

**REGULAR MEETING
OAKDALE CITY COUNCIL
April 27, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Oakdale was held on April 27, 2021, at Oakdale City Hall, 1584 Hadley Avenue, Oakdale, Minnesota. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Paul Reinke at 7:00 PM.

CALL OF ROLL

On a call of roll, the following were present:

Mayor Paul Reinke

Council Members: Jake Ingebrigtsen
Susan Olson
Colleen Swedberg
Kevin Zabel

Absent: None

Also Present: Christina Volkens, City Administrator
Jim Thomson, City Attorney
Brian Bachmeier, Public Works Director/City Engineer
Susan Barry, City Clerk
Linnea Graffunder-Bartels, Senior Community Development Specialist
Alyssa MacLeod, Communications Specialist
Chelsea Petersen, Administrative Services Director
Bob Streetar, Community Development Director
Bill Sullivan, Chief of Police
Julie Williams, Recreation Superintendent

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The City Council amended the Consensus Motion portion of the agenda to remove item F.

PUBLIC HEARING: LEE SISTERS LLC/BROTHERS EVENT CENTER LIQUOR LICENSES

Administrative Services Director Petersen reviewed a request to issue On-Sale Intoxicating and Special Sunday liquor licenses to Lee Sisters LLC, dba Brothers Event Center, 7133 – 10th Street.

Mayor Reinke opened the public hearing for comments; none were brought forth.

Mayor Reinke closed the public hearing and called for a motion.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER INGEBRIGTSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SWEDBERG, TO APPROVE THE ISSUANCE OF AN ON-SALE INTOXICATING AND SPECIAL SUNDAY LIQUOR LICENSES TO LEE SISTERS LLC, dba BROTHERS EVENT CENTER, 7133 – 10TH STREET.

5 AYES.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Regular Meeting, April 13, 2021

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER ZABEL, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER INGEBRIGTSON, TO APPROVE THE REGULAR MEETING MINUTES OF APRIL 13, 2021, AS PRESENTED.

5 AYES.

OPEN FORUM

Mayor Reinke invited comments from the audience at this time; no comments were brought forth.

CONSENSUS MOTIONS

City Administrator Volkers asked to pull item F off of the consent agenda.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER INGEBRIGTSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SWEDBERG, TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING CONSENSUS MOTIONS:

- a) Approve the appointment of the following to the International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC) Board of Appeals: Bob Stiglich, Larry Quigley, and Tom Wiener.
- b) Waive reading and adopt Resolution 2021-39, Granting a variance to Section 19-4(e) of the City Code to allow Magney Construction to perform construction activities relating to City Project 2021-04 (Temporary Granular Activated Carbon Treatment Plant at Well 7), as so noted.
- c) Waive reading and adopt Resolution 2021-40, Approving the hiring of Jack Knoepfler as Engineering Intern for the Public Works Department, effective May 10, at a rate of pay of \$13 per hour.
- d) Waive reading and adopt Resolution 2021-41, establishing a public hearing for the vacation of 40th Street within the Willowbrooke project area for May 25, 2021.
- e) Approve the issuance of a 3.2 Malt Liquor license to the Oakdale Adult Softball Association (OASA) for the 2021 Summer and Fall ball season.
- g) Adopt Policy MIS-021: Social Media.

5 AYES.

CONSENSUS ITEM F – APPOINTMENT OF BOB MOORE AS UTILITIES TECHNICIAN

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER INGEBRIGTSON, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SWEDBERG, TO WAIVE READING AND ADOPT RESOLUTION 2021-41, APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF BOB MOORE AS UTILITIES TECHNICIAN FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, EFFECTIVE APRIL 28, 2021, AT RATE OF PAY CONSISTENT WITH THE CURRENT LABOR AGREEMENT, SUBJECT TO THE BACKGROUND CHECK AND RECEIPT OF A SIGNED LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE.

5 AYES.

ADVISORY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS: COUNCIL LIAISON UPDATES

No updates were available.

PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR/CITY ENGINEER

a) City Project 2021-03 – Plans and Specifications Approval

Public Works Director/City Engineer Bachmeier reviewed a request to approve the plans and specifications for City Project 2021-03 (Lift Station 11 Improvements) and authorize going out for bids.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER ZABEL, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER SWEDBERG, TO WAIVE READING AND ADOPT RESOLUTION 2021-43, APPROVING THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR CITY PROJECT 2021-03 (LIFT STATION 11 IMPROVEMENTS) AND AUTHORIZING ADVERTISING FOR AND COLLECTION OF BIDS.

5 AYES.

COUNCIL PRESENTATIONS

Council Member Zabel announced that Oak Spring Chiropractic, 1015 Helmo Avenue, was celebrating their 10th anniversary.

Council Member Swedberg announced that the annual Landscape Revival event would be held on June 12, 9 AM to 1 PM, in the City Hall parking lot.

Council Member Ingebrigtsen announced that the city was moving ahead with the annual Summerfest Celebration, to be held June 24 and 25.

Mayor Reinke announced that the federal government approved advancing the Gold Line Bus Rapid Transit project to the next level, the engineering phase.

Mayor Reinke announced that the city's Drinking Water Report for 2020 was now available on the city's web page.

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Council Member Zabel announced that the city's annual Arbor Day Tree Giveaway would be held on May 1 at Walton Park and a document shredding event held in the City Hall parking lot.

AWARD OF BIDS

a) City Project 2021-01 – 2021 Street Improvements

Public Works Director/City Engineer Bachmeier reviewed a request to award the bid for City Project 2021-01 (2021 Street Improvements).

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER ZABEL, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER OLSON, TO WAIVE READING AND ADOPT RESOLUTION 2021-44, AWARDED THE BID FOR CITY PROJECT 2021-01 (2021 STREET IMPROVEMENTS) TO MINNESOTA PAVING AND MATERIALS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,577,777.

5 AYES.

CLAIMS

A MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCIL MEMBER ZABEL, SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER INGEBRIGTSON, TO APPROVE THE CLAIMS FOR THE PERIOD OF APRIL 10 TO APRIL 23 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,225,047.83.

5 AYES.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:18 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Barry,
City Clerk