

1. The Rockford City Council met in regular session at the Rockford Community Center to help ensure adequate space for social distancing on Tuesday, August 10, 2021. Mayor Scott Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Present were Council Members Alex Hirv, Jason Stokes, Corey Johnson, Vern Arndt, and Carol Hoffarth. Citizens present were Kevin Tegtmeier, Darlene Eaton, Rebecca & James Nauman, Al Christeson and Employee Randy Schweizer.

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

2. Motion Stokes, sec. Arndt to approve the agenda consisting of July 13, 2021 Council Minutes, Monthly Reports, Claims & Expenses. All ayes. Motion carried.
3. Discussion was held on the sewer / lagoon projects.
4. Motion Hoffarth, sec. Johnson to purchase 111 2nd Street NW, Rockford, Iowa. All ayes. Motion carried.
5. Motion Hirv, sec. Hoffarth to approve street closures along 4th St. NW and 2nd Ave NW for Rumbling on the Plains Fire and Forces Benefit Ride on August 14, 2021. All ayes. Motion carried.
6. Motion Hoffarth, sec. Johnson to approve park use and street closures along 1st Ave NW for The Night Market on September 18, 2021. All ayes. Motion carried.
7. Discussion was held about the West Park tennis court. Estimates for resurfacing and including / converting to two pickle ball courts are being gathered.
8. Motion Johnson, sec. Hoffarth to approve community sign in memorial of Dennis Ginther project led by Stacy Campbell. Final approval of design and placement of sign to be given by council at final project presentation. All ayes. Motion carried.
9. Motion Hoffarth, sec. Johnson to approve Resolution #2021-14 Transfer of Emergency Funds to General Fund. Passed all ayes roll call vote.
10. Motion Stokes, sec. Johnson to approve purchases approved by Mayor in amounts not to exceed \$500.00. All ayes. Motion carried.
11. Mayor Johnson reported on a building complaint.
12. Employee Schweizer reported on Main Ave resurfacing project completion, painting street markings, installing a drinking fountain in Central Park, large tree removal on East Main Ave, and the next phase of street lighting will be installed along Main Ave during the next few weeks.

13. Council Reports: Carol Hoffarth had compliments directed towards the City on the cement bag boards that were installed in the Campground. Corey Johnson would like to discuss a donation towards fireworks for next year.
14. Motion Hoffarth, sec. Hirv to adjourn at 8:45 p.m.

July Receipts: General \$16,907.40, Library \$11,211.53, Road Use \$13,452.82, Employee Benefits \$885.70, Emergency Fund \$134.02, LOST \$7,093.47, Debt Service \$848.15, Cap Water Meter Project \$26,904.00, Water \$98,584.71, Water Deposit \$100.00, Sewer \$11,297.60

July Disbursements: General \$23,940.53, Library \$2,513.49, Road Use \$11,400.13, Employee Benefits \$3,968.03, LOST \$57,528.34, Cap Water Meter Project \$2,241.55, Water \$92,303.57, Sewer \$9,821.59

Scott Johnson
Mayor

Jessica Meyer
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