

**CITY OF GALESBURG COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

**October 7, 2019 7:00 P.M.**

**1. CALL TO ORDER:** West called the meeting to order 7:00P.M.

**2. PLEDGE:** Led by Council.

**3. ROLL CALL:** Present: Linda Marble, Rich Pawlawski, Carol Wortinger, Doug Smith, Beckie Harmon, Lori West.

**4. AGENDA:**

Motion by Marble to approve Agenda, 10/07/2019 order change under New Business a.d.b.c.e.f, balance as presented, supported by Pawlawski. Voice vote all yes. 6/0

**5. CITIZEN COMMENTS:**

John Roelof: wants to go door to door with information on City Manager, and get 30 days to do that.

Linda Carlton: Style show Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> 1PM cost \$10.00. October 25, 2019 Trick or Treat 5-7PM Downtown Businesses. Great Lakes Center for Autism Trunk or Treat 10/19/2019 1PM-3PM. Within the next month speaker system in Guthrie Room installed.

Crystal LoBretto: Speak up it is hard to hear you in back of room.

John Roelof: went to 15 houses 4 not home; 11 had no knowledge of City Manager.

Dave Henson: 17 Hastings (Blight) and people living in trailer.

**6. CONSENT AGENDA:**

Motion by Pawlawski to approve consent agenda, support by Wortinger. Voice vote all yes. 6/0

**6a. MAYOR UPDATE:**

**Letter dated 10/07/2019 (attached)**

**7. OLD BUSINESS:**

A. Motion by Marble to hire Patrick Couch as interim assessor at NTE \$1000.00 per month thru December 31, 2019. Including job duties per old contract, excluding DDA District, support by Harmon. YES: Wortinger, Marble, Pawlawski, Smith, Harmon, West. NO:0

B. No new information on Jon Adams Parking lot on Mill St.

C. Information: Mike Carpenter & Rob McCain moving forward on next steps for Midway Café structure.

D. Stone Cottage, all issues have been resolved. We need to set a date for Closing with Revite Group.

E. Nothing new with fee schedule.

F. Motion by Marble to table replacing council person. Send letter asking applicants to attend the next council meeting on 11/11/2019, support by Harmon. Voice vote all yes.

**8. NEW BUSINESS:**

A. Motion by Pawlawski to join MISS DIG at NTE \$1500.00, and appoint GLSWA our agent to MISS DIG, support by Harmon. YES: Pawlawski, Smith, Harmon, Wortinger, Marble, West. NO:0

B. Moved from d. on agenda. RRC-MEDC information: moving forward on addressing next step, economic survey. Then Master Plan update in 1<sup>st</sup> Qtr. of 2020.

C. Originally b. on agenda. Discussion on City Manager. Motion by Harmon to hire City Manager 20-25 hrs, at NTE \$25,000.00 per year. Motion failed due to lack of support.

D. Originally c. on agenda. Motion by Smith to wait for Survey/ City Manager until next meeting 11/11/2019, support by Wortinger. Voice vote all yes. 5/0 West: Nay

E. Motion by Marble to approve Resolution 10072019-1 Election Workers, support by Pawlawski. YES: Harmon, Pawlawski, Marble, Wortinger, Smith, West. NO:0

**REPORTS:**

Motion by Wortinger to pay the 08/31/2019 bills in the amount of \$5085.87, support by Pawlawski. YES: Marble, Pawlawski, Wortinger, Smith, Harmon, West. NO: 0 Absent: 0.

Motion by Pawlawski to approve police report for August 2019, as presented, support by Smith. Voice vote all yes.

Motion by Harmon to replace code car tires for \$596.00, support by Marble. YES: Harmon, Pawlawski, Marble, Wortinger, Smith, West. NO:0

Motion by Pawlawski to approve Ordinance report for August 2019 as presented, support by Wortinger. Voice vote all yes.

DPW: 1. Motion by Marble, to approve \$446.22 stand by generator annual, support by Harmon. YES: Wortinger, Marble, Pawlawski, Smith, Harmon, West.

NO: 0 2. Motion by Wortinger to approve Nelson Tank for \$2600.00 water tower inspection, support by Marble. YES: Pawlawski, Smith, Harmon, Wortinger,

Marble, West. 3. Motion by Pawlawski to approve purchase of Midwest Salt for \$5989.00, support by Marble. YES: Marble, Smith, Pawlawski, Wortinger,

Harmon, West. NO:0 4. Motion by Wortinger to approve Road Sand NTE \$600.00, support by Pawlawski. YES: Marble, Smith, Harmon, Pawlawski, Wortinger, West.

NO:0 5. Motion by Smith to approve Clean Earth repairs for \$9069.00, Support by Wortinger. YES: Harmon, Pawlawski, Marble, Wortinger, Smith, West. NO:0 6.

Motion by Pawlawski to approve \$8090.00 for street repairs by Lakeland Asphalt, support by Wortinger. YES: Wortinger, Marble, Pawlawski, Smith,

Harmon, West. 7. Motion by Pawlawski to approve Northern Pump & Well for \$500.00 annual well inspection, support by Smith. YES: Smith, Pawlawski,

Marble, Harmon, Wortinger, West. NO:0

**CITIZEN COMMENTS:**

None

**COUNCIL COMMENT:**

None

**ADJOURN:**

Motion by Pawlawski to adjourn, support by Smith. Voice vote all yes.

Respectfully submitted  
Karen Bresson, Clerk