

10-19-21 a regular meeting of the Shellsburg City Council was called to order by Mayor Speckner at 6:00pm in the Council Chambers. Roll call was answered by Vogt, Reeves, and Thorkildson. Chapman and Blattler were absent.

Thorkildson motioned to approve the consent agenda. Reeves second. All ayes.

The library reports were reviewed.

Deputy Rider gave the police report and mentioned they did 10 stops at Canton & Cottage giving out 9 citations.

Dave Travis requested to allow the American Legion to place a flagpole at the cemetery.

Reeves noted due to concerns on Facebook and people not stopping at stop signs that in the past 5 years there have been 16 accidents in Shellsburg - one occurring at Canton & Main, and one at Canton & Cottage. The Council is going to review other options.

Noah from Origin Design went over the amendment for Jones Street culvert which covers \$ 4,900 for re-bid, plan updates, and rebidding. If any additional fees once construction starts, this allows Origin to charge their hourly fee. Reeves motioned to approve the Jones Street contract amendment. Vogt second. All ayes. Noah updated on the Sells Street Bridge contract amendment. \$ 106,500.00 should get us to the bidding process. Thorkildson motioned to approve the amendment of professional services for the Sells Street Bridge. Reeves second. All ayes. Thorkildson motioned to set a public hearing for the Jones Street culvert project at 6:00pm November 1st, 2021. Reeves second. All ayes.

Ordinance review was discussed. Thorkildson to make minor adjustments and get sent to codification company again.

Street lighting was moved to the next meeting so the bid can be reviewed to fix Pearl Street and Main Street lighting.

The FEMA numbers were updated with help from the State and were reviewed, waiting on FEMA for a response.

Reeves motioned to approve Resolution #10-19-2021, Conflict of Interest which needs to be in place for the ARP funds. Thorkildson second. All ayes.

Resolution #10-19-2021A was moved to a future date so designation of the ARP funds can be discussed more.

Sells Street business not willing to sell so the Hazard Mitigation Grant process has been cancelled.

Reeves motioned to authorize payment to Steve Meyer Consulting for grant work completed in the amount of \$200.00. Thorkildson second. All ayes.

Thorkildson moved to have Scott Survey set pins for the transfer of property from the railroad to the City for Memorial Park. Reeves second. All ayes.

Thorkildson motioned to spend up to but not exceed \$300.00 to send Clerk to budget workshop. Reeves second. All ayes.

Mayor Speckner contacted the City attorney to write up nuisance on 400 Grand.

Mayor Speckner stated that having a dog park in town was mentioned to him so he asked Council to think about it and it will be discussed after the new year.

The CVHS contract was moved to the next meeting as still awaiting approval.

Reserved parking was brought up and discussed. It is just not an option at this time.

Reeves motioned to adjourn. Vogt second. All ayes.