

CITY OF TUSCOLA

COUNTY OF DOUGLAS
STATE OF ILLINOIS
TUSCOLA CITY HALL
May 23, 2022

The regular meeting of the City Council was called to order with Brace, Day (virtual), Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop, and Mayor Kleiss in attendance. Alderman Shoemaker and City Clerk Leamon were absent. Mayor Kleiss led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comment - None

Consent Agenda

Mayor Kleiss went over the items on the consent agenda:

- Minutes of the May 9, 2022 meeting
- Financial Report: April, 2022
- Payment of bills totaling \$202,259.27
- Pay request from Clark Dietz for Downtown Alley Improvements Engineering in the amount of \$34,895.00
- Community Building Lease with Alcohol: Jasmine Lira for Quinceanera June 24-26, 2022
- Street Closures for Outdoor Movie Nights June 17, July 15, and August 19, 2022
- Street Closure for Downtown Outdoor Shopping Event June 18, 2022

Hoey moved to approve the items on the consent agenda. Morris seconded. VOTE YEA* Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop. Rund moved to approve the consent agenda for May 23, 2022. Brace seconded. VOTE YEA* Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop.

Mayor

Mayor Kleiss read a thank you letter from Jessica Laley Roberts for use of the community building for the St. Jude walk/run fundraiser and Glow Bingo on June 3, 2022.

Mayor Kleiss presented the names for annual appointment to the Tourism Board:

Randy Hastings
Drew Hoel
Donna Kidwell
Michele Black
Devon Flesor Story
Stacey Rae
Bill Hill

Morris moved to approve the appointment of Randy Hastings, Drew Hoel, Donna Kidwell, Michele Black, Devon Flesor Story, Stacey Rae and Bill Hill as members of the Tourism Board. Hoey seconded. VOTE YEA* Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop.

Mayor Kleiss congratulated Morgan Day for her softball pitching performance with Oklahoma State University, the TCHS girls' track team for winning the first state title, and the TCHS girls' softball team for winning their regional game.

City Clerk – No Report

City Treasurer – No Report

City Attorney – No Report

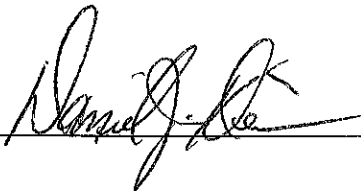
City Administrator – Administrator Hoel noted that we would not have flags on the light poles for Memorial Day due to flag availability. Flags were ordered the first part of April and have yet to be shipped. Hoel also informed council that Leak Detection Services found a large leak on Carico Street that has been repaired. Early indication is this was a very large leak that may account for a lot of our water loss. We should have verification of this information in about a month.

Other

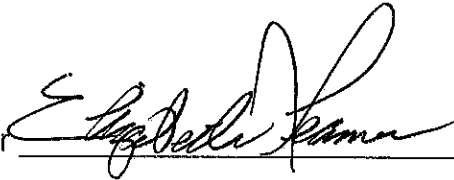
Mayor Kleiss presented a revised summer hire roster with the addition of two lifeguards, Katie Smith and Brady Urban. Rund moved to approve the revised summer hire roster as submitted. Morris seconded. VOTE YEA* Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop.

Mayor Kleiss presented the name of Jason Simpson for the Street Department employment opening with a starting hourly rate of \$24.50. Starting date to be determined. Slaughter moved to approve the employment of Jason Simpson for the open Street Department position. Morris seconded. VOTE YEA* Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop.

The motion to adjourn was made by Waldrop and seconded by Brace. VOTE YEA*Brace, Day, Hoey, Morris, Rund, Slaughter, Waldrop.



Mayor



City Clerk