

1 **Rockford Town Regular Council Meeting**
2 **March 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, Tim Fricke and Brian
11 Laude. Clerk/Treasurer Heidi Johnson and Public Works' Dave Thompson were also in attendance.
12 Ms. Roecks noted that Councilmembers Micki Harnois and William Benson were not in attendance.
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14 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to excuse Councilmember Micki Harnois, due to health-related**
15 **reasons. Mr. Fricke seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**

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17 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve the amended agenda. Mr. Laude seconded the motion.**
18 **Motion was carried.**

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20 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve the minutes from the 03/06/2019 regular meeting. Mr.**
21 **Fricke seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**

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23 ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 24 - An AWC Conference will be held in Spokane from 06/25-06/28/19. There is a scholarship
25 available through AWC and possibly one through RMSA for Councilmembers attending.
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27 COUNCIL REPORTS

28 Ms. Roecks said that the meeting with the Spokane County Regional Solid Waste Director on 03/14/19 was
29 postponed until the first week of April.
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31 COMMISSION REPORTS

32 B Street Building Permit – Creed

33 **Mr. Fricke made a motion to approve the building permit for Bill and Kathy Creed. Mr. Stevenson**
34 **seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**

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36 COMMITTEE REPORTS

37 Parks/Tree City

38 Park fees and deposits were discussed again, and Ms. Roecks said that she and Mrs. Johnson could put
39 together a couple different scenarios for Council to decide on by the next meeting.

40 Ms. Harnois asked that Mrs. Johnson notify Council that Rockford is officially a Tree City again for the 7th
41 year in a row. There is a new 7-year sticker to add to our Tree City sign, and a new plaque for 2018.
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43 Emergency Management Committee

44 No update

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46 Asset Management Committee

47 No update
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49 PUBLIC COMMENT

- 50 - Resident Dan Braaten said that he thought it was part of the regular maintenance of the parks to
51 remove garbage and to keep them in good shape. He doesn't think requiring a deposit or imposing
52 more fees to use the parks is a good idea.

53 ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS
54 Council discussed creating a codified, enforceable ordinance that will keep snowmobiles and ATVs off town
55 streets for reasons other than getting from point A to point B.

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57 OLD BUSINESS
58 Staff met with the Lion's Club to discuss the lease on the Exhibit Building. There were some errors that were
59 corrected, and the Lion's Club will now discuss accepting the lease.

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61 NEW BUSINESS
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64 PUBLIC COMMENT
65 None

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67 STAFF REPORTS
68 Public Works
69 • Two radar speed signs have been ordered to place around town. These signs will keep record of
70 average speed, traffic at certain times of the day and several other options that can be viewed from
71 a phone or computer. AWC/RMSA will cover \$5000 of the \$5800 that the units cost, through a loss
72 prevention grant.

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74 Clerk/Treasurer
75 • The February Treasurers Report shows a total of \$537,897.67 in all funds.

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77 APPROVE CHECKS
78 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to approve checks 14828-14839 for a total of \$10,506.99. Mr. Fricke**
79 **seconded the motion. Motion was carried.**

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81 **Mr. Stevenson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:40pm. Mr. Laude seconded the motion.**
82 **Motion was carried.**

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Heidi Johnson, Clerk/Treasurer

Carrie Roecks, Mayor