

Paradise Town Council
March 7, 2018
7:00 p.m.

Council Members Present- Mayor Atwood, Vic Little, Spencer Winn, Martell Lowe, Shannon Rasmussen, Alyssa Petersen (recorder)

Community Members Present- Joseph Sheffer, Benji Eames

Minutes- Minutes of February 21, 2018 were emailed to the Council Members previous to the meeting. Mayor Atwood asked that the discussion with the Fosters about the time the lights will be turned off in the paragraph concerning the Zoning Clearance be added to the Minutes. Shannon and Vic also made amendments to a paragraph that had Kyle Smith's name wrong and added clarification to the section under the Law Enforcement Discussion. Vic made a motion to accept the minutes as amended, Shannon seconded that motion, all in favor.

Bills- Vic read the bills. Spencer made a motion to approve the bills as read; Martell seconded that motion, all in favor.

Public Comment- None at this time.

Department Expenditures-

First Responders: The First Responders would like to attend the annual N.U.T.S. (Trauma) Conference to be held at Bridgerland Applied Technology College in Logan. The total cost will be 360.00. That will be for 9 people to attend at 40.00 per person. Spencer made a motion to approve the expenditure; Martell seconded that motion, all in favor.

Parks: The electrical parts for the bathroom and pavilion were quoted at \$3268.21 and \$3800.00 for a total of \$7068.21. The only things not included in the quotes were some outdoor lights. Spencer would like to see a few more bids. He explained that our procurement policy requires three telephone bids for this size of project. Vic made a motion to table it until next meeting; Spencer seconded that motion, all in favor.

Fire Department: Troy submitted a purchase request for two batteries for the SCBA units; they will be \$370.00 per piece for a total of \$740.00. This will enable him to rotate charged batteries through the 13 SCBA packs. Vic made a motion to approve; Martell seconded that motion, all in favor.

Planning and Zoning-

Benji and Megan Eames- New Home- 9060 S. Bridger Blvd. - The Eames turned in their application for a new home. The application was approved at the Planning and Zoning meeting held February 24, 2018. The home meets all the setbacks, and they submitted a water certificate. Spencer made a motion to approve the application for the home; Vic seconded that motion, all in favor.

The Family Place- Child Abuse Prevention Month Prevention- There was not a representative from the Family Place at this meeting. Mayor Atwood went over the proclamation from the Family Place concerning Child Abuse Prevention Month. Mayor Atwood signed the proclamation and will display it for the month of April.

Council Reports

- **Roads- Martell Lowe-** The hole on 9000 S. was filled in with dirt. It is piled up high on top of the hole right now. Martell will watch it and the excess dirt will need to be moved in the future. Martell went to a water class and met a gentleman that could be helpful with road improvements and new roads. He will follow-up with what he learned and bring additional info back to the Council. Vic talked to Wayne Norman and learned about where his property lines are and what issues could arise out of building the road 8600 S. There was a discussion on some history of the right-of-ways down that road.
- **Water- Vic Little-** Vic will get with Lee to clarify more on what his duties as Council member over “water” will be.
- **Community- Shannon Rasmussen-** The Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be on March 31, 2018. Shannon will be starting the Youth Council within the next few months. Vic reported that the Lions Club is still interested in converting one tennis court into two Pickle-Ball courts. They would like to put a little money into the new Park to help cover costs. Mayor Atwood asked Vic (Lions Club Vice President) to have the Lions Club come up with an amount they would like to “donate” to the new park and to let the Council know. Shannon asked about the possibility of having bathrooms open for Soccer games. Mayor Atwood reported that it is hard to open the restrooms that early in the spring because they can freeze.
- **Fire/Grants/Budget-Spencer Winn-** There was a discussion about the leaks in the roof. There are a few in the Fire Department and a few in the Town Hall side. Mayor Atwood has got a roofing contractor ready to come out and patch the roof as soon as there is some warm weather. Chief Fredrickson asked about the possibility of moving the sign up. Vic reported that it would need to be chained up and lifted in order to move the sign. Vic suggested that over the 6 months the Council and Troy discuss the possibilities of building something new where the log is on the top of the “Welcome to Paradise” sign or moving the electronic sign up a little.

Unfinished Business-

Joseph Sheffer Eagle Scout Project- Joseph had proposed the idea of painting the inside of the maintenance shed. He measured the inside and purchased all the paint and primer from Home Depot. He is planning on starting the project on March 9, and then finishing after the primer has dried. He has a few volunteers to help him.

Discussion on 200 W. and 9300 S. – A question was raised a few weeks ago after a Zoning Clearance application brought to the Council’s attention that 200 W. appears to be platted as part of a privately owned lot, not as a public street. Mayor Atwood did some

research on that part of town. He went back through the history of that area and brought in plat maps for the Council members to go over. They discussed what the history of that area is and how long the road has been referred to as a “road/street.”

Shooting at the Gravel Pits

The main thing Shannon could find in the research she did concerning shooting at the gravel pits, she found that legally you cannot shoot 600 f.t. within a building or residence. She also found on the NRA website that if you build a home next to a property designated for shooting or a gun range, the liability falls on the homeowner. Shannon suggested putting a sign that specifies only shooting east. She also suggested a form that people would need to sign that specified you could only shoot to the east and only use shotguns. Shannon will look into what the signs should read. Martell suggested using an Eagle Scout to assist with any projects at the gravel pits.

New Business- No new business at this time.

Adjourn- Spencer made a motion to adjourn, Shannon seconded that motion, all in favor. Meeting adjourns at 9:47 p.m.

Alyssa Petersen, Clerk

Lee Atwood, Mayor