

November 20, 2024

APPROVED

CITY GRACE, IDAHO
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
HELD AT CITY HALL
NOVEMBER 20, 2024

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

OTHERS PRESENT: Zoning Chairperson Ralph Spackman, Karen Kladis, Ron Marley, Eldon Peck, Gloria Peck, Matt Loertscher, Lee Wilkerson

Mayor Barthlome called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Councilmember Toone gave the invocation.

Clerk Reeves led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the regular meeting held on November 6, 2024 were discussed. Motion to accept the minutes as written for 11/6/24 was made by Councilmember Toone. Councilmember Tillotson seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Bills in the amount of \$184,632.81 and payroll in the amount of \$13,508.81 were reviewed for payment approval. Councilmember Tillotson moved that the bills be approved as reviewed. Councilmember Bingham seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Superintendent Crookston presented the following permit that was approved:
#2024-26 Coal Creek Construction – renew permit for cell phone tower

Mayor Barthlome presented the name of Kimi Lowe to finish the term of Larry Allen on the city council. Councilmember Tillotson moved to approve Kimi Lowe to serve on the city council and finish Larry Allen’s term. Councilmember Bingham seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Barthlome presented the names of Karen Kladis and Lee Wilkerson to replace outgoing members of the zoning commission. Councilmember Bingham moved to approve Karen Kladis and Lee Wilkerson to serve on the zoning commission. Councilmember Tillotson seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Clerk Reeves administered the oath of office to Kimi Lowe, Karen Kladis, and Lee Wilkerson.

Councilmember Tillotson moved to elect Councilmember Bingham as council president. Councilmember Lowe seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Councilmember Lowe agreed to take Councilmember Allen’s place in the mail opening with the clerk rotation.

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Superintendent Crookston reported that Matt had passed his wastewater treatment 1 test and that Shane tests on Friday for his wastewater collections 1. GSE tore down the holding tank but ran into a small problem with a false floor and sand that had collected and packed underneath. After consulting with the engineers, it was decided to leave it as is. The employees started to put up the Christmas lights and will get the rest as soon as they have time.

Mayor Barthlome reminded the council of the Christmas party on Monday, November 25th at 6:00 at the 3C Grill. She also reminded everyone that Santa Claus would be visiting the fire station on November 30th.

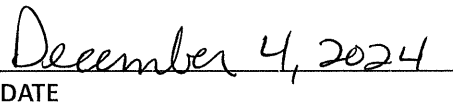
Gloria Peck reported that the Chamber of Commerce had met and elected a new presidency. Daphne Medina will be President, Lara Peck Vice President, and Scott Buxton Secretary.

There was a discussion about hiring a new employee. The city has had an opening for a maintenance employee for quite some time with only one application turned in. The city needs to come up with more ideas to get the word out that there is an opening. No decision was made.

Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.


CLERK


MAYOR


DATE