

CITY OF LAMBS GROVE

COUNCIL MEETING

AUGUST 6, 2020

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Patrick Edwards at 7:00 p.m. Roll call: Cindy Humke, Cathi Fouts, Chris Norman, Chris Wood, and John Bartello present. Absent: no one. Humke moved and was seconded by Norman to approve the agenda. Motion carried 5-0.

Guests: Andrew Inhelder, Jordan Hostetler

New Business:

- a. There is a drainage pipe collapsing on Pioneer Drive that will need to be fixed while the road construction is already being done on Pioneer Road as this will save Lambs Grove thousands of dollars by not having to mobilize another crew to fix this later. Mayor Edwards authorized a company to come in and do a scope of the affected area. Scope verified all of this to be true and gave a better understanding of what needed to be done to fix this. Fix will consist of rerouting pipe under Coops's property and will increase the pipe size to 5". Coop approved easements of his property to do so. With quote for the added pipe repair, they City is still well within the amount of the bond obtained for the Pioneer Road Project. Edwards made a motion to change Pioneer Road work order to include pipe repair. Norman seconded motion. Motion carried 5-0. Mr. Lewis's driveway quote has been sent to his email. No response from Mr. Lewis as of the August council meeting.

Consent Agenda:

Humke moved and was seconded by Norman to approve all the items on the consent agenda including the minutes from the July 2, 2020 meeting, list of bills, and reconciliation report for July. Motion carried 4-0.

Chris Machin	Training new clerk	\$160
News Printing Company	Publications	\$84.42
Dodd's	Sanitation Contract	\$700.00
Kathy Andreas	Salary	\$413.09
Card services	Postage	\$7.54
IPERS	Retirement	\$199.65
League of Cities	Membership	\$337
JCARL	Final fee	\$21.25
Office Depot	Printer ink	\$27.55

Speer Financial	Professional services obtaining bond	\$2500
Alliant Energy	Utilities	\$430.91
Total July Bills		\$4,881.42

General Fund	\$1290.81
Charges for Fee	\$2896.93
Local Option Sales Tax	\$1015.54
Emergency	\$16.81
Road Use Fund	\$2566.48
Debt Service	\$171.17
Total July Revenue	\$7694.95

General Fund	\$2181.77
Charges for Fee	\$0.00
Local Option Sales Tax	\$0.00
Road Use Fund	\$430.91
Debt Service	\$0.00
Total July Expense	\$2,612.68

Mayor: Mayor Edwards reported that he approved and ordered a new Lambs Grove city limits sign for in front of TJ on Hwy F48. The new sign cost \$57.75. The One Call for Greg Davis' chicken coop has been denied until Lambs Grove can out together an ordinance allowing chickens in the City.

Streets: Wood will be getting lines painted. Andreas will obtain paint and supplies for this.

Sewers: All sewers have been marked for Pioneer Road project to be able to start.

Parks: Humke reported that the parks are being mowed by Coop and he is doing a great job. Humke has weeded the parks.

Tree Steward: Fouts reported that a tree has been removed from Pioneer to get Pioneer Road project started.

Storm Sewers: No report

City Clerk: Will prepare an ad to run in Newton Daily News to get bids for 2020-2021 snow removal season.

Old Business: Chickens have been tabled again until September Council meeting

Bartello moved and was seconded by Fouts to adjourn the meeting at 7:48 p.m. Motion carried 5-0.

Next City Council meeting to be held September 3, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Kathy Andreas, City Clerk

Mayor

Patrick Edwards

City Clerk

Kathy Andreas