

**CARAWAY CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

**THURSDAY**

**December 10, 2020**

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING ROOM**

**Meeting opened: 6:00 p.m.**

**Meeting closed: 6:30 p.m.**

**ROLL CALL:**

<b>MEMBERS:</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
<b>MAYOR: BO JAMES</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>RECORDER: RICK STEVENS</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>ALDERMAN: MITCHELL TIPTON</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>ALDERMAN: JORDAN ADCOCK</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>ALDERMAN: MARVIN BROWNING</b>	<b>X</b>	
<b>ALDERMAN: JERRY MARTIN</b>	<b>X</b>	

The group said the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Prayer was led by Rick Stevens.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Bo James.

The roll was called with the mayor, recorder and all alderman present.

Minutes of the November 12, 2020 meeting was presented.

Jerry Martin made a motion to approve the minutes, second by Mitchell Tipton.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

November Financial Statements for Water & Sewer, Street and General Fund were presented.

Mitchell Tipton made a motion to approve the financial statements,  
second by Marvin Browning.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

**Mayor James updated the council on the following items:**

Mayor James reviewed the 2018 and 2019 Water & Sewer Dept. audit. He pointed out that the findings found at the end of 2018 have been corrected.

Jerry martin made a motion to accept this audit report, second by Mitchell Tipton.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Jerry Martin made a motion for Jerry Vaughn to fill Roger Williams city council seat starting January, 2021.

Second by Marvin Browning.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

After covering the cost of painting the Senior Citizens building, a bid of \$8,749.00 from Jacky Zackery was agreed on.

Jerry Martin made a motion to have Jackie Zachary paint the Senior Citizen building at a bid cost of \$8,749.00, second by Marvin Browning.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Mayor James informed the council that Roger Overman had passed a test for waste water treatment and was now qualified to run the city water plant. He will continue on with further tests to be qualified to perform more jobs in the water department.

Jerry Martin made a motion for the addition of a line item added to the water and sewer department budget for the purchase of winter clothing for the employees to use. The amount is to be \$500.00.

Second by Mitchell Tipton.

Vote: Jordan Adcock- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton- Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin- Yes

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

The city council was informed that the city needed to purchase a new Kubota mower in 2021 by Mayor James. The purchase would be in the amount of approximately \$15,000.00.

The council also discussed the possibility of the city purchasing a sewer cleaner truck. A used one might be bought for \$40,000-\$50,000.

Mayor James informed the council that the city would be receiving \$50,667.90 in CARES ACT money to be used for the police department. Items discussed for purchase included a new truck and rifles for the department.

Marvin Browning made a motion to adjourn meeting, seconded by Mitchell Tipton.

Motion carries on vote of 4-0.

APPROVED:

MAYOR



ATTEST:

RECORDER

