

CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LOVES PARK, ILLINOIS

Journal of Proceedings Regular Meeting, Monday, March 7, 2022 City Hall Council Chambers

Mayor Gregory Jury called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

Pastor K.D. Bodwell of Windsor Baptist Church opened the meeting with an

invocation, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Aldermen Robert Schlensker, Doug Allton, Nancy Warden, John Jacobson,

Jim Puckett, Dan Jacobson, John Pruitt, Jim Thompson, Mark Peterson,

A. Marie Holmes

Also City Clerk Bob Burden
Present: City Attorney Gino Galluzzo

1. Approve Minutes 02/28/22

The Journal of Proceedings for the regular meeting of February 28, 2022 was approved as submitted by the city clerk on a motion by Alderman Schlensker. Second by Alderman Allton. Motion carried. 9 Ayes (Alderman Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Holmes) 1 Present (Alderman Peterson)

2. Commerce Commission Hearing Received a notice from the Illinois Commerce Commission of a hearing regarding Commonwealth Edison, to be held March 10, 2022, in the offices of the Commission, Chicago, IL. Placed on file.

3. General Fund Bills

Alderman John Jacobson presented the General Fund and all other bills dated February 28, 2022, in the amount of \$106,697.29, and moved that they be paid. Second by Alderman Peterson. Motion carried. 10 Ayes (Aldermen Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Peterson, Holmes)

4. Water Department Bills

Alderman John Jacobson presented the Water Department bills dated February 28, 2022, in the amount of \$51,413.00, and moved that they be paid. Second by Alderman Peterson. Motion carried. 10 Ayes (Aldermen Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Peterson, Holmes)

Public Safety Report Alderman Allton presented the Fire Department Report dated March 7, 2022; presented the Police Department Report dated March 7, 2022, to be placed on file.

6. Public Works Report

Alderman Schlensker presented the Street Department Report dated March 7, 2022; presented the Water Department Report for March 7, 2022, to be placed on file.

7. Finance Committee

Alderman John Jacobson of the Finance and Administration Committee presented the General Fund and all other bills dated March 7, 2022, in the amount of \$251,927.02, for consideration at next week's city council meeting; presented the minutes from the committee meeting held February 28, 2022, to be placed on file.

8. Public Works Committee

Alderman Schlensker of the Public Works Committee presented the Water Department list of bills dated March 7, 2022, in the amount of \$53,200.49, for consideration at next week's city council meeting.

9. Community Development

Alderman Pruitt of the Community Development Committee presented the minutes from the committee meeting held January 31, 2022, to be placed on file.

10. ORD 4464-22 Liquor License For 4001 Interstate Blvd. Alderman Warden presented for second reading an ordinance providing for a Class D Liquor License to Casey's General Store #3760, 4001 Interstate Blvd., and moved for passage of the ordinance. Second by Alderman Thompson. Motion carried. 10 Ayes (Aldermen Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Peterson, Holmes)

ORDINANCE NO. 4464-22

11. 1st Reading SUP For 6489 N. Second St. Alderman Pruitt presented for first reading an ordinance providing for a Special Use Permit for the property known as 6489 North Second Street, and moved to send the ordinance back to the Community Development Committee for further review. Second by Alderman Warden. Motion carried. 10 Ayes (Aldermen Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Peterson, Holmes)

12. 1st Reading SUP For 1812 E. Riverside Blvd. Alderman Pruitt presented for first reading an ordinance providing for a Special Use Permit for the property known as 1812 E. Riverside Blvd., and moved to waive the reading of the ordinance as all aldermen have been provided copies. Second by Alderman Warden. Motion carried. 10 Ayes (Aldermen Schlensker, Allton, Warden, John Jacobson, Puckett, Dan Jacobson, Pruitt, Thompson, Peterson, Holmes) Laid over

13. Public Comment

Brandon Ennis spoke to the City Council in favor of passage of the Loves Park Sales Tax Road Referendum on June 28, 2022, and he outlined the benefits of the Referendum to the Loves Park community.

14. Adjourn

Alderman Schlensker moved that the meeting be adjourned. Second by Alderman Allton. Motion carried by voice vote. The meeting was adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

APPROVED:

Robert J. Burden, City Clerk

STANDING COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Community Development: Following Council Meeting

6:15 p.m.

Finance and Administration: Prior to Council Meeting

5:40 p.m.

Public Works: Prior to Council Meeting

5:15 p.m.

Zoning Board of Appeals: 3rd Thursday of the Month

5:30 p.m.