

APPROVED

October 18, 2023

CITY GRACE, IDAHO
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
HELD AT CITY HALL
OCTOBER 18, 2023

PRESENT: Mayor: Jackie Barthlome
Council Members: Larry Allen, Mike Ridenour, Kathy Tillotson
Lead Man: Jake Wright
Clerk: Shelley Reeves

OTHERS PRESENT: Fire Chief Curtis Peck, Bentley Peck, Deputy Russ Roper

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

Mayor Barthlome excused Councilmember Fluckiger

Councilmember Tillotson gave the invocation.

Clerk Reeves led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the regular meeting held on October 4, 2023 were discussed. Motion to accept the minutes as written for 10/4/2023 was made by Councilmember Tillotson. Councilmember Allen seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Bills in the amount of \$140,462.44 and payroll in the amount of \$11,128.01 were reviewed for payment approval. Councilmember Ridenour moved that the bills be approved as reviewed. Councilmember Allen seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Fire Chief Peck reported that the self-contained breathing apparatus are in service and about half of the firemen have been trained and fitted for them. He stated that they are very nice. He reported that they took all the hoses and tools off the Bear truck and put them on truck #301. The fire department will be cooking hamburgers at the football game on Friday. Caribou Memorial donated all the meat and buns and the money earned will go toward the music department. They will also have some fire trucks parked at the game. Santa will be at the fire station on the Saturday after Thanksgiving.

Lead Man Wright presented the following permit that was approved:
#2023-22 Caribou County Fair & Rodeo – crow's nest

City alcohol licenses were presented for 2024 as follows:

- Grace Market for beer and wine - \$37.50
- Fast Stop for beer and wine- \$37.50
- Grace Lounge for beer and liquor- \$262.50

Councilmember Tillotson moved to approve the licenses for Grace Market, and Fast Stop. Councilmember Allen seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. The license for the Grace Lounge will be presented again at the next meeting since there was not a full quorum to vote since Councilmember Ridenour must abstain from voting on that license.

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Clerk Reeves read the resolution setting fines for parking in the alley. Councilmember Ridenour moved to approve the resolution. Councilmember Tillotson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Councilmember Tillotson – yea, Councilmember Ridenour – yea, Councilmember Allen – yea. Roll call vote was unanimous. The resolution will be numbered 2023-6.

Mayor Barthlome called for a motion to suspend the rule requiring that an ordinance be read on three separate occasions. Councilmember Tillotson moved that the council suspend the rule requiring that an ordinance be read on three separate occasions. Councilmember Ridenour seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.


Clerk Reeves read the ordinance designating the Idaho State Journal as the city’s official newspaper since the Caribou County Sun is going out of business. Councilmember Allen moved to approve the ordinance. Councilmember Tillotson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Councilmember Tillotson – yea, Councilmember Ridenour – yea, Councilmember Allen – yea. Roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance will be numbered 2023-6.

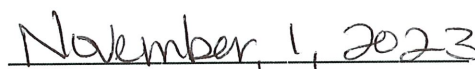
Lead Man Wright reported that the school would be bring a class to do a tour of the wastewater treatment plant tomorrow. Jared Richins from Keller and Associates will be there as well to talk to the students about engineering. The employees are planning on going through the Christmas lights to make sure they are ready to be up right before Thanksgiving. They will start sweeping the streets to try to get the leaves cleaned up. They have been servicing the equipment to make sure it’s ready for winter. They park sprinklers have been blown out and the bathrooms winterized.

Mayor Barthlome congratulated Clerk Reeves on an award she received from the Association of Idaho Cities for 10 years of service as a city clerk.

Meeting adjourned at 6: 34 p.m.


CLERK


MAYOR


DATE