

COUNCIL MEETING OF JUNE 15, 2015

The second regular June meeting of the Mannington City Council with Mayor James Taylor presiding was held Monday, June 15, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at city hall. Council members attending were Charles Kolb, Larry Smith, Richard Stevens and Becky Williams.

City Clerk Michele Fluharty read the minutes and they stood approved as read.

Planning Commission Chairman Ken Witt said the Commission is recommending that Daniel Jones alley abandonment request be approved. Witt said Jones owns property on both sides of the alley that runs perpendicular to Summit Drive. Smith made the motion to accept the Commission's recommendation and authorize an ordinance abandoning said alley. Kolb seconded the motion and it carried. Stevens questioned the service line location.

Tom Aman of Steptoe & Johnson presented a supplemental resolution pertaining to the loan for the Clarksburg Street Bridge Project. Since the resolution was originally passed in 2012, it needed to be updated. Aman said the loan is for \$222,000 and the monthly payment will be \$822.00 with an \$82.20 monthly bond reserve. The bonds have a 40 year term. Aman read the title of the resolution. Stevens made the motion to adopt the resolution as read. Kolb seconded the motion and it carried.

Julie Kersey, the new director of Mannington Main Street, introduced herself.

In department reports, Street/Water Superintendent Ted Nice reported on their work detail over the last several weeks. He said the home aeration unit at the site of the old water plant was pumped out and the DEP will be notified so that the permit can be cancelled. He also said they are running the street sweeper every morning. Stevens asked that they run the sweeper on Pleasant Street.

Chief of Police David James said he is waiting on the parts so that the cruiser repairs can be completed. He also reported that he ordered body cams for each officer.

In New Business, the first item was Building Commission appointments. Taylor recommended that Sam Stillings be reappointed. Kolb made the motion to appoint Stillings to a 5-year term on the Commission. Taylor then asked Council to appoint Robin Smith to fill the unexpired term of Joe Elliott who is no longer able to serve. Stevens made the motion to appoint Smith to fill the unexpired term. Williams seconded the motion and it carried.

The outstanding bills were reviewed. Kolb made the motion to pay the bills as the money is available. Stevens seconded the motion and it carried.

Smith asked about a solution to the every growing 4-wheeler problem. Taylor said he does not want the police pursuing them because that can lead to bigger problems.

Taylor said he will be out of town the week of July 6 so it was agreed to change the meetings in July to the 13th and 27th.

Taylor thanked Smith for his service to the City during his years on council.

Kolb made the motion to adjourn. Stevens seconded the motion and it carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:35 p.m.