

City of Spirit Lake
Regular Council Meeting
City Hall
6042 Maine St.
Spirit Lake, Idaho 83869
December 11, 2018
6:30 PM

Mayor Eastman called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.; roll call was taken with Councilors Gary Ventress, Angel Vanderwilt, Joy Porter, and Becki Gaddum present. Roll call was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes for the Regular Council Meetings on August 14th, September 11th, October 9th, and November 13th were approved in a motion by Councilor Porter, second by Councilor Ventress, followed by a roll call vote with Councilors Ventress, Vanderwilt, Porter, and Gaddum all voting aye - motion passed.

The minutes for the Special Council Meetings on November 14th, November 19th, and December 5th were approved in a motion by Councilor Ventress, second by Councilor Porter, followed by a roll call vote with Councilors Ventress, Vanderwilt, Porter, and Gaddum all voting aye - motion passed.

Financial Statements were reviewed by Council. Councilor Porter motioned to approve, second by Councilor Gaddum, followed by a roll call vote with Councilors Ventress, Vanderwilt, Porter, and Gaddum all voting aye - motion passed.

Account Payables were reviewed by Council. Councilor Gaddum motioned to approve, second by Councilor Vanderwilt, followed by a roll call vote with Councilors Ventress, Vanderwilt, Porter, and Gaddum all voting aye - motion passed.

2019 Liquor Licenses were reviewed by Council. Councilor Porter questioned if Blackwell's was still open. Councilor Porter motioned to approve, second by Councilor Vanderwilt, followed by a roll call vote with Councilors Ventress, Vanderwilt, Porter, and Gaddum all voting aye - motion passed.

No Requests to speak to Council.

The Park and Recreation report was given by Director Laura Zimmerman.

The Police report was given by Police Chief Dennis Sanchez. SLPD was awarded a \$20,600 grant from the Idaho Office of Drug Policy. The awning for the Police building will be installed on December 19th and an energy evaluation is being done to help seek ways to reduce energy costs.

Statistics were given: 4470 YTD calls, 404 monthly calls, 128 monthly traffic stops, 59 citations, and 5 arrests. SRO Salisbury and LT. Sherman are teaching classes on winter driving at the high school and some members in the department completed an on-line social media investigation course. The Ford Taurus will be ready and on the street in a week and the SRO vehicle, the Tahoe, was unveiled today.

Through networking with the Idaho Chief of Police Association, the department will receive donated body cameras for the officers.

Holidays and Heroes just completed and went very well.

Costs saving measures and other donations to the Police Department, along with the list of donors, were mentioned.

The Council reviewed the Public Works report. Councilor Ventress asked if the new dump truck had been picked up. Mayor Eastman confirmed it had been picked up and came with a snow plow. The Mayor explained the new Work Order Spreadsheet now used when the public calls in and makes job requests. The Work Order helps to keep track of calls, job completion, and monthly statistics.

Motion to adjourn by Councilor Ventress, second by Councilor Vanderwilt- meeting adjourned at 6:51 p.m.


Renee Eastman, Mayor

Attest:


Michelle Wharton, City Clerk