

El Paso City Council
Regular Meeting Minutes
June 20, 2016

A Regular Meeting of the El Paso City Council was called to order by Mayor Mool on June 20, 2016 at 7:30 PM.

Council Members Present: Brucker, Burton, Steffen, and Roberts. Absent: Benedict.

Also Present: Utilities Director Chuck Arbuckle, Casey Jones, Paul Mool, Chief Jeff Price, Director of Public Service Jack Hickock, Recreation Director Brandon Martin, Sgt. Bryan Clark, Mark Kapraun, Gene Heller, Mr. Smith from Heartland Cable, Kim Kearney and Treasurer Jennie Kearney as the local press.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag was recited.

Approval of Agenda: Motion by Steffen, seconded by Price to approve agenda as presented. Voice vote taken of all ayes.

Consent Agenda. Council Minutes: The minutes of the June 6, 2016 City Council Meeting were presented in written form.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report for the month ending May 31, 2016 showing Investments and revenue and expenses were presented in written form.

Register of Bills: The Register of Bills in the amount of \$97,593.10 was presented.

Approval of Consent Agenda: Motion by Brucker, seconded by Steffen to approve items on consent agenda as presented. Voice vote taken of all ayes.

Public Comments: None.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

Boring Guideline Ordinance: Proposed Ordinance 985- Motion by Burton, seconded by Brucker to pass proposed Ordinance 985, which create guidelines for boring within the City of El Paso. Roll call vote taken of all ayes.

Heartland Cable Agreement: Motion by Brucker, seconded by Steffen to approve Heartland Cable Agreement as presented and authorize the Mayor to sign such. Roll Call vote taken of ayes.

Mayor's Report: The Mayor thanked Casey and his crew for the cutting of many dead or

damaged trees this spring and summer

Director of Public Service: Jack reported comments about parks and recreation, including income deposited recently for concessions and fees.

City Council Comments: None.

Staff Reports:

Police Chief: Chief Price announced that National Night Out will be August 2nd and on August 29th they will sponsor a golf outing for Special Olympics of Illinois. The Police Department will be accepting applications and schedule testing to create a listing of candidates for patrolmen.

Public Works: Casey Jones reported they are pouring concrete for sidewalk repairs and just fixed the tile at Elm and Main Streets.

Parks & Recreation Director: Brandon Martin reported results of Recreation coaches survey and the continue to work on park and pond.

Utilities Director: Chuck Arbuckle reported they continue to look at meter reader systems and some went to Wenona to evaluate their system.

Staff Reports: Clerk's Report: The Clerk reported Sales Tax year to date after 3 months is up 6.96%.

City Attorney: Attorney Stoller was absent.

Motion by Price, seconded by Steffen to adjourn. Voice vote taken of all ayes. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

David W. Fever,
City Clerk