

CITY OF CAWKER CITY
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
August 9, 2023 – 7:30 p.m.
MUNICIPAL BUILDING-CAWKER CITY

Work Session-Sign off on bills:

Mayor Drew Duskie present and presiding called the regular council meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Barb Wise, Doug Bader , Carl Suter

CITY EMPLOYEES PRESENT: Denelle Mick, Charles Gullion, City Attorney – Chantz Martin

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

CONSENT AGENDA: D. Bader made a motion to approve the July 12 regular council meeting and July 18 special council minutes. B. Wise seconded. Motion carried 3 AYES C. Suter made a motion to approve claims ordinance 1548A. D. Bader seconded Motion carried 3 AYES

Mayor Duskie presented a letter of resignation from Council member Lisha Wiese to be effective July 31, 2023. D. Bader made a motion to accept the resignation of council member Lisha Wiese. C. Suter seconded Motion carried 3 AYES Mayor Duskie then appointed Jamie Cunningham to fill the open seat. B. Wise made a motion to accept the nomination of Jamie Cunningham for city council. C. Suter seconded Motion carried 3 AYES

PUBLIC COMMENT & PUBLIC VISITORS: Jamie Cunningham, Mr. Benfer – Van Diest Supply Company

Mr. Benfer gave a presentation on a new mosquito sprayer and the benefits that it could provide the City. The new one would be more efficient and the chemicals would be less expensive. The current sprayer was purchased in 1999. Council asked questions in regards to the new sprayer. The proposed sprayer would be a Grizzly ULV sprayer at a cost of \$19,250.00 from VanDiest Supply Company and could be delivered the next day. C. Gullion stated that would be great so it could be used prior to the Cawker Picnic. D. Bader made a motion to purchase the new sprayer at a cost of \$19,250.00. C. Suter seconded Motion carried 4 AYES

CITY ATTORNEY REPORT: Attorney Martin stated that the Agco property was getting closer to being finished. He also discussed the new electric utility proposal and the consensus of the council was to allow C. Gullion to make the decision on the charges on each application with a standard charge for certain items.

CITY EMPLOYEES REPORT:

C. Gullion: Chuck explained that C. Lowe would be attending a lineman class on Sept 27,28 & 29 in McPherson and asked permission to pay for lodging. B. Wise made a motion to pay for lodging for C. Lowe while attending the class. D. Bader seconded Motion carried 4 AYES

D. Mick: Reminded council that the Budget hearing for 2024 would be held at 7:00 p.m. on September 13. She also stated that the new camera had been installed at the mural.

J. Reed: report in packet

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. Water tower project update- construction has started
2. Update on storm drain project – project bid date Dec. 1, 2023

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3. A bid had not been received yet from VersaSport on golf course repairs.

COUNCIL REQUEST: The council requested that Clerk Mick check into getting another camera installed on the west edge of the City park.

8:15p m. – D. Bader made a motion to adjourn. C. Suter seconded Motion carried 4 AYES

Approved:  9/13/23

City Clerk: