

6-07-2021 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 Blattler, Reeves, and Vogt. Chapman and Thorkildson were absent. Reeves motioned to approve the consent agenda. Blattler second. All ayes.

Mayor Speckner opened a public hearing on FY2021 Budget Amendment #2. Vogt motioned to approved Resolution #06-07-2021C, Budget Amendment #2. Second by Blattler. All ayes.

Blattler motioned to close the Public Hearing, second by Reeves. All ayes.

Deb Vogt requested approval of the Mark Harrison 5K route. Vogt motioned to approve, second by Reeves. All ayes.

Superintendent Robertson suggested rejecting all bids for the Jones Street culvert. He mentioned they are working on the cemetery fence. A radio read is missing from a home, replacement is the responsibility of the homeowner. Blattler motioned to reject all bids for the Jones Street culvert, second by Vogt. All ayes.

Deputy Rider gave the police report. Library reports were reviewed. Complaint form was read and discussed. Response to be given as property needs to be cleaned up. Reeves motioned to approve May claims, second by Blattler. All ayes.

May claims are as follows: AAA Pest Control \$ 31.00; Alliant \$ \$ 4,513.51; Allied Systems, pump replacement \$ 12,395.00; Altorfer, Timber Ridge pump service \$ 430.27; Amanda Rhinehart, Rec dept concessions \$ 140.36; Appraver \$ 50.66; Arnold Motor \$ 52.28; Atkins Lumber \$ 132.44; Benton County Auditor \$ 6,500.00; Benton County Solid Waste \$ 8,517.50; C&S \$ 250.00; City Laundry \$ 170.40; Compressed Air \$ 61.94; Croell, soil \$ 351.96; ECICOG, building inspections \$ 1,739.00; IRS \$ 4,858.39; G&H \$75.00; GIS Benefits \$ 77.40; Gordon Flesch \$ 92.68; Hupp Electric, reset pump hours \$ 300.00; IMWCA, 21-22 workman's comp \$ 4,938.00; Iowa One Call \$ 31.50; IPERS \$ 2,870.02; IPI, sign post \$ 1,386.25; J&R Sanitation \$ 4,550.00; John Deere Financial \$ 246.30; Keystone Labs \$ 304.00; Konica Minolta \$ 70.43; Kromminga Motors \$ 155.31; Larry Beatty, sludge \$200.00; Lynch Dallas \$ 594.50; Menards, fountain paint and parts for parks \$ 71.83; North Central Labs \$ 245.04; Office Express \$ 135.84; Origin Design, Data collection and design development \$ 5,985.00; Palo Savings Bank, April/May credit card \$ 3,275.55; Polydyne \$ 763.83; REC \$ 264.25; Roy's \$ 48.95; Schminke Excavating, rock for Rec Dept. \$ 335.46; Shellsburg Elevator \$ 165.54; Shellsburg Quick Stop \$ 300.28; Simple Sky, library computer upgrades \$ 348.00; Speckner Ins, Dramshop Insurance \$ 618.12; Spray-Land \$ 295.09; State Hygienic Lab \$ 13.50; Treasurer State of Iowa \$ 666.00; Steve's Stump Grinding \$ 65.00; The Gazette \$ 248.40; Top Tier, tree removal \$ 50,580.00; USA Communications \$ 283.06; USPS \$ 123.12; Vinton Newspaper \$ 353.28; Wellmark \$ 3,442.86; Emma Baldwin \$ 299.25; Carrie Campbell \$ 152.00; Tim Estling \$ 1888.00; Julie Kimm \$ 1822.51; Scott McNeal \$ 4572.16; Rick Robertson \$ 5099.10; Barb Tracey \$ 4711.77.

Blattler gave an update on Big Day progress. 5K route starts at the Fire Station lot on the west end of town. Blattler motioned to approve the 1st reading of Ordinance #465 pertaining to sewer rates. Vogt second. All ayes.

Reeves motioned to waive the 2nd and 3rd reading of Ordinance #465. All ayes.

Reeves motioned to adopt Ordinance #465. Vogt second. All ayes.

Reeves motioned to approve the 1st reading of Ordinance #464, pertaining to water rates. Vogt second. All ayes. Reeves motioned to waive the 2nd and 3rd readings of Ordinance #464. All ayes. Reeves motioned to adopt Ordinance #464. Vogt second. All ayes. Reeves motioned to approve the 1st reading of Ordinance #466, pertaining to collection fees for solid waste, recycling, and yard waste. Blattler second. All ayes. The second reading will be at the next meeting, 6-22-2021.

The library will introduce their new member at the next meeting. Blattler motioned to approve Resolution #06-07-2021, Establishing a change fund for cash payments. Reeves second. All ayes. Blattler motioned to approve Resolution #06-07-2021D, establishing employee wage and benefits with exception of library employees. Reeves second. All ayes.

Sells Street bridge rendering discussed. Too expensive, will check on other options. Sells Street archeological investigation to be brought to the next meeting. The speed bump is to be removed until school begins in the fall. Reeves motioned to approve Resolution #06-07-2021B, authorizing year end transfers between funds. Blattler second. All ayes.

Reeves motioned to approve Resolution #06-07-2021A, contract with Johnson County Refuse. Blattler second. All ayes.

Vogt motioned to adjourn, second by Reeve's. All ayes.