

CITY OF LEON
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
June 10, 2024
6:00 PM

Mayor Bob Frey called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM. Council members present were Lisa Moffett, Jerry Parsons, and Trevor Brown. Jonathan Erb and Tonya Lindsey were absent.

Motion by T Brown seconded by L Moffett to approve the agenda. All ayes, motion carried.

Administrator Sheetz stated that the agenda need to be amended to include a pay request for the contractor who is doing the sewer lining project so that the contractor doesn't have to wait until July to get paid.

Motion by T Brown seconded by L Moffett to approve the amended agenda. All ayes, motion carried, adding one item.

Tonya Lindsey was present at 6:02 pm.

Motion by T Brown seconded by J Parson to approve the consent agenda. All ayes, motion carried.

Randy Pierson was present to discuss stormwater that washes gravel onto his mother's property at 104 SW Sand St. He mentioned that water washes down the elevated alley across the street from the house. It then crosses the street, and deposits gravel in front of the door of the house.

Administrator Sheetz informed the council that he and Streets Director Connor Christensen have looked over the area. They have a plan to replace the tube at the west end of the alley with a different style of tube that allows water to enter the tube from the top. It is the hope of all parties involved that this will reduce the amount of water flowing across SW Sand St enough so that the gravel will no longer be carried to the front door of 104 SW Sand St.

At the request of the mayor the council considered the performance of Police Chief Brad Gardner.

Motion by L Moffett seconded by T Brown to table the discussion due to lack of time to review all of the issues surrounding the performance of the Chief Gardner. L Moffett and T Brown, aye; J Parsons and T Lindsey, nay. Motion failed due to lack of majority.

The council asked questions about policing issues in the city and asked Chief Gardner how they are being addressed. Chief Gardner addressed issues about juveniles misbehaving recently, issues with call volume, and issues with Chief Gardner's

administrative work load.

Motion by J Parsons seconded by T Lindsey to approve the School Resource Officer 28E Agreement with Central Decatur Community School District. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by T Lindsey seconded by T Brown to approve RESOLUTION 2024-17: A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE TRANSFER OF \$465,000.00 FROM THE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CASH FUND TO THE ROAD USE TAX FUND TO REPAY THE ROAD USE TAX FUND FOR THE EXPENSE OF STREET MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by J Parsons seconded by L Moffett to approve RESOLUTION 2024-18: A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE TRANSFER OF \$43,794.00 FROM THE WATER FUND TO THE WATER SINKING FUND AND PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT THEREOF. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by T Lindsey seconded by J Parsons to approve RESOLUTION 2024-19: A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE TRANSFER OF \$71,960.00 FROM THE SEWER FUND TO THE SEWER SINKING FUND AND PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT THEREOF. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by T Brown seconded by L Moffett to approve RESOLUTION 2024-20: A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE TRANSFER OF \$9,937.00 FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE DEBT SERVICE FUND AND PROVIDING FOR THE REPAYMENT THEREOF. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by J Parsons seconded by T Brown to approve RESOLUTION 2024-21: A RESOLUTION REQUESTING A WAGE INCREASE FOR FULL TIME PERMANENT CITY EMPLOYEES. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by T Brown seconded by J Parsons to approve the Sewer Lining Contract Pay Application from Municipal Pipe Tool, LLC in the Amount of \$2,667.88. All ayes, motion carried.

Motion by T Lindsey seconded by T Brown to adjourn at 7:34 pm. All ayes, motion carried.

<These minutes are subject to approval at the next regularly scheduled council meeting.>

Bob Frey, Mayor

Kyle Sheetz, City Admin/Clerk