

ASOTIN CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 12, 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:** Craig Stein, Tim Ottmar, David Weakland, Lori Loseth and Steve Cowdrey
- STAFF PRESENT:** Tina Davidson, City Clerk Treasurer
- III. PUBLIC HEARING:** None
- IV. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS- PUBLIC COMMENT:**
Gail Pivoda asked about the weed letters that went out. She wanted to know what was the property owner's responsibility when it comes to the alley. Mayor Paris, responded by explaining that it is the owner's responsibility up to the first travel lane of the alley.
- V. CONSENT CALENDAR:**
- VI. Minutes of August 22nd, 2022 Regular Meeting**
- VII. Payroll Checks August 31st, 2022: #s 45555-45561 including EFTs \$26,136.95**
- VIII. Expense Checks: #45562-45599 including EFT's**
- IX. Voids: #45595 and #45600**
Motion to Approve Consent Calendar, Cowdrey/Weakland, motion passed 5/0
- X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** MPO approved the engineering study for the school traffic improvement that is being worked on by this group. They have been in contact with WSDOT to see if they will help with this project, being that impacts the state highway.
- XI. NEW BUSINESS:** Northwest River Partners Press Statement on Murray-Inslee Recommendation
Dwayne stated that the letter was regarding Murray-Inslee Report that confirms importance of the Lower Snake River Dam, High Volume of Hydroelectricity to the Region.
CONSULTANT/CONTRACTOR REPORTS: None
- XII. CLERK'S REPORT:** None
- XIII. DEPARTMENTS:**
- a. POLICE DEPARTMENT:** None .
- b. FIRE DEPARTMENT:** None
- c. PLANNING COMMISSION:** Next Meeting Sept 15, 2022 @ 5:30
Public Hearing to add "Single Family Residence" as a permitted uses of conditional uses in C2 Zone.
- XIV. COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS - COMMITTEE/LIAISON REPORTS**
Steve Cowdrey-None
Lori Loseth-Attended a 2-day training with Public Health Board Member, there was lots of good information and she hopes to be able to utilize this info as the Public Health Representative.
Tim Ottmar-None
David Weakland- None
Craig Stein- None.

X. MAYOR'S REPORT:

Mayor Paris reported that he has located a second vendor for the playground equipment grant. We are looking at only paying half of the costs. Still working on it and will report more next meeting.

RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES:

RESOLUTION 2022-711: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ASOTIN,
WASHINGTON, APPROVING FINDINGS OF FACT

Motion to Approve Resolution 2022-711 approved by, Cowdrey/Weakland, motion passed 5/0

Mayor Paris stated that he needed an executive session for 5 minutes:

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Contracts/Litigation 5 Min

5:40 Council went into executive session. Ended at 5:45 with no decision being made.

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

Meeting adjourned at 5:45pm.

Mayor Dwayne Paris

Tina Davidson, City Clerk Treasurer