

City Council Meeting
May 15, 2023
@ 5:00 PM

Present: Mayor Roger Weatherwax
Brent White
Denise Lovett
Cassandra Lee
Joyce Jeffreys
Jason White

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Weatherwax followed by pledge and prayer. Council was asked to approve and dispense the reading of the minutes for the April 3, 2023 Council Meeting.

Motion: Joyce Jeffreys
2nd: Denise Lovett

The Moulton Housing Authority had ask that Teresa Taylor be appointed to serve as Commissioner of the Housing Authority of the City of Moulton.

Motion: Brent White
2nd: Joyce Jeffreys

Approve Invoice # 4353 for repairs that had to be made ASAP at the Water Plant where a pump had to be removed and a pump put in place while the repairs are being made on the failing pump. The temporary pump now belongs to the City and the repaired pump will be a back up pump. This invoice is for \$21,090.00 and the second half should be under that.

Motion: Brent White
2nd: Denise Lovett

After the Work Session last week Chief Knight had spoke to Council separately about the possibility of the City paying 75% and employee paying 25%. Councilman Brent White said that he thought that would be a good idea that way it would help other council members agreed.

Approve Blue Cross Blue Shield Insurance to be the Insurance for the City employees with the:

- City paying the employees part of \$510.08 on each employee and 75% for the cost above that for additional coverage and
- Employee paying the remaining 25%.

Motion: Brent White

2nd: Denise Lovett

Mark Heflin was present and ask that Council approve the MWPP Report that is an annual report which needs approval annually.

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Joyce Jeffreys

Renay Saint reported on a demolition lien which was recovered through the tax office for the property at 99 East St.

Mr. Saint ask that the Council pass Ordinance 2023-001 concerning unsafe buildings this will be the first introduction of this Ordinance.

Motion to pass Ordinance 2023-001: Jason White

2nd: Joyce Jeffreys

Renay Saint also spoke on the Recreation Building Storm damage and the need to declare an emergency so repairs could be made quickly. Insurance did a temporary fix to the damage until all the items could be addressed which would be and wouldn't be covered underinsurance. With the age of the roof only a percentage would be covered due to the damage which would be \$25,000.00

Resolution 2023-003 to Declare Emergency: Denise Lovett

2nd: Jason White

Motion to accept low bid from Pioneer Roofing \$229,000.00: Brent White

2nd: Denise Lovett

Brian Phillips Fire Chief was present and reported that the Fire Dept had received a grant in the amount of \$10,000.00 from the Lawrence County Community Development Commission and he had chosen to spend it on a Positive Pressure Fan for the department.

There being no other business Mayor Weatherwax ask for a motion to Adjourn.

Motion: Denise Lovett

2nd: Jason White

Roger Weatherwax, Mayor

Deroma Pepper, City Clerk

Brent White, Council

Joyce Jeffreys, Council Member

Jason White, Council Member

Cassandra Lee, Council Member

Denise Lovett, Council Member