

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL, VICTOR, IOWA, JANUARY 10, 2008

The city council met in regular session at city hall at 7:00 P.M. Present were council members Cavin, Faga, DeNeve, Robinson, and Simmons. Mayor Roger Pawlak called the meeting to order.

The mayor appointed Marla Faga as mayor protem. Motion DeNeve, second Cavin to appoint Fred Stiefel as city clerk and city attorney. Aye: Cavin, Faga, DeNeve, Robinson, and Simmons. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Motion Cavin, second DeNeve to appoint the Chronicle as the city's official newspaper. Aye: Cavin, Faga, DeNeve, Robinson, and Simmons. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Dan Andrews, library board president, presented the annual library report.

Wendy Roberts and Everett Iburg, members of the cemetery board, presented the annual cemetery report.

A.J. Schnebbe and Dick Hansen spoke on behalf of the playground committee. The committee is raising money to build a playground in the park west of the library building. The council supports this project.

Motion Faga, second Cavin to introduce ordinance 306, AN ORDINANCE CHANGING GARBAGE FEES to \$14 per month per household effective February 1, 2008, and to waive the three readings. Aye: Cavin, Faga, DeNeve, Robinson, and Simmons. Nay: none. Motion carried. Motion Faga, second Robinson to adopt ordinance 306. Aye: Cavin, Faga, DeNeve, Robinson, and Simmons. Nay: none. Motion carried. Ordinance passed.

The city clerk presented the council with proposed budget figures for 2008-2009. Property tax rates will remain the same. More discussion at the February meeting.

Motion DeNeve, second Cavin to pay the following bills. Aye: Faga, Cavin, DeNeve, Robinson, Simmons. Nay: none. Motion carried.

1.	Roger Pawlak, mayor, January	225.00
2.	Wages, January	12643.44
3.	Treasurer, State of Iowa, sales tax/option tax, Oct-Dec	1189.74
4.	Council compensation, Oct - Dec Brad 75; Dan 75; Rob 50; Marla 75; Lynn 50	325.00
5.	Sinclair, gas at G&T	700.84
6.	Iburg's, vehicle repair	37.05
7.	Hach, supplies	190.00
8.	Rohrer Bros., ice melt, sand, salt, rock	3250.65
9.	Business Radio, fire dept maintenance	160.50
10.	MMS, sewer plant engineering	1000.00

11.	S&J, garbage pickup December	4680.00
12.	Iowa County Sheriff, contract, Jan to Mar 2008	20491.50
13.	Poweshiek Publications, newspaper notices	41.59
14.	Keystone Lab, sewer, water sample testing	374.14
15.	Barco, boots	81.44
16.	Nathan and Kristen Shull, housing rehab relocation expense	700.00
17.	Principal, health insurance	2527.74
18.	Cooperative Telephone	137.01
19.	Pawlak Management Corp, utility bills, Dec	110.00
20.	Jim Elwood Implement, blade	2779.70
21.	Coufal's Car Care, snow plow maintenance	2169.57
22.	Iowa One Call	18.00
23.	QRS, transfer donations from Grinnell Mutual	1360.49
24.	M&N, salt	45.00
25.	Iowa Telecom, police phone in Marengo	38.24
26.	i Wireless, cell phone	1.95
27.	Victor Lumber, supplies and cabinets	1420.60
28.	Simmering-Cory, housing rehab grant administration	7840.00
29.	Alliant	
30.	Joe Verdeck, labor at recycling shed	130.00
31.	Whitworth Hardware, supplies	33.11
32.	Pronto, gas	126.30
33.	Village Pharmacy, supplies	22.93
34.	Victor Printer, 1/2 city hall garbage, December	18.99
35.	Gronewold, Bell, partial audit fee	2500.00

There will be a car show on June 28 on Second Street near the library. The street will be blocked off for this activity.

The annual meeting with the fire department and township trustees of the fire district is January 28, 2008 at 7:00 P.M. at the fire station, with the council to meet at city hall at 6:30 P.M. The next regular council meeting is February 14, 2008 at 7:00 P.M. at city hall.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

Fred Stiefel, city clerk