City of Casey



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Mayor

Mike Nichols City Clerk Jeremy Mumford City Treasurer Gail Lorton Collector Kelly Murray **Utility Superintendent**

Shelby Biggs **EMA Director** David Craig

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Director **Bailey Tait**

Chief of Police Adam Henderson

City Attorney

Tracy Willenborg

Aldermen

Steve Jenkins Marcy Mumford Carlene Richardson **Butch Ruffner** Jerome Williams Lori Wilson



REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL TUESDAY JANUARY 3RD, 2023 6:00 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday January 3rd, 2023; beginning at 6:00 p.m. Mayor Mike Nichols was present and called the meeting to order. Steve Jenkins led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

Present: Alderman Jenkins

> Alderman Mumford Alderman Ruffner Alderman Wilson

Absent: Alderman Richardson

Alderman Williams

A quorum was declared.

Public Forum:

None

Community Affairs:

None

Meeting Minutes:

Mayor Nichols looked for approval of the minutes of the December 19th, 2022 City Council Meeting.

Alderman Mumford motioned approval of the minutes of the December 19th, 2022 City Council Meeting, seconded by Alderman Jenkins. Upon roll call the vote was:

4 – Wilson, Jenkins, Mumford and Ruffner Ayes:

Nays: 0 - None

2 – Richardson and Williams Absent:

Motion declared carried.

Officers Reports:

Clerk Mumford looked for approval of December 2022 Bills Paid in the amount of \$687,062.19.

Alderman Jenkins motioned approval of December 2022 Bills paid, seconded by Alderman Ruffner. Upon roll call the vote was:

4 – Wilson, Jenkins, Mumford and Ruffner Ayes:

Nays: 0 - None

2 – Richardson and Williams Absent:

Motion declared carried.

Treasurer Lorton presented the December 2022 Treasurer's Collection Deposit Report for approval in the amount of \$653,764.35.

Alderman Ruffner motioned approval of December 2022 Treasurer's Collection Deposit Report, seconded by Alderman Mumford. Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 4 – Jenkins, Mumford, Ruffner and Wilson

Nays: 0 - None

Absent: 2 – Richardson and Williams

Motion declared carried.

New Business:

Kelsey Swing with Gilbert, Metzger & Madigan, LLP presented and went over the FY 2022 Audit. She reported that they have an unmodified opinion, which means the audit went well this year.

Unfinished Business:

None

Alderman Reports:

Alderman Wilson thanked all departments for working during this recent cold spell.

Mayor Report:

Mayor Nichols went over the following projects he would like to work on and get done this year:

- Downtown Bathrooms
- Drainage projects in SE and NE sections of town
- Ordinance Committee get together to discuss new video gaming parlor
- Part-Time Tourism position
- Possibility of hiring another Police Officer
- Dispensary is still an ongoing project

Chief Henderson reported that the new car is in and the new officer is currently doing his FTO.

There was no further Business of the City Council for the January 3rd, 2023 Council Meeting.

Adjournment:

Alderman Jenkins motioned to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Mumford. Upon roll call the vote was:

Ayes: 4 – Jenkins, Mumford, Ruffner and Wilson

Nays: 0 - None

Absent: 2 – Richardson and Williams

Motion declared carried.

Adjournment of the City Council was at 6:33 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by: Jeremy Mumford, City Clerk