

Regular Council Meeting of July 21, 2015

Present were: Mayor Spieth, Councilmembers Koepke, Naillon, Neal, Hart and Roley.
Absent: None.

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor Spieth. Pledge of Allegiance given.
Copies of the July 7th council meeting minutes were read and approved.

Vicki Hinze submitted an application for a special occasion license for the opening night of the Tumbleweed Film Festival to be held at Vicki's Back Door on July 30th for the Chamber of Commerce. Due to the short time period involved, Hinze is requesting a letter of non-objection to the Liquor Control Board from the City for the application to be processed in time. Council unanimously supported the request.

Garbage/litter ordinance is still being worked on by Chris Branch; draft should be available for the next council meeting. Naillon questioned if dumpsters are posted with no dumping signs; they currently are not, but will be addressed in the proposed ordinance.

Roley questioned if the curb at Subway had been looked at by Superintendent Noel; Noel stated that he did look at the damage to the curb and the city crew will repair when time allows.

Chris Allen requested an update on the status of the ambulance service; Mayor Spieth responded that he will no longer discuss the issue with Mr. Allen. Mayor Spieth stated that the interlocal agreement is still being worked on by the County. Janet Allen questioned the status of the proposed meeting with the County; Mayor Spieth stated that the County will not be holding a meeting and Perry Huston from the County is working on the interlocal agreement. Mayor Spieth stated that a meeting will be held on Thursday between Perry Huston, Chris Branch and himself to discuss the interlocal agreement. Discussion on purpose of the interlocal agreement. Janet Allen questioned when the information will be available from the meeting with Huston; Mayor Spieth stated that he will be available to discuss the update with Jackie Daniels on Friday following the meeting with Huston on Thursday.

Roley stated that she would like to approach the School Board about getting a student representative on city council; council members supported getting the school involved in City business.

Arnie Marchand gave an update on Museum operations. Historical Society may approach the City requesting \$6,000 in matching funds for a grant for improvements to the museum. Historical Society will also be applying for a bike friendly grant. Marchand stated that they have had 1,500 visitors so far this season; this season they have experienced a high number of bike tours visiting the museum.

Steve Johnston gave an update on Airport operations; airport is very active due to the fire activity in the area.

Chief Hill reported that Frank Koutelieris has been selected for the patrolman position and will start effective August 10, 2015.

Superintendent Noel reported that the Incident Commander with the Mt. Hull fire was in contact with him to update him on the fire; fire is currently at 200 acres and is hand work only. The Incident Commander wanted to assure Noel that they will keep Oroville up to date on the status of the fire.

Hart requested Superintendent Noel address the goat heads along the sidewalk on the South end of Oroville along the highway; Noel stated that Ken Cumbo has been spraying, will check to see if he has sprayed that area yet.

Hart requested that No U-Turn signs be placed on Main Street; Noel to check on regulations for the State Highway. Discussed that signage could help with enforcement.

Hart would like to thank Superintendent Noel for the placement of the Port-A-Potty at Henry Kniss Riverfront Park.

7:25 pm Superintendent Noel requested a 15-minute Executive Session 42.30.110 (g) regarding personnel. Meeting reconvened at 7:35 pm; no action taken.

Motion by Roley and second by Neal the vouchers #19360-19386, \$31,117.85, be paid, the July 15, 2015 payroll of \$43,589.07, #19327-19349, be approved and the meeting be adjourned at 7:35 pm. Motion carried.

Minutes approved _____

Mayor

Clerk