**City Of Green Isle**

**City Council Meeting Minutes**

**Tuseday, September 27th, 2016 (7 pm)**

**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 members present** Mayor ZumBerge, Wentzlaff, Harms, Schauer, Oelfke

**City staff present** City Clerk Panning

**Others present** Sibley County deputy Josh Klein

**Public comment period** Deputy Klein said he was open to questions/concerns. Wentzlaff said that since the speed sign was moved to Hwy 25 he has noticed where some traffic is once again exceeding the posted speed limits. He suggested that maybe a stop sign should be placed at county road 11 and 5th street. Deputy Klein said he would send an email to Tim Becker at the county regarding the placement of a stop sign at that location. ZumBerge stated that he feels that the stop sign placed on Western Ave last year was a joke & maybe those signs could be removed and put on 11 & 5th.

Deputy Klein asked if Ceasar Gonzalas has cleaned his property. Panning said that some progress has been made but is still a mess. Deputy Klein will contact City Attorney Arneson for an update on Gonzalas regarding court dates, etc.

**Approval of the Agenda** Panning, Wentzlaff & Schauer asked to be added to the Agenda.

**A motion was made by Wentzlaff & seconded by Harms to approve the Agenda with the additions. The motion carried 5/0.**

**Approval of the Consent Agenda**

1. **Approval of the minutes from the September 13th, 2016 meeting**
2. **Approval of the claims totalling $11,352.24**

**A motion was made by Schauer & seconded by Oelfke to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion carried 5/0.**

**2017 Budget/Levy—Resolution #2016-07**

**School boiler** Panning said that the school boiler was inspected and was found to have 3 items needing repair. Panning said that the schools boiler man (Roger Henke) has or will be repairing all 3 items. Harms asked who pays for the repairs. It was agreed that these items could be paid by using part of the $50,000.00 that was promised to the school by the Council as was done in the past.

**Update on the speed sign** Wentzlaff said he is in favor of a stop sign at 11 & 5th. Harms said he thinks if we purchase another speed sign that we should look into a sign mounted on the actual speed limit sign and that is solar powered. It was agreed that any action would be tabled until we hear from the County on the placement of another stop sign on county road 11.

**Update on the Community School bus driver** Brandy Barrett did not attend the meeting so we have not heard officially if the bus driver passed her state test. Panning also asked if the parking of the school bus in the fire lane has been addressed. Schauer said that Fire Chief Vos said it was not a problem. Panning said that he would confirm that with Mr Vos.

**Other matters** Wentzlaff said that he caught an out of town person dropping off several loads of branches/leaves at the City drop off site. He was wondering what could be done. ZumBerge stated that he thinks we should leave alone unless it becomes more of a problem

Schauer said that he thinks the City should begin to build up a fund to be used for new City equipment. ZumBerge said that the City could put some dollars into an equipment fund as part of the annual budget. Panning said that a good time to discuss this and get some ideas would be the next time AEM has someone at the meeting.

Panning said that the young man who messed up the Lions Park shelter is coming in to town this Saturday to paint some picnic tables in an effort to repay the City the $250.00 deductable.

The timing of the RS Fiber and what they offer came up for discussion. Panning said that he called the Fiber office and was told that all would be available by the end of October of 2016. Panning was also told that the open house meeting to be held in Green Isle would be scheduled shortly.

**Motion made by Harms & seconded by Wentzlaff to adjourn at 7:45 pm. Motion carried 5/0.**

 **ATTEST**

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**Mayor ZumBerge City Clerk Panning**