

COUNCIL MEETING OCTOBER 19, 2009

MEMBERS PRESENT

Jack Shrewsbury
Tamara Johnson
Rose Cason
Henry Huey
Dennis Beeman
George Beeman
Ken Blankenship
John Woodland
Anita Mason
Paul Martin
Chief Perry Hopkins
City Clerk Pamela Price

Mr. Woodland presented bids for asphaltting the parking lot at city hall. (Bids on file in city hall).

Discussion held.

Motion by Mr. Shrewsbury, seconded by Mr. Blankenship to award the bid to County Asphalt in the amount of \$2,938.00.

POLLED VOTE

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| Mr. Shrewsbury | aye | Ms. Johnson | aye |
| Mrs. Cason | aye | Mr. Huey | aye |
| Mr. D. Beeman | aye | Mr. G. Beeman | aye |
| Mr. Blankenship | aye | Mr. Woodland | aye |

Mr. G. Beeman asked about the check cashing matter at Prince's Market. Mayor Mason replied they are in compliance now. Not allowed to cash checks for a fee. Their license will be reviewed at renewal time.

Mr. Woodland gave a report to the council on the costs of repairs to the police cars and the poor conditions of the health and building inspectors cars. He suggested that the city purchase 2 new police cars annually and pass down good used vehicles to the inspectors.

Mayor Mason added that the Chief with her approval is asking the council to approve one police vehicle. It must be ordered before October 31st in order to avoid additional cost. It will replace the traffic car. Mayor Mason suggested seeking 2 used vehicles for the inspectors.

Discussion held.

Motion by Mr. G. Beeman, seconded by Mrs. Cason to order one new police car.

POLLED VOTE

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| Mr. Shrewsbury | aye | Ms. Johnson | aye |
| Mrs. Cason | aye | Mr. Huey | aye |
| Mr. D. Beeman | aye | Mr. G. Beeman | aye |
| Mr. Blankenship | aye | Mr. Woodland | aye |

Mr. Shrewsbury mentioned that there are many potholes in the city that need to be fixed. The Mayor stated that the street men will work on them as weather permits.

Ms. Johnson complained that police cars were speeding without lights or sirens. Mayor Mason asked Chief Hopkins to look into the matter.

Mr. Huey also complained about potholes.

Mr. D. Beeman felt the residents should be informed of the proper method for disposal of hazardous materials.

Mr. G. Beeman reported that people are parking on and driving over curbs. This is damaging them.

Mr. Blankenship asked what the sod was for on the bills to be paid. Mayor Mason replied to fix the easements that were flooding when Wismer was redone.

Mr. Woodland announced the Halloween event this weekend. He complimented the police on the reduction of speeders on Wismer and Benson.

Motion by Mrs. Cason, seconded by Ms. Johnson to approve the items of general consent.

Motion passed.

Motion by Mrs. Cason, seconded by Mr. Woodland to assign Bill 1224 to a proposed ordinance adopting the 2000 International residential Building Code and to give it a first reading by title only.

Motion passed. Attorney Martin gave Bill 1224 its first reading by title only.

Motion by Mrs. Cason, seconded by Mr. Woodland to give Bill 1224 its second and final reading by title only.

Motion passed. Attorney Martin gave Bill 1224 its second and final reading by title only.

Motion by Mrs. Cason, seconded by Mr. Woodland to adopt Bill 1224 as Ordinance 1147.

POLLED VOTE

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| Mr. Shrewsbury | aye | Ms. Johnson | aye |
| Mrs. Cason | aye | Mr. Huey | aye |
| Mr. D. Beeman | aye | Mr. G. Beeman | aye |
| Mr. Blankenship | aye | Mr. Woodland | aye |

Motion by Mr. Woodland, seconded by Mrs. Cason to adjourn the meeting.

Motion passed. Meeting adjourned

Mayor

City Clerk