
MIDDLETON CITY COUNCIL
APRIL 19, 2023

The Middleton City Council Meeting was called to order on April 19, 2023, at 5:32 p.m. by Mayor Steve Rule.

Roll Call:

City Council: Council President Kiser, Council Members Huggins, Murray, and O'Meara were present.

Mayor Steve Rule, City Attorney Mark Hilty, City Administrator Ms. Crofts, Public Works Director Mr. Van Gilder, Planning and Zoning Official Ms. Stewart and Deputy Clerk Ms. Reynolds were present.

Pledge of Allegiance, Invocation: Jason Van Gilder

Action Items

A. Approve Amended Agenda

Motion: Motion by Council President Kiser to approve Agenda posted April 17, 2023. Motion seconded by Council Member O'Meara and approved Unanimously.

Information Item:

1. **Discussion about food trucks – Ms. Reynolds**
2. **Discussion about feral cat colonies – Mayor Rule**
3. **Special Recognition to Hubble Homes, Qualitree, Dahle Construction, Mountain Companies, and Precision Excavation and Construction for their exceptional work on clearing the pathway along Mill Creek. – Mayor Rule**
Special Recognition moved to May 3rd meeting.

Action Item:

1. **Consent Agenda (items of routine administrative business) (*Action Items*)**
 - a. **Consider approving minutes for City Council April 5, 2023, meeting.**
 - b. **Consider ratifying payroll for April 7, 2023, in the amount of \$106,841.75.**
 - c. **Consider approving accounts payable through April 7, 2023, in the amount of \$251,966.59.**
 - d. **Consider Authorizing the Mayor or his designee to accept JBJ Diesel's quote to repair the rear suspension on the City's 1994 Kenworth Dump Truck (Vehicle ID 118) in an amount not to exceed \$5,352.61. – Mr. Van Gilder**
 - e. **Consider Authorizing the Mayor or his designee to ratify the Staff's authorization to Do-It-Once Welding for the repair of the dump truck bed on the City's 1994 Kenworth Dump Truck (Vehicle ID 118) in an amount not to exceed \$5,700.00 – Mr. Van Gilder**
 - f. **Consider amending the City's On-Call Professional Services Roster to include the following firms: Third Axis; Compass Ecospatial, LLC; and Advanced Control Systems, LLC. - Mr. Van Gilder**

Mayor Rule called items and Council President Kiser asked Council if they had questions regarding the accounts payable. None

Motion: Motioned by Council President Kiser to approve Consent Agenda Items 1 a, b, c, d, e & f. Motion seconded by Council Member O'Meara and approved unanimously.

2. Consider Request from Caldwell Lions Club to hold bi-monthly meetings at the Trolley Station and waive rental fees. – Ms. Clemenger

Mayor Rule called the item and Ms. Clemenger explained the Caldwell Lions Club application and what the club does for the community.

Motion: Motioned by Council President Kiser to approve the request from Caldwell Lions Club to hold bi-monthly meetings at the Trolley Station and waive rental fees. Motion seconded by Council Member Huggins and approved unanimously.

3. Consider waiving building permit and inspection fees for GMPRD pump station at Hillside Park. – Mr. Garner w/ GMPRD

Mayor Rule called the item and Mr. Garner explained the request. GMPRD is building the pump station on Hillside Park which is a city owned park.

Council Member O'Meara recused himself from the decision.

Motion: Motion by Council President Kiser to waive the building permit fee and inspection fees for GMPRD pump station at Hillside Park. Motion seconded by Council Member Huggins and approved unanimously by Roll Call Vote. Kiser – Yes, Huggins – Yes, Murray – Yes, O'Meara – Recused.

Public Comments:

Patty Crawford: Would like to change the structure of meetings.

Discussion by council about moving the general public comment to the beginning of the meeting.

Mike Graefe: Wants to thank those who are doing the petition for Liquor by the Drink. If you don't want feral cats, don't feed them.

Sandee Sinclair: She can help with the feral cat problem.

Mayor and Council Comments:

Council Member O'Meara: The nature preserve park up by Stonehaven is in the process of getting cleaned up. Hopefully soon there should be something growing.

Mayor Rule: He and Ms. Crofts attended the Idaho Department of Commerce meeting and Middleton was asked to present the River Walk concept. They were given grand reviews on the concept.

Adjourn: Mayor adjourned the meeting at 6:43 p.m.

ATTEST:


Jennica Reynolds, Deputy Clerk
Minutes Approved: May 3, 2023


Mayor Steve Rule





Public Comment Sign In

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