

1 **Rockford Town Regular Council Meeting**  
2 **February 20, 2019 7:00pm**  
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5 ATTEMPT HAS BEEN MADE TO DOCUMENT PERTINENT POINTS, THESE MINUTES CONTAIN ONLY A  
6 SUMMARY OF THE DISCUSSION AND VOTING.  
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9 Mayor Roecks called the regular meeting to order at 7:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.  
10 Roll call took place. Those present were Councilmembers Clint Stevenson, Micki Harnois, Tim Fricke,  
11 William Benson and Brian Laude. Clerk/Treasurer Heidi Johnson and Public Works' Dave Thompson  
12 were also in attendance.  
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14 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve the amended agenda. Mr. Fricke seconded the motion.**  
15 **Motion was carried.**  
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17 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve the minutes from the 02/06/2019 regular meeting. Mr.**  
18 **Laude seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**  
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20 ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 21 - Cathy McMorris Rogers visited Rockford Town Hall and the Fairfield Community Center on  
22 Wednesday, 02/20/19.  
23 - Mayor Roecks announced that she offered the Deputy Clerk position to Jennie Hagen.  
24 - Fire Chief Gary Hill asked that the title for the position of Assistant Chief be changed to Division  
25 Chief. He also mentioned that he appointed Nate Talbott as the Division Chief for Fire District #11,  
26 and that he recommended Jason Seehorn for this position for the town.

27 **Mr. Benson made a motion to change the title from Assistant Fire Chief to Division Chief. Mr.**  
28 **Fricke seconded the motion. Motion was carried. Ms. Harnois asked if Mr. Talbott can still be**  
29 **the Public Information Officer if he is Division Chief. Mr. Hill said yes, the Division Chief can**  
30 **be assigned different duties by the Chief. Motion was carried.**

31 Mayor Roecks appointed Jason Seehorn as Division Chief for the Town of Rockford.  
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33 COUNCIL REPORTS

34 None  
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36 COMMISSION REPORTS

37 Ms. Harnois mentioned that we are still waiting on SCJ Alliance, Inc, to complete the maps needed for the  
38 comprehensive plan.  
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40 COMMITTEE REPORTS

41 Parks/Tree City

42 The committee will meet 02/21/2019  
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44 Emergency Management Committee

45 No update  
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47 Asset Management Committee

48 No update  
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50 PUBLIC COMMENT

- 51 - Sergeant Stockman with the Spokane County Sheriff's Department was in attendance and  
52 mentioned that he likes to stop by council meetings in the town's that he patrols, from time to time.

- 53 - Fire Chief Gary Hill thanked the town's road department for doing a good job in keeping the roads  
54 clear of snow.  
55 - Mr. Fricke mentioned he had been hearing great things about the conditions of Rockford's roads  
56 during all of the snow.  
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58 ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

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61 OLD BUSINESS

- 62 - Lion's Club Lease – Mayor Roecks has scheduled a meeting with the Lion's Club for 03/13/19 to  
63 review the lease agreements.  
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65 NEW BUSINESS

66 None  
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68 PUBLIC COMMENT

69 Mr. Benson mentioned again how good of a job the Public Works Department is doing with removing snow.  
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71 STAFF REPORTS

72 Public Works

- 73 • Lots of snow! Mr. Thompson said that plowing would be a lot easier if there were not so many cars  
74 parked on the streets. He wished there was a way to get residents to move their vehicles when it  
75 snows.  
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77 Clerk/Treasurer

- 78 • Mrs. Johnson read the Treasurer's Report for January, stating that the total amount in all funds was  
79 \$542,198.18  
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81 APPROVE CHECKS

82 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve checks 14794-14806 and 2 EFTs, for a total of \$10,472.27.**

83 **Mr. Benson seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**  
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85 **Mr. Benson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:32pm. Mr. Fricke seconded the motion.**

86 **Motion was carried.**  
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Heidi Johnson, Clerk/Treasurer

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Carrie Roecks, Mayor