

March 11, 2024

The Larchwood City Council met for a Regular Meeting on Monday, March 11, 2024 in the Larchwood Community Center. Council members in attendance were: Mayor Snyders, Ned Hodgson, Candie Medema, Mike Metzger, Shane Reinke and Tanner Tracy. Others in attendance were: Sandi DeSmet, Tony DeSmet, Matt Bouwman and Steve Simons.

Mayor Snyders called the meeting to order at 5:35 pm followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Consent Agenda was approved on motion by Metzger, second by Reinke. Items on the Consent Agenda were: Minutes-February 12, 2024; Rebates: 819 Blaine Street-refrigerator/dishwasher; 803 Holder-LED lighting; 830 Hyland Drive-water heater.

Tony DeSmet gave the Maintenance Report: gear box repaired on the broom, installed concrete blocks by transformer behind the Post Office, keeps getting hit by the mail truck. New pickup is in. Picked up branches in the park. Hauled out damaged concrete on Broadway Street. Meeting with Alliance about new meter reader setup. Did planning with CFE for water and sewer for new office on the East side of the road. Picked up leaves in the park, filled some holes and did some tree trimming. Shane asked if anything has been done about Rulland Street by The Shop where water sits after rains, Tony said that he has contacted the State and has not heard back from them.

Resolution 2024-11 Library Mini-Grant Application for furniture was approved on motion by Hodgson, second by Reinke. All ayes.

Information was provided for the Proposed Property Tax Levy Public Hearing – no change in taxes.

Ned reported from the Lyon County Riverboat Foundation Meeting that they have agreed to provide \$60,000 per year for the next 3 years to the daycare centers in Lyon County as long as the cities keep funding them also.

Ned also said that he has been asked by residents to look into a sidewalk replacement program and junk and junk vehicles.

The meeting was then adjourned at 5:57 pm on motion by Metzger, second by Tracy.

Next Public Hearing will be April 1, 2024-Property Tax Levy Hearing at 5:30 pm. Next Regular Meeting will be April 8, 2024 at 5:30 pm.

Sandi DeSmet, City Clerk