

June 17th, 2024

The Laurens City Council met in regular session at the Municipal Building at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 17th, 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, Public Works Director Julian Johnsen, Deputy Clerk Joan Hoben, and Chief Aschenbrenner.

Zylstra moved to approve the consent agenda, consisting of the minutes from the June 3rd, 2024, meeting, the list of claims, and a Class C Liquor License for Rally Point pending fire inspection. Christenson seconded. All ayes: motion carried.

CLAIMS 06-17-24

A&M SERVICES, INC	MOPS, RAGS, RUGS	90.14
ACCO	WATER PLANT CHEMICALS	7,201.00
AFLAC	MONTHLY GROUP INSURANCE	204.38
ALLAINT ENERGY	MONTHLY GAS BILL	266.88
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	BOOKS	227.25
FIDELITY SECURITY LIFE	MONTHLY EYE CARE INSURANCE	218.53
BADGER METER	TECH SUPPORT	55.12
BAKER & TAYLOR	BOOKS	1,035.15
CENGAGE	LARGE PRINT BOOKS	191.93
CENTER POINT LARGE PRINT	LP CLOSEOUT BOOKS	77.00
CHRIS JOHNSON	SPRAYING PARK TREES	1,876.00
CITY OF MOVILLE	NUISANCE ABATEMENTS	1,127.59
CMBA ARCHITECTS	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	2,490.02
CONNECTIONS, INC.	MONTHLY GROUP INSURANCE	30.51
DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP	SUPPLIES FOR MEMORY LANE	1,034.84
DELTA DENTAL	MONTHLY DENTAL INSURANCE	718.02
EMILY HARROLD	RECERTIFIED LIFEGUARD	75.00
FOUNDATION ANALYTICAL LAB	WASTEWATER TESTING	1,496.00
HEART 'N HOME	BLOMGREN FLOWERS	88.00
HEMPHILL LAW OFFICE	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	685.12
IRS	FED/FICA TAX	8,898.91
IOWA DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY	OCT23-DECEM 23	600.00
IOWA LEAGUE OF CITIES	MEMBERSHIP DUES	1,107.00
JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL	PAYLOADER PARTS	609.85
KEEP IOWA BEAUTIFUL	MEMBERSHIP DUES	1,920.00
LMPC	MONTHLY PHONE & INTERNET	114.20
LMU	MONTHLY UTILITIES	303.88
LAURENS PLUMBING	MONTHLY UTILITIES	1,191.86
LAURENS SPORTSMAN'S CLUB	3 MEMBERSHIPS	120.00
LAURENS SUN	LEGALS	151.64
MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION SEV.	ANNUAL RENEWALS	689.04
THE MESSENGER	LEGAL ADS	186.20
METERING & TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS	METERS	1,414.02
NORTHERN LIGHTS FOOD SERVICE	POOL CONCESSIONS	231.51
PEPSI BEVERAGE COMPANY	POOL POP	463.36
PETTY CASH	POSTAGE	96.47
POCAHONTAS CO SOLID WASTE	LANDFILL FEES	6,459.10
POCAHONTAS EQUIPMENT	CHAINSAW	49.99
PRINCIPAL LIFE GROUP	MONTHLY GROUP INSURANCE	764.65
PRO COOPERATIVE	MONTHLY CITY FUEL	2,308.08
R&D INDUSTRIES, INC.	TECH SUPPORT	193.00

RB LUMBER COMPANY	TREATED BOARDS	167.59
RSM US LLP	TECH SUPPORT	945.00
SAMSON DEVELOPMENT	APPLIANCE PICKUP	40.00
SHAMROCK RECYCLE, INC.	CURBSIDE RECYCLING	1,895.20
UNITYPOINT CLINIC OCCUPATION	RANDOM TESTING	42.00
VECTOR/CHAD CLEVELAND	MEMBERSHIP DUES	252.50
VERIZON WIRELESS	CITY CELL PHONES	324.19
WELLMARK	MONTHLY HEALTH INSURANCE	8,935.02
WEX BANKS	POLICE MONTHLY FUEL	1,011.80
WOODLEY INSURANCE	ANNUAL INSURANCE	1,950.00
ZIEGLER, INC.	EQUIPMENT REPAIRS	1,562.80
	TOTAL	<u>64,187.34</u>

	PAYROLL	6/3/2024	
	001 GENERAL		7,077.11
	PAYROLL	6/10/2024	
	001 GENERAL		13,276.26
	210 ROAD USE TAX		1,715.66
	600 WATER		3,045.34
	610 SEWER		2,765.25
	670 GARBAGE		2,180.91
	TOTAL		<u>22,983.42</u>
	PAYROLL TOTAL		<u>30,060.53</u>
	TOTAL PAID		94,247.87

	TOTAL PAID BY FUND	
	001 GENERAL	45,051.96
	110 ROAD USE TAX	5,210.15
	112 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	5,242.72
	174 POOL RESTRICTED	180.00
	175 POCKET PARK	104.80
	600 WATER	16590.85
	610 SEWER	8158.27
	670 GARBAGE	13,709.12
	TOTAL BY FUND	<u>94,247.87</u>

Discussion was held on a Sidewalk Removal Permit Request for Tim Grund at 529 E. Olive. After discussion, Zylstra moved to table upon discussing with the neighbors. Jamison seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

Booth moved to approve the Board of Adjustment's Variance recommendation for the seven feet of the required set back for 116 S. 4th Street. Swanson seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

Booth moved to approve Resolution 10-24-Dan Pomeroy Retirement Recognition. Jamison seconded. Roll call vote: Ayes: Zylstra, Jamison, Booth, Christenson, Swanson. Nays: None. Motion carried.

No decisions were made on the Laurens Pool Project.

Jamison moved to adjourn at 5:39 p.m. Zylstra seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

Rod Johnson, Mayor

Hilary Reed, City Clerk