

APPROVED

October 16, 2024

CITY GRACE, IDAHO
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
HELD AT CITY HALL
OCTOBER 16, 2024

PRESENT: Mayor: Jackie Barthlome
Council Members: Curtis Toone, Kathy Tillotson
Superintendent: Riley Crookston
Clerk: Shelley Reeves

OTHERS PRESENT: Zoning Chairperson Sherry McCurdy, Mike Clements, Cindy Clements, Eric Hobson, Fire Chief Curtis Peck

There were not enough council members at the meeting to form a quorum.

Mayor Barthlome called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

Councilmember Tillotson gave the invocation.

Clerk Reeves led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Barthlome turned the time to Mike Clements and Eric Hobson to explain the county hazard mitigation plan. Mr. Clements explained that the county is in the process of updating the hazard mitigation plan. The county involves the city in the process of updating the plan then the cities under the umbrella of the plan. Mr. Clements explained that if the city is working under the county's hazard mitigation plan, they are then eligible to apply for grants that are tied to hazard mitigation. Mr. Clements explained some examples like repairing the city sewer lines or the springs. He explained that the county needs the citizens of the county to fill out a survey to help see what the citizens feel is important in preventing hazards.

Fire Chief Curtis Peck reported that the fire department got their re-evaluation done with the Department of Insurance. The last evaluation was done ten years ago, and the fire department received a 6 on a scale of 1 to 10 with 1 being the best. This year the fire department received a 5. This will help to lower the citizens of the city's fire insurance payments starting in January. Fire Chief Peck thanked the city council for their support in helping the fire department get the equipment and training needed to help improve the rating.

Superintendent Crookston reported that that the tanks have been cleaned and they don't need to be done more often than every five years. The ladders in the tanks need to be replaced. He's working on getting a bid from the same company that cleaned the tanks to replace the ladders. The park bathrooms are closed for the winter and the sprinkler systems are blown out.

Mayor Barthlome thanked the employees for their hard work. She reminded the city council of the senior citizens dinner tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. at the Legion Hall.

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

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Shelley Reeves
CLERK

Jackie Bathlome
MAYOR

November 6, 2024
DATE