Outdoor Liquor License for Wednesday, July 26, 2017. All ayes. Carried.
3. Motion Marth, sec. Johnson to adjourn meeting at 10:07 A.M.



Scott Johnson
Mayor



Jessica Dow
Deputy Clerk