

July 12, 2018
CITY COUNCIL MEETING ROOM
 Meeting opened: 6:00 p.m.
 Meeting closed: 6:54 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

MEMBERS:	PRESENT	ABSENT
MAYOR: BARRY RILEY	X	
RECORDER: RICK STEVENS	X	
ALDERMAN: JOHN BOATMAN	X	
ALDERMAN: MITCHELL TIPTON	X	
ALDERMAN: BO JAMES	X	
ALDERMAN: ROGER WILLIAMS	X	
ALDERMAN: MARVIN BROWNING	X	
ALDERMAN: JERRY MARTIN	X	

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Barry Riley.
 The roll was called with the mayor and all alderman present.

Minutes of the June 12th meeting were presented.
 Marvin Browning made a motion to approve the minutes, second by Jerry Martin.
 Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

June Financial Statements for Water & Sewer, Street and General Fund were presented.
 John Boatman made a motion to approve the financial statements,
 second by Marvin Browning.
 Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

Roger Williams made a motion to sell the city property located at 410 West State for \$6,000.00,
 with certain guidelines as to what type of structures can be placed on it.
 Second by Marvin Browning.
 Vote:John Boatman- Yes Vote:Mitchell Tipton-Yes Vote:Jerry Martin- Yes
 Vote:Bo James-Yes Vote:Marvin Browning- Yes Vote: Roger Williams- Yes
 Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

Bo James made a motion to set the starting salary for the new police person to be hired to be
 \$28,000.00 a year. Second by Roger Williams.
 Vote:John Boatman- Yes Vote:Mitchell Tipton-Yes Vote:Jerry Martin- Yes
 Vote:Bo James-Yes Vote:Marvin Browning- Yes Vote: Roger Williams- Yes
 Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

John Boatman made a motion to repair or replace the air conditioner in the police department office, spending
 up to \$4,000.00. Second by Roger Williams.
 Vote:John Boatman- Yes Vote:Mitchell Tipton-Yes Vote:Jerry Martin- Yes
 Vote:Bo James-Yes Vote:Marvin Browning- Yes Vote: Roger Williams- Yes
 Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

Mayor Riley reported on the offers for the property located at 410 West State street. Mayor
 Riley said one offer was for \$5,000.00 and one for \$6,000.00.

Mayor Riley reported to the council that sand was being pumped up out of the city well. Work is
 continuing on getting it fixed as soon as possible.

Wyatt Wheaton is in the process of being hired as a new police patrolman.

The air conditioner at the police station is not working properly and in need of fixing.

A door at the fire station is in need of being repaired.

Jeremy Garland gave an update on ongoing work at the city ball parks including the mowing of the fields. Bo James informed Jeremy that he might be able to help secure a mower for use by the park commission. Inmates from Mississippi County will be helping with painting the ball park wall, hanging signs on the wall and moving bleachers next week.

Mitchell Tipton gave a report that there was company that could be considered to help secure a manufacturing company to occupy the former Basler building.

A representative from the company will be invited to next month's city council meeting.

Cleanup at the factory used by the Grain Bag company was discussed.

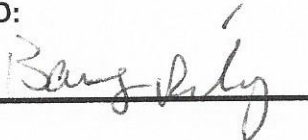
All the new apartments recently build are all occupied as of now, and more apartments are coming.

Cold patch needs to be used on damaged areas in the driveway to the new apartments.

John Boatman made a motion to adjourn meeting, seconded by Roger Williams.
Motion carries on vote of 6-0.

APPROVED:

MAYOR



ATTEST:

RECORDER

