

The City Council of the City of Anamosa met in Regular Session March 14, 2011 in the Council Chambers at the Anamosa City Hall at 6:00 p.m. with Cody Shaffer, Bill Feldmann, Chuck Smith, Andy Bowers (arrived at 6:15 p.m.), Brady Reynolds and Mike Dearborn present. Absent: None. Mayor Dale Barnes presided. Also present were; Tammy Coons, City Clerk; Larry Driscoll, Public Works Director; and Bob Simonson, Police Chief. Mayor Dale Barnes called the regular meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with a quorum present.

#### **Council Minutes**

Motion by Feldmann, second by Shaffer to approve the minutes from the March 7, 2011 Special Council meeting and the February 28, 2011 Regular Council meeting. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

#### **COMMUNITY BETTERMENT**

##### **Appointments to Anamosa Parks & Recreation Board**

Motion by Feldmann, second by Reynolds to approve the reappointments of Douglas Edel and Martha Rowland to the Anamosa Parks & Recreation Board. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

##### **Ordinance Amending Chapter 160 – Flood Plain Regulations**

Motion by Shaffer, second by Feldmann to approve the **second reading of Ordinance** amending Chapter 160 – Flood Plain Regulations. Roll Vote. 1-Absent, Bowers. All Remaining Ayes. Motion Carried.

#### **PUBLIC SAFETY**

##### **Liquor License Renewals**

Motion by Feldmann, second by Dearborn to approve the renewal of Class C Liquor License, Outdoor Service and Sunday Sales Privileges for Knucklehead's Pub 'n Grub. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

#### **PUBLIC WORKS**

##### **Purchase of New Dump Truck**

Motion by Shaffer, second by Feldmann to authorize the Public Works Director to prepare specifications and go for price quotes on purchase of new dump truck. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

##### **City Brush Pile and Handling/Disposal of Yard Waste**

Discussion was held on options for the City brush pile and disposal of yard waste with the recent request by the owner of the Norlin Quarry for the City not to burn at the quarry. Mike Dearborn stated that he had spoken to Mike Deutmeyer regarding the possibility of the City leasing property from the Stone City Quarry to burn yard waste. More discussion followed.

Motion by Feldmann, second by Shaffer to authorize the City Administrator and the Public Works Director to enter into discussions with Mike Deutmeyer regarding the City possibly leasing property from Stone City Quarries to burn yard waste. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Discussion followed on future options for the City to dispose of yard waste such as, composting and land needed to provide this and an outside contractor providing this service. Larry reviewed his suggestion of the City hiring two part time employees to chip the yard waste.

#### **MAYOR & COUNCIL**

##### **Reports on Council Boards and Commissions**

Mike Dearborn reported that the Parks & Rec Board had met and had reviewed the status of the building addition to the Lawrence Community Center (LCC) and stated that the donations are on target for the project. He also stated that work has begun on the interior removal at the LCC.

Mike Dearborn also reported that Jones County Tourism Board is making the needed adjustments to their budget with the recent reductions in contributions.

Council Member Andy Bowers arrived at 6:15 p.m.

**Adjournment**

Motion by Feldmann, second by Shaffer to adjourn at 6:16 p.m. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

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Dale Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Tammy Coons, City Clerk