CARAWAY CITY COUNCIL MEETING **THURSDAY**

September 8, 2022

CITY COUNCIL MEETING ROOM

Meeting opened: 6:00 p.m. Meeting closed: 6:45 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

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MEMBERS:	PRESENT	ABSENT
MAYOR: BO JAMES	X	
RECORDER: RICK STEVENS	X	
ALDERMAN: JEFF REA	X	
ALDERMAN: MITCHELL TIPTON	X	
ALDERMAN: CHRIS KELEMS	2	X
ALDERMAN: JERRY VAUGHN	Х	
ALDERMAN: MARVIN BROWNING	X	
ALDERMAN: JERRY MARTIN	X	

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 except Chris Kelems.

Minutes of the August 11th meeting were presented.

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

Vote: Jerry Vaughn-Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea - Yes

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems -

Motion carries on vote of 5-0

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

Jeff Rea made a motion to approve the financial statements,

second by Jerry Martin.

Vote: Jerry Vaughn- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea - Yes

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems -

Motion carries on vote of 5-0.

Mitchell Tipton made a motion for a payment to Edwards Automotive for the repair of a Fire Dept.

truck to be paid out of the Act 833 account for \$ 5,094.98, second by Marvin Browning.

Vote: Jerry Vaughn-Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea - Yes

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems -

Motion carries on vote of 5-0

Mitchell Tipton made a motion to pay the 10% of cost on 10 new AirPacs for the Fire Dept out of the Act 833 account. The cost will be about \$7,000.00 with a grant paying for the rest of the cost.

Second by Jeff Rea.

Vote: Jerry Vaughn-Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea - Yes

Vote: Marvin Browning-Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems -

Motion carries on vote of 5-0.

Jerry Martin made a motion to hire Humble Ridge Properties to install four new light pole heads 5,000k x 4 20,000k of LED lights at the tennis courts, second by Marvin Browning.

Vote: Jerry Vaughn- Abstain

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea - Yes

Vote: Marvin Browning-Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems -

Motion carries on vote of 4-0, 1 abstain.

Mayor James stated in public hearing concerning the well project was complete with one more payment left. The city would have \$18,000.00 left to keep from the ARNC funds.

Velocity completed the patching of city streets but there were three holes missed according to the mayor.

A grant has been submitted for Street Aid to help with city streets paving. January 2023 is the target date.

There was further discussion concerning the purchase of land by city next to the old Dollar General store. The matter will continue to be worked on as to cost and other details to be considered.

There was discussion about weed eating at the city cemetery, Mayor James said he would contact Daniel Haynes.

Properties in town that are growing up are being looked into by the police department. The owners will be contacted.

Marvin Browning made a motion to adjourn meeting, seconded by Jerry Martin.

Vote: Jerry Vaughn- Yes

Vote: Mitchell Tipton - Yes

Vote: Jerry Martin - Yes

Vote: Jeff Rea -

Vote: Marvin Browning- Yes

Vote: Chris Kelems - yes

Motion carries on vote of 5-0.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

MAYOR

RECORDER