

CITY OF LAMBS GROVE

COUNCIL MEETING

MAY 3, 2018

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Patrick Edwards at 7:00 p.m. Roll call: Kent DeGoey, Cindy Humke, Steve Thomassen, and Cathi Fouts present. Absent: Chris Norman. DeGoey moved and was seconded by Fouts to approve the agenda. Motion carried 4-0.

Guests: Ron Grandia shared concerns he has for the streets. He reported that there is a pot hole at the corner of Walnut that is getting worse very rapidly. Thomassen agreed that there are several pot holes that need to be filled. He will be purchasing asphalt mix and getting them filled soon. Grandia also recommended the City look into purchasing a barricade for the end of Walnut Drive.

New Business:

- a. Fouts moved and was seconded by DeGoey to approve the agreement for library services between the City of Lambs Grove and the Newton Public Library. Motion carried 4-0.
- b. DeGoey moved and was seconded by Fouts to set the public hearing for Ordinance 2018-001 amending the parking ordinance for June 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at Thomas Jefferson School. Motion carried 4-0.

Consent Agenda:

Fouts moved and was seconded by Thomassen to approve all the items on the consent agenda including the minutes from the April 5, 2018 meeting, list of bills, and reconciliation report for April. Motion carried 4-0.

JCARL	Participation Fee	\$21.25
News Printing Company	Publications	\$58.82
Dodd's	Sanitation Contract	\$670.00
Christina Machin	Salary	\$392.64
IPERS	Retirement	\$67.62
City of Newton	Fire Agreement	\$12,391.00
Berry Best Web Design	Website Renewal	\$299.40
Caldwell, Brierly, Chalupa, Nuzum	Legal Services	\$45.00
Alliant Energy	Utilities	\$23.59
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Total May Bills \$14,337.08

General Fund	\$22,074.73
Charges for Fee	\$2,680.53
Local Option Sales Tax	\$816.79
Emergency	\$656.47
Road Use Fund	\$742.38
Debt Service	\$6,472.33
Total April Revenue	\$33,443.23

General Fund	\$3,508.88
Charges for Fee	\$0.00
Local Option Sales Tax	\$0.00
Road Use Fund	\$389.50
Debt Service	\$0.00
Total April Expense	\$3,898.38

Mayor: Edwards reported that he met with Gordon Brand, Jack Sutte, and two representatives from the Department of Agriculture regarding the water run-off at Thomas Jefferson School. The representatives from the Department of Agriculture will contact the Department of Transportation to develop a plan with recommendations to reduce the current impact of water run-off. Edwards also reported that he did not get to the newsletter last month but will be working on it this month. Finally, he continues to work with the City Attorney regarding enforcing the City's ordinances.

Streets: As discussed earlier in the meeting, Thomassen will be purchasing asphalt mix to fill pot holes.

Sewers: No report

Parks: Humke reported that the tree planted last fall is doing well and looks to be leafing out. She also reported that they did a partial mowing already.

Tree Steward: No report

Storm Sewers: No report

City Clerk: No report

Enforcement Officer: No report

Old Business: None

Fouts moved and was seconded by DeGoey to adjourn the meeting at 7:57 p.m. Motion carried 4-0.

Next City Council meeting to be held June 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Christina Machin, City Clerk

Mayor

Patrick Edwards

City Clerk

Christina Machin