CITY OF GENESEE

Location: 140 E Walnut Street, Genesee, ID 83832

CITY COUNCIL

December 3, 2019

REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES

7:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER - The Genesee City Council met December 3, 2019. Mayor, Steve Odenborg, called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

ROLL CALL – Present at the meeting were council members: Edie McLachlan, Ryan Banks, Nyla Roach; Maintenance Supervisor Dustin Brinkly, Clerk/Treasurer Karyn Wright and Deputy City Clerk/Treasurer Debi Zenner. ABSENT: Art Lindquist

VISITORS: Richard & Karyl Wayt, Cheryl Mundee, Paul Turner, Kent Strader, Bill & Jenelle Krick, Jim Lyons, Jay & Tedi Roach, Cody Bailey, Keith VanLeuven, Rob Tharp, Laureen Trail, and Rebecca Burt

CITIZEN COMMENTS

CONSENT AGENDA: Edie made a motion, seconded by Ryan, to accept the consent agenda, along with payment of the bills; ROLL CALL VOTE: McLachlan, Banks, Roach, Ayes; motion carried.

CITY OFFICIAL, COUNCIL AND STAFF REPORTS

Nyla- RV Park has not been busy. City crew and Nyla put up the Christmas lights in town. The Civic Association contributed \$500 towards the LED lights that went on the big tree in the park.

Ryan- Had an LHTAC phone conference with Bryan, from T.O. Engineering, along with Scott Becker and Dustin. Deciding what to do about the right of way on Chestnut Street. Pavement, gravel and greenstrip were discussed. Greenstrip seems to be out at this time.

Edie- Aerators have been installed in the lagoon and will be used in our new facility. The AIC Monday Fall Academy talked about changes in how to do our agendas. ICRMP was also represented. A lot of good information.

Steve- Plans to meet with Erin regarding our Personnel Policy and a couple changes. Also planning to do employee evaluations by the end of December.

Karyn-Gina Taruscio provided an AVISTA survey she would like our residents to complete. This will be a big help with Grants.

INTRODUCTION, READINGS AND ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

Edie made a motion, seconded by Nyla, to omit Resolution 2019-10. This was already voted on as 2019-7; ROLL CALL VOTE: McLachlan, Banks, Roach, Ayes; motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS-

Proposed Meeting Time Change: After much discussion and different times thrown out, it was decided we would put a survey in the Newsletter to see what works best for most people who would like to attend our Council Meetings.

Creekside Water/Sewer: Creekside has normally called in the count of campers around the 15th of the month. Jay Roach provided Council with a sample calendar that shows how many tenants divided by 30 days of the month to come up with an average. Council will look it over and decide if this is a better way of keeping track, or stay with the current way.

Shooting Range Permit: Mayor Odenborg read Robert Leonard's letter asking for a permit to continue shooting shotguns in the City Limits. They have a schedule of when they shoot and would post non-scheduled shoots on the fence. They will not shoot, when kids are practicing or if there are games at the ball fields. Edie made a motion, seconded by Nyla to give the Genesee Trap & Skeet Association a permit to continue to shoot; VOICE VOTE: McLachlan, Banks, Roach, Ayes; motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS-

Spay/Neuter Cost of trapped cats: Chery Mundee discussed the amount of feral cats and unaltered cats in the City. She has been trapping these cats and has, with her own money, had some fixed and vaccinated. The City only has \$50 in the budget for animal control. After much discussion, Paul Turner, offered to give Cheryl \$500 for her efforts to get cats spayed/neutered.

Parking-Downtown Businesses: Discussions regarding people parking overnight on Walnut Street makes it difficult for snow removal this time of year. The Mayor will talk with Dustin to see what he thinks about no overnight parking allowed. We want to make sure we help our businesses.

PROJECTS IN PROCESS:

Sidewalk Replacement Football Field (Rec District)

CORRESPONDENCE:

ADJOURNMENT- Edie made a motion, seconded by Ryan, to adjourn at 8:15pm. VOICE VOTE: Ayes; motion carried.

A too Odenborg, Mayor

Debi Zenner, Deputy City Clerk/Treasurer