

CITY OF GENESEE

**CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR
MEETING**

May 17, 2011

MINUTES

Location: 140 E. Walnut, Genesee, ID 83832

CALL TO ORDER - The Genesee City Council met in regular session on May 17, 2011. Mayor Steve Odenborg called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL – Present at the meeting were council members Linda James, Ron Zenner, Cathleen Blevins and George Wilson. City employee Karyn Wright was also present.

VISITORS- Ralph Colwell, Don Galloway, Tom Richards

Ralph Colwell visited with Council about building a fence on City Right of Way next to his property at N Laurel. Council discouraged this build.

Don Galloway visited with Council about the consideration of hiring a younger maintenance person. Council thanked him for his suggestion and said they would take this under advisement.

Tom Richards from NW Management presented Council with a Resolution supporting and adopting the Latah County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan.

CONSENT AGENDA –George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Cathleen Blevins to approve the consent agenda as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: Wilson, Zenner, James, Blevins. Ayes; Motion carried.**

CITY OFFICIAL, COUNCIL AND STAFF REPORTS-

Linda James- Fire, Police and Administrative- Linda reported on this department.

Cathleen Blevins- Parks and Recreation- Cathleen reported on these departments.

Ron Zenner- Streets-Due to the City's liability in the case of an accidental chemical spill, the city will no longer be offering the sale of water from Well #3. This was discussed and agreed upon by Council. Ron reported on further issues in the Street Dept.

George Wilson- Water and Sewer- George reported on these departments.

INTRODUCTION, READINGS AND ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

Ordinance #384 Annexation of Land- George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Linda James to dispense of the 3 readings. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried**

George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Linda James to approve Ordinance #384. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried**

Ordinance #385 Zoning of Annexed Land- George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Linda James to dispense of the 3 readings. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried**

George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Linda James to approve Ordinance #385. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried.**

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Food Bank/Clothing Exchange- Cathleen is still working on this project.

NEW BUSINESS-

Animal Complaints- There have been 2 written complaints about fowl on Genesee Ave. Council decided to have Deputy Duke visit with these residents.

Summary of Ordinance #384 and #385- Cathleen Blevins made a motion, seconded by Linda James to approve publishing the summary of Ordinances #384 and #385. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried.**

PROJECTS IN PROGRESS:

CORRESPONDENCE-

EXECUTIVE SESSION- Ron Zenner made a motion, seconded by Cathleen Blevins to adjourn to executive session at 8:25pm. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried.**

REGULAR SESSION- Council returned to Regular Session at 8:45pm
Cathleen Blevins made a motion, seconded by Linda James to give Bill Mayer a \$1.00 per hour raise effective May 1, 2011. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried.**

ADJOURNMENT- George Wilson made a motion, seconded by Ron Zenner to adjourn the City Council Meeting. **VOICE VOTE; Ayes; motion carried.**

Steve Odenborg, Mayor

Karyn Wright, Clerk/Treasurer