

REGULAR MEETING OF THE PLAINS TOWN COUNCIL: May 6, 2024

Present were council members: John Roesler, Connie Foust, Lana Dicken, JD Crabb, John Sheridan and Chad Cantrell.

Also, in attendance: Mayor – Joel Banham, Cathy Emmett Clerk/Treasurer and Jonalie Comeau Deputy Clerk,

Guest List: Tracy Scott, Brandon Wilson, Kelly Dossett, Ron Robinson

Joel Banham called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS: None

MINUTES:

The minutes of the Regular Council Meeting on April 1, 2024, and April 19. Chad Cantrell made a motion that these minutes be accepted with the correction to the April 19th minutes and that they not be read aloud. Lana Dicken seconded the motion, and all voted in favor.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

The financial reports were reviewed. Lana Dicken made a motion to approve the financial reports. Connie Foust seconded, and all voted in favor.

CLAIMS AND PAYROLL:

Claims and Payroll were reviewed. Lana Dicken made a motion that Claims and Payroll be approved. JD Crabb seconded, and all voted aye. Claim Checks #3220 – 3260 totaling \$42,112.45 Electronic Checks # 89175- 89191 totaling \$40,468.65 and Payroll Checks # 24986- 24996 totaling \$11,432.22.

JUDGE'S REPORT:

MAYOR'S REPORT: John Sheridan and possibly JD Crabb will be attending the Municipal Summit on June 12th, 2024. The new Ambulance should be ready in about a month.

OFFICER REPORTS AS REQUESTED:

Fire Department:
Police Department:
Public Works Department:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Parking: The Mayor needs input from the Council members to move forward

Review of Chapter 4 Ordinance on billing –Chad Cantrell made a motion to table until we hear from the Town Attorney. Connie Foust seconded and all voted aye.

NEW BUSINESS:

Kim McMann – Statewide Tourism Enhancement SB 540 Presentation.

Kim had a handout (attached) with information of a pilot program for tourism, under-visited communities are eligible to apply.

COMMITTEES:

ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE: May 9, May 23, 2024

PUBLIC WORKS: None

PARKS AND RECREATION: We need at least two ADA sidewalks to gazebos, add more trees and would like more money in the budget for maintenance. The horse sculptures on the greenway need to go, they are a hazard and would like to replace them with metal silhouettes possibility get the High School metals class involved.

PLANNING BOARD: None

POLICE COMMISSION: None

SAFETY COMMITTEE: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: Emily Baker handed out information on free pollinator plant seeds and discussed where to plant them.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk/Treasurer