

7:00 pm

April 21, 2021

**692nd MEETING OF THE
HORSESHOE BEND CITY COUNCIL**

Mayor Goff called the meeting to order with Councilpersons Riley, Corvinus, Chartier and White present. Also present Gina Elmer City Clerk and Attorney Tony Pantera.

Pledge of Allegiance

Councilman White made a **motion** to approve the amended agenda to include a presentation from the Chamber of Commerce about the Veteran's Park. Councilman Corvinus **seconded**. All ayes. **Motion carried**.

Councilman Corvinus made a **motion** to approve the minutes for the March 31, 2021 meeting of the City Council. Councilman Riley **seconded**. All ayes. **Motion carried**.

Councilman White made a **motion** to pay the City's bills as presented. Councilman Corvinus **seconded**. All ayes. **Motion carried**.

Presentation on Veteran's Park: Kimberly Welsh asked Kenny Beckman, Payette River Landscape, to present as he is helping design the park. Kenny said that they are planning on using flagstone instead of brick to try and keep the cost down. He presented Council with a drawing of preliminary plans. Kim said they would bring forward any changes to keep Council appraised.

Public Comment:

- No public comment

New Business:

- Levi Burke: Dog Complain
Tony prepared a draft ordinance per Council's request. Councilman Corvinus asked Mr. Burke if he had talked to his neighbors about the dogs. Levi replied only a couple. Councilman White doesn't feel the ordinance should change because of one resident. Councilman Riley agrees. Levi says his dogs are not a nuisance and are worth \$50,000.00. Tony added that commercial kennels are not an allowed use in the R1 zone only in the industrial zone.
- Justin Logan:
Mr. Logan had a water leak and is asking for relief on his bill. Councilman Corvinus made a **motion** to adjust Mr. Logan's bill by \$145.41. Councilman Chartier **seconded**. All ayes. **Motion carried**.
- Darrin Hendricks:
Not present.
- Water Rate:

Tony prepared three different alternatives for water rates based on the water rate study. He explained the differences and said that a public hearing would be required because of the difference in rate structure. Public hearing will be held at the next meeting.

- Review of Infractions & Misdemeanors in the ordinances:
Tony prepared a table showing the penalties for violations and made a couple of suggested changes. Council is going to look it over and decide what changes if any they wish to make. Item was tabled until the next meeting.

Department Updates:

- EMS:
No update was given.
- Public Works:
No update was given.
- Grant Writer: Cheryl has been working on the Comprehensive Action Plan. This plan shows what the City has accomplished; also the advisory committee would like to see some internships for high school students at the local businesses.. She is also explained the importance of working the county commissioners on this. She is still hoping to get more volunteers for the City Clean up.
- Amy Woodruff – Amy stated that there was not much to report except for collaborating with public works on the well house.
- Attorney:
Mr. Pantera had nothing more to add at this time.

- Mayor:
The Mayor had nothing more to add.

Councilman White **moves** to go into Executive Session per IC 74-206(1)(F) at 8:06pm. Councilman Chartier **seconds**. Roll call: Councilman Chartier – aye, Councilman Riley – aye, Councilman White – aye, Councilman Corvinus – aye. **Motion carried**.
Came out of executive session 8:27 pm.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:28pm

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor