

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL, VICTOR, IOWA, APRIL 18, 2012

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

A.J. Schnebbe discussed plans for the flower garden at the library park. Motion Robinson, second Smith to allow purchases up to \$250 per year for mulch and flowers without further specific council approval. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Nick Simmons reported that Victor Fun Day will be June 30. Plans include: car show, street dance, Rolle Bolle, fun run/walk, and dummy boards. The council agreed to pay up to \$500 for portable toilets and advertising.

Motion Robinson, second Sternhagen to pay up to \$1,000 for summer recreation equipment. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

The city reviewed an offer from Bill Montgomery for the city to purchase the post office building for \$45,000. The council will discuss the matter further at another meeting.

The council discussed the cost of the law enforcement contract. A committee was formed to explore lower cost options. Committee members are: Roger Pawlak, Joan Robinson, Shawn Sternhagen.

The railroad will repair the Highway 21 crossing soon, and Iowa DOT proposes a detour through Victor during the construction. Motion Robinson, second Smith to approve the detour agreement. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Motion Faga, second Smith to approve the minutes from March 7 and the investment report for March. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Motion Robinson, second Smith to pay the following bills. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

1.	Gale and Bev Wood, property tax rebate	706.69
2.	Alliant	4026.56
3.	Pawlak Management, utility bills, March	135.00
4.	LL Pelling, premix	311.00
5.	Alliant	631.93
6.	Wellmark, health insurance Jeff and Tom, April	3303.52
7.	I Wireless	8.84
8.	Diam, pest control city hall	55.00
9.	Victor Lumber, supplies	17.08
10.	Windstream, police telephone at Marengo	17.85
11.	Action Services, portable toilet at library park	182.50

12.	Marengo Farm and Home, supplies	67.64
13.	Cooperative Telephone	124.42
14.	S&J, garbage pickup March	5460.00
15.	Rick Cole, rent 1st Street building, April to Sept 30	2400.00
16.	Victor Printers, 1/2 March garbage at city hall	22.00
17.	Business Radio, 2 batteries	90.00
18.	Iowa County Sheriff, contract, April 1 to June 30	22768.50
19.	Victor's Market, gas	1157.25
20.	Roger Pawlak, mayor, April	225.00
21.	Council, Jan to March @ \$35 per meeting Joan 175; Shawn 140; Dan 70; Marla 140; Justin 105	630.00
22.	Wages, April	15045.75
23.	Treasurer, State of Iowa, sales/option tax, Jan to March	1305.00
24.	Keystone Lab, water and sewer sample testing	537.10
25.	Pirkl Plumbing and Heating, pump house heater; maint shed furnace	605.37
26.	Rohrer Bros, rock	381.37
27.	EMC, insurance for one year	29267.00
28.	Alliant	3854.15
29.	Niemeyer Electric, wire heaters on wheel	671.90
30.	Alliant	26.24
31.	Wellmark, health insurance Jeff and Tom, May	3303.52
32.	Whitworth Hardware, supplies	40.35
33.	Kirkwood, Jeff school	135.00

Motion Cavin, second Sternhagen to approve a building permit for a garage addition for Daniel DeRycke at 705 Dunlap Street. Aye: Robinson, Faga, Sternhagen, Smith, and Cavin. Nay: none. Motion carried.

The council agreed to the purchase of a blower at the sewer plant for \$1,700.

The council agreed to pay \$135 for Jeff Verdeck to attend a wastewater class at Kirkwood.

The next council meeting is May 16, 2012 at 7:00 P.M. at city hall.

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Fred Stiefel, city clerk