**City Of Green Isle**

**City Council Meeting Minutes**

**Tuesday, October 25th, 2016**

**City Office Council Chambers**

**Call the City Council meeting to order** Mayor ZumBerge called the meeting to order at 7 pm

**Pledge Of Allegiance**

**Council member present** Mayor ZumBerge, Oelfke, Harms, Schauer, Wentzlaff

**City staff present** Clerk Panning

**Other present**  no one

**Public comment period** no one

**Approval of the Agenda** Council member Harms asked to be added

**Motion made by Wentzlaff & seconded by Schauer to approve the Agenda with the addition. Motion carried 5/0.**

**Approval of the Consent Agenda**

1. **Approval of the minutes from the 10-11-16 meeting**
2. **Approval of the claims for 10-25-16 totalling $32,961.86**

**Motion made by Oelfke & seconded by Harms to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion carried 5/0.**

**Jeff Hebeisen—insurance for City** Jeff did not attend.

**Update on speed sign** City Clerk Panning advised the Council that he contacted Tim Becker and the County will install a sign on County Rd. 11 in the next few weeks. Green Isle will pay half (approx. $1,500.00) for the cost of the sign.

**Joe Dacey status** Panning said Joe is home and improving but does not know when he can return to work. Panning also said that Mr. Hecksel is putting in extra hours and the work that needs to be done is getting done.

**Other matters** Panning advised that not knowing the timing of Joe’s return that he contacted Kohl’s Sweeping from Hutchinson and they can come to Green Isle and sweep the streets for approximately $800.00.

**Motion made by ZumBerge & seconded by Wentzlaff to have Panning contact Kohl’s Sweeping to arrange a time. Motion carried 5/0.**

Harms mentioned that Dale Circle has a buildup of sand and small rock that should get some extra attention. After further discussion it was decided to have the cul-de-sacs in town get some extra attention.

The large pile of leaves at the dump site also was brought up. ZumBerge said that Mike Neisen should be contacted to bring a dumpster to the site so we can load it & have the leaves removed. Panning or Dacey will contact Neisen.

Panning brought up the JIT request for a City (EDA) loan. Panning said that AEM is working with a company who is knowledgeable at setting up EDA policies and they also are contacting JIT to keep the ball rolling. Panning did say that by cutting our law enforcement hours with Sibley county from 20 hrs. per week to 15 hrs . per week that, that would generate $10,560.00 per year without having a noticeable affect to the City or its residents. Wentzlaff stressed the importance of the City helping out JIT if at all possible.

Wentzlaff said that in Joe’s absence that he and Schauer could take care of the snow plowing/removal that Joe normally does if it comes to that.

**Motion made by Wentzlaff and seconded by Oelfke to adjourn at 7:40 pm. Motion carried 5/0.**

 **ATTEST**

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**Mayor ZumBerge City Clerk Panning**