

ASOTIN CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
January 24, 2022
Asotin City Hall, 121 Cleveland Street, Asotin WA

I. CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Dwayne Paris called the City Council Meeting to order at 5:30p.m.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Dwayne Paris led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: Steve Cowdrey, Tim Ottmar, David Weakland, Mervin Schneider, Lori Loseth

STAFF PRESENT: Tina Davidson, Clerk Treasurer

PRESS: None

AUDIENCE: JoAnn Miller, Elaine Nagle, Charlotte Tuttle, Kevin McKeirman, Steven Nash

PUBLIC HEARING: None

III. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS- PUBLIC COMMENT:

Charlotte thanked the Mayor for the Siren. She really enjoys hearing it go off.

JoAnn address her parking problem, and wanted to know why the city didn't paint her curb yellow this year as she had asked them if they would. Mayor stated that the parking issue is a legal matter and she need to call those into dispatch when it is happening. And there is no Yellow Paint available to do any painting of yellow curbs. Dur to COVID there are no supplies available,

IV. CONSENT CALENDAR:

- 1. Minutes of January 10, 2022 Regular Meeting**
- 2. Payroll Checks - #44472 #45006-#45010- \$14,168.69**
- 3. Payroll Checks- #45011 - #45013 \$4,621.05**
- 4. Expense Checks - #45014 - #45035 \$32,390.30**
- 5. Voids -None**

Motion to approve Consent Calendar by Cowdrey/Loseth, motion passed 5/0

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Bid Offer for 130 2nd Street of \$150,200 has been submitted and all paperwork is completed and we are just needing a confirmation from Council to Accept the Offer/

Motion to approve the offer of \$150,200.00 for 130 2nd Street, Asotin by Cowdrey/Weakland, motion passed 5/0.

7. NEW BUSINESS:

Discussion of Building Permit paperwork fees – Mayor Paris mentioned that we Bill is looking over our pricing of building permit paperwork. We are not charging enough to cover our costs. Bill will put a price together and will bring before council to approve.

8. CONSULTANT/CONTRACTOR REPORTS: None

9. CLERK'S REPORT:

Tina reported that the Deputy Clerk Position is out, we have a few applications. There is no closing date so we will continue to receive until we get enough to start doing interviews.

DEPARTMENTS:

- a. **POLICE DEPARTMENT:** Year-end report attached
Cowdrey thanked Officer Renzelman for putting out the Radar trailer. It should help.
- b. **FIRE DEPARTMENT:** None
- c. **PLANNING COMMISSION:** Next Meeting April 21, 2022 @ 7:00pm

**X. COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMITTEE/LIAISON REPORTS**

Steve Cowdrey-None

Lori Loseth-None

Tim Ottmar- None

Mervin Schneider-None

David Weakland- None

XI. MAYOR'S REPORT:

Mayor Paris stated that they guys have been working with Monte on some damage that has taken place in the city park.

Also mentioned that the snow removal got some complaints, but with Bob our sick and Wes being the only one. They had to call Bob in and work while he was sick. Council Member Ottmar and Cowdrey stated they were impressed with the snow clean up.

Mayor Paris also mentioned that need everyone to contact your legislature regarding HB1754 and SB5155 in regards to filing complaints with government officials.

Western Construction has been paid in full. We still have the loan to pay back, but as far as Western Construction this closes out the law suit

XII. RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES:

1.Ordinance 2022-770 Creating a Policy regarding Gift Acceptance and Donor Recognition.

Motion to approve Ordinance 2022-770 Gift Acceptance and Donor Recognition by Cowdrey/Weakland, motion passed 5/0

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn by Schneider/Cowdrey, Motion passed. 5/0

Meeting adjourned at 5:55 pm

Mayor Dwayne Paris

Tina Davidson, Clerk Treasurer