

The City Council of the City of Anamosa met in Regular Session this September 24, 2018 in the Council Chambers at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. with Rich Crump, Kay Smith, John Machart, Rod Smith, Cody Shaffer and Betty Weimer present. Absent: None. Mayor Dale Barnes presided. Also present were Jacob Sheridan, City Administrator (present by electronic media – Video); Tammy Coons, City Clerk; Jeremiah Hoyt, Police Chief; and Dan Smith, Wastewater Superintendent. Guests Present Addressing the Council: None. Mayor Dale Barnes called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Roll call was taken with a quorum present.

Council Minutes

Motion by Crump, second by Shaffer to approve the minutes of the September 10, 2018 Regular Council meeting. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

PUBLIC HEARINGS: NONE

COMMUNITY BETTERMENT:

Ordinance Amending Chapter 53 of the City Code to Prescribe New Regulations for Lawn Maintenance and Impose Penalties for Violations Thereof

Motion by Weimer, second by Crump to approve the **first reading of Ordinance** Amending Chapter 53 of the City Code to Prescribe New Regulations for Lawn Maintenance and Impose Penalties for Violations Thereof. Shaffer asked Jeremiah Hoyt, Police Chief if he had reviewed the proposed ordinance and if he felt it was enforceable. Jeremiah stated yes. Roll Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Ordinance Prohibiting Smoking and the Use of Tobacco, Nicotine Products and Electronic Smoking Devices in Public Parks

Motion by Kay Smith, second by Machart to approve the **First Reading of Ordinance** Prohibiting Smoking and the Use of Tobacco, Nicotine Products and Electronic Smoking Devices in Public Parks. Weimer questioned how the \$50.00 fine would be processed. Jacob Sheridan stated that it would be processed similar to a municipal infraction. Roll Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

PUBLIC SAFETY: NONE

PUBLIC WORKS: NONE

FINANCE:

Payment of Bills for the Month of September, 2018

Motion by Shaffer, second by Rod Smith to approve the payment of bills for the month of September, 2018. Discussion followed. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Resolution Approving the Official Iowa Department of Transportation Financial Report for City Streets and Parking for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2018

Motion by Crump, second by Shaffer to approve **Resolution 2018-38** Approving the Official Iowa Department of Transportation Financial Report for City Streets and Parking for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2018. Roll Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Resolution Approving the Salary Increase for the City Administrator per Terms of Employment Agreement for F.Y. 2018-19

Motion by Weimer, second by Kay Smith to approve **Resolution 2018-39** Approving the Salary Increase for the City Administrator per Terms of Employment Agreement for F.Y. 2018-19. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

CITY ADMINISTRATOR’S REPORT:

Jacob stated that he is currently at the ICMA conference in Baltimore and that he nothing else to report at this time.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL:

Kay Smith, Library Board – reported that Library staff will be attending the Iowa Library Association Conference and the Library will be staffed and kept open. She also stated that the Board had discussed special pricing for the rental of the meeting room for non-profit entities and had decided to make no change. Kay stated that they are planning for a “superhero” themed program in the spring.

John Machart reported that Dan Smith, Wastewater Superintendent had told him that the re-seeding of the grassy area in the ROW on 2nd Street had been completed. It has been mowed and they will be applying fertilizer.

Public with Business with the Council on Items not on the Agenda: None.

Adjournment

Motion by Rod Smith, second by Crump to adjourn at 6:10 p.m. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Dale Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tammy Coons, City Clerk