The Laurens City Council met in regular session at the Municipal Building at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 3rd, 2024. Mayor Rod Johnson called the meeting to order. Present were Council members Hannah Zylstra, John Jamison, Loren Booth, Aaron Christenson, Jean Swanson, City Manager Hilary Reed, and Public Works Director Julian Johnson.

Jamison moved to approve moved to approve the consent agenda, consisting of the minutes from the May 20th, 2024, meeting, the list of claims, and a Dollar General Tobacco Permit. Zylstra seconded. All ayes: motion carried.

CLAIMS 06-03-24

CLAIMS 00-05-24		
ACCO	POOL CHEMICALS	1,939.50
ALEXANDER PRICE	RECERTIFICATION LIFEGUARD	75.00
BOMGAARS	CLOTHING ALLOWANCE	92.32
DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP	SUPPLIES	131.36
DWIGHT E. VAN GENDEREN FOUNDATION ANALYTICAL LAB	BUSHES	196.56
	WASTEWATER TESTING	680.50
GFC LEASING-WI	COPIER MAINT	229.19
HEART 'N HOME	FLOWER PLANTERS	352.00
IACMA	RETIREMENT 457	600.00
IRS	FED/FICA TAX	5,948.14
IOWA SIGN COMPANY	VINYL SIGN	255.09
IPERS	IPERS	6,160.56
IPERS/PD	PROTECTED IPERS	1,850.46
JAMES LITWILLER	SHOP TOOLS	106.96
JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL	BULK OIL	1,633.27
KELLY TATE	RECERTIFICATION LIFEGUARD	75.00
LAURENS HOUSE OF PRINT	WATER METER READ SHEETS	172.00
LMPC	FIXING OF STREET LIGHTS	13,234.34
LMU	MONTHLY UTILITIES	5,068.60
LAURENS PLUMBING SERVICE	SUPPLIES	1,953.97
MENARD'S NORTHERN LIGHTS FOOD	GLASS CLEANER	10.95
SERVICE	POOL CONCESSIONS	898.93
PRIME BENEFITS SYSTEMS	MONTHLY GROUP INSURANCE	87.50
RSM US LLP	TECH SERVICES	5.00
RNO'S	NUISANCE MOWING	760.00
SANDE CONSTRUCTION	PAY REQUEST #9	109,250.00
SANTANDER LEASING, LLC	MONTHLY FIRE DEPARTMENT PUMPER	1,461.34
SECURE SHRED SOLUTIONS	PAPER SHREDDING	26.00
TREASURER STATE OF IOWA	MAY SALES TAX	5,283.60
UMB	INTEREST DUE	179,170.00
UNITYPOINT CLINIC	POLICE DEPT. TRAINING	342.00
US BANK	SUBSCRIPTION	313.14
VERIZON WIRELESS	MONTHLY CELL PHONE	111.70
ZIEGLER	SHOP SUPPLIES	16.70
	TOTAL	338,491.68
PAYROLL	5/28/2024	
001 210	GENERAL ROAD USE TAX	7,948.84 1,891.83
600	WATER	2,951.82
610	SEWER	2,592.96
670	GARBAGE	2,210.25
	TOTAL PAYPOLL TOTAL	17,595.70 17,595.70
	PAYROLL TOTAL	17,393.70

PAID TOTAL 356,087.38

001 110 112 174 176 200 600	GENERAL ROAD USE TAX EMPLOYEE BENEFITS POOL RESTRICTED HOMETOWN PRIDE DEBT SERVICE WATER	23,826.01 17,780.53 48.11 109,250.00 451.65 179,170.00 13,271.93
610	SEWER	7,053.27
670	GARBAGE	5,235.88
	TOTAL BY FUND	356,087.38
REVENUES	GENERAL	68,094.94
	ROAD USE TAX	14,394.53
	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	25,803.66
	EMERGENCY LEVY	1,384.14
	LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX	12,440.29
	TAX INCREMENT FINANCING	736.07
	POOL RESTRICTED	60.00
HOMETOWN PRIDE		1,000.00
	DEBT SERVICE	27,407.37
	CAPITAL EQUIPMENT	2,915.54
	WATER	43,465.71
	SEWER	31,813.19
	GARBAGE STORM WATER	20,587.60
	STURIM WATER	2,962.88
	TOTAL	253,065.92

Swanson moved to authorize retaining Don Hemphill as City Attorney. Zylstra seconded. All ayes; motion carried. Booth moved to approve Resolution 09-24-FY25 at five percent. Jamison seconded. Roll call vote: Ayes: Swanson, Christenson, Jamison, Booth. Nays: None. Abstain: Zylstra.

An update was given on the status and the work done by the City and MaryJo with PCEDC on the future regarding the grocery store.

There was no discussion or decision on the Laurens Pool Project.

Booth moved to adjourn at 4:31 p.m. Zylstra seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

Rod Johnson, Mayor	Hilary Reed, City Clerk