City of Van Meter, Iowa City Council Minutes – 4-11-2022

> The Van Meter City Council met for a regular council meeting on Monday, April 11th, 2022, at the Veterans Reception Center, 910 Main Street. Mayor Adams called the meeting to order at 7:00PM. The following council members were present upon roll call: Travis Brott, Lyn Lyon, Blake Grolmus, Craig Greer, and Joe Herman.

Staff present: City Attorney John Fatino, City Administrator Sarah Ames, Police Chief Bill Daggett, City Clerk Liz Thompson, Deputy City Clerk Grace Grob, Library Director Nancy Studebaker.

- 2) Mayor Adams led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 3) Introductions were made.
- 4) Mayor Adams read a Civility Statement setting expectations of respect for the meeting.
- 5) Mayor Adams asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Grolmus moved, supported by Greer, to approve the agenda. On roll call the votes were as follows: Brott YES; Lyon YES; Grolmus YES; Greer YES; Herman YES
- 6) No citizens addressed the council during the Citizen Hearing.
- 7) Mayor Adams reviewed the consent agenda. Mayor Adams asked for a motion to adopt the consent agenda which included the following:
 - a. Fireworks Display Agreement and Insurance Certification for RRD
 - b. March 29, 2022 Board of Adjustment Meeting Minutes
 - c. Brookview Sanitary Sewer Easement Checks
 - d. Tax Abatement Application for 29470 Hickory Lodge
 - e. A Resolution to Participate in the Planning and Development Programs of the Southern Iowa Council of Governments
 - f. Minutes of the March 14, 2022 and March 28, 2022 City Council Meetings
 - g. Resolution to Approve Address change Hickory Lodge Lot 13 Plat 4
 - h. February Financial Documents
 - i. March Claims Lists

Brott moved, supported by Grolmus, to approve the Consent Agenda pending an edit be made for the March 28th Council Workshop Meeting Minutes, and the vote be removed from the Snow Removal Policy agenda item as the item was tabled. On roll call the votes were as follows:Brott – YES; Lyon – YES; Grolmus – YeS; Greer – YES; Herman - YES

- 8) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Purchase of Grand Ridge Estates Lot 82 for the Department of Public Safety. Moved by Lyon; supported by Greer to approve the purchase of Grand Ridge Estates Lot 82 for the Department of Public Safety. On roll call the votes were as follows: Brott – YES; Lyon – YES; Grolmus – YES; Greer – YES; Herman – YES
- 9) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Bid for Cured-In-Place-Pipe Liner. Herman moved to table the item until the City Attorney can review requirements for bid letting. Supported by Grolmus. On roll call the votes were as follows: Brott YES; Lyon YES; Grolmus YES; Greer YES; Herman YES
- 10) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Final Plans and Timeline from WHKS for Construction of the East Street Underpass. Moved by Grolmus; Supported by Lyon that the City Council approve final plans and timeline for WHKS for the construction of the East Street Underpass. On roll call the votes were as follows: Brott – YES; Lyon – YES; Grolmus – YES; Greer – YES; Herman - NO
- 11) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Change in Proximity Requirements for the City Administrator. Moved by Greer; supported by Grolmus to approve the change in proximity to 20 miles from Van Meter city limits for the City Administrator.
- 12) Reports
- 13) Herman moved, supported by Brott, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Mayor Adams adjourned the meeting at 8:16 PM