

CITY OF SPRINGVILLE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 21, 2022

WORKSHOP:

The City Council of the City of Springville met in a workshop session on Tuesday, November 21, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. at Springville City Hall. Mayor Pro Tempore Katrina Hennings presided and City Clerk Lynn Porter served as recording secretary.

Those members answering present to roll call were as follow:

District 1	Councilmember Herbert Toles
District 2	Councilmember David Vinson (arrived later)
District 4	Councilmember Katrina Hennings
District 5	Councilmember Tim Walker
District 6	Councilmember Marshall Parker
District 7	Councilmember Sherry Reaves

Absent:	District 3	Councilmember Wayne Tucker
	Mayor	Dave Thomas

Others present in official capacity: Attorney James Hill

Mayor Pro Tem Hennings recognized Deputy City Clerk Kim Stone to report on the sesquicentennial celebration plans. She stated this will take place on Thursday, December 8 from 4:00 to 8:00 in the downtown area with shopping, historical ornaments, Santa at the Woodall Building, the High School Choir at 5:45, a short presentation at 6:30 with past and present city officials. There will also be a fireworks display after the Christmas parade on Saturday. The committee is meeting weekly. The City Council provided them \$30,000 for this event, however, the fireworks cost took most of this. They requested an additional \$10,000 in funding in case there are cost overruns.

Councilmember Walker asked had the radio station been notified.

Councilmember Vinson arrived at 5:42.

Chief Wayne Walton stated our new handbook says you do not get longevity until you have been here five years. He stated no one in his department except one school crossing guard is eligible. Previously anyone who had been here six months was eligible. Deputy City Clerk Kim Stone stated only seventeen employees have been here five years or longer.

The Council delayed any action on this until Mayor Thomas could be here.

Councilmember Parker commented on littering in the area. He stated you can pick it up, but the next time there is more.

Councilmember Toles asked that the MOU for parking between the City and Mt. Zion Church be carried over until Rick Hopkins can be here.

Chief Walton updated the Council on Officer Steve Wilson who was involved in a head-on collision last week. He has stiches in his head and knee but returned to work today.

Councilmember Wayne Tucker is doing better and will watch us tonight but will not be participating.

The workshop was concluded.

MEETING

The City Council of the City of Springville met in a regular session on Monday, November 21, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. at Springville City Hall. Mayor Pro Tempore Katrina Hennings presided and City Clerk Lynn Porter served as recording secretary.

Those members answering present to roll call were as follow:

District 1	Councilmember Herbert Toles
District 2	Councilmember David Vinson
District 4	Councilmember Katrina Hennings
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Others present in official capacity: Attorney James Hill

Mayor Pro Tempore Hennings called the meeting to order. Reverend Mike Ennis was called upon to give the invocation, followed by the pledge to the flag.

The minutes of the November 7, 2022 meeting were presented for approval. Councilmember Toles moved they be approved, seconded by Councilmember Vinson, and the motion carried.

The agenda was presented for approval. The request by the sesquicentennial committee for additional funding was added to the agenda. Councilmember Reaves moved the agenda be approved, seconded by Councilmember Walker, and the vote was unanimous.

Councilmember Walker moved an additional \$10,000 be given to the Sesquicentennial Committee, seconded by Councilmember Toles, and the vote was unanimous.

Councilmember Vinson moved the bids for lighting the two multipurpose fields be rejected, seconded by Councilmember Parker. Councilmember Vinson stated the prices are too high. We are working on ways to reduce this price. The vote was unanimous.

Councilmember Toles moved for unanimous consent to suspend the rules of procedure to allow for the immediate consideration of an ordinance consenting to participation in the Severe Weather Preparedness Sales Tax Holiday, seconded by Councilmember Reaves, and upon a roll call vote, the results were as follows:

Yeas: Councilmembers Toles, Vinson, Hennings, Walker, Parker, and Reaves

Nays: None

Councilmember Toles moved Ordinance 2022-07 be adopted approving participation, seconded by Councilmember Vinson, and upon a roll call vote, the results were as follows:

Yeas: Councilmembers Toles, Vinson, Hennings, Walker, Parker, and Reaves

Nays: None

An amended MOU between the city and the County Board of Education for SROs was presented. Councilmember Walker asked if it renews every year and was told yes. Councilmember Reaves moved the amendment be approved, seconded by Councilmember Toles and the vote was unanimous.

An amended agreement for the sale of raw water to Springville Beverage Company was presented. Attorney Hill explained originally the city was going to let the bid to do the work. Now this will be let by Springville Beverage to be done with city oversight.

Mr. Brian DeMarco stated the annual minimum sales of raw water remain the same. This agreement moves the commencement date back due to delivery delays.

Councilmember Walker asked Mr. DeMarco when he anticipated being up and running and was told six to eight months.

Mr. DeMarco stated they will work inside the building to have it ready when the equipment arrives. Originally, they discussed a restaurant or market. Now they are concentrating on getting the water operation up and going and will look at other options later. Councilmember Parker moved this amendment be approved, seconded by Councilmember Walker, and the vote was unanimous.

Councilmember Toles moved Resolution 2020-40 awarding the bid on water line valves and fittings and accessories for the water line relocation at the four-way be approved. This was seconded by Councilmember Vinson, and the vote was unanimous.

Public Works Director Earl Peoples advised the Council that he must replace the console at the spring at a cost of approximately \$11,000. This can be paid with COVID funds. He stated he hopes to have this done in two weeks.

Mayor Pro Tempore Hennings stated she spoke to the Mayor who asked her to remind everyone of the gala to benefit ARC of St. Clair County on December 2. She also asked everyone to spread the work about the 150th celebration.

Councilmember Walker asked that the longevity matter be placed on the next agenda.

Councilmember Toles moved to adjourn, seconded by Councilmember Vinson and the vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted

Lynn Porter
City Clerk