

**ASOTIN CITY COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**June 10, 2024**  
**Asotin City Hall, 121 Cleveland Street, Asotin WA**

- **CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Paris, called the City Council Meeting to order at 5:30p.m.
- **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Mayor Paris led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- **ROLL CALL:** Steve Cowdrey, Lori Loseth, Craig Stein, David Weakland and Tim Ottmar
- **STAFF PRESENT:** Tina Davidson, Clerk-Treasurer
- **PUBLIC PRESENT:** Elaine Nagel
- **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS- PUBLIC COMMENT:** None
- **PUBLIC HEARING:** None
- **CONSENT CALENDAR:**
  - **Minutes of May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Regular Meeting**
    - Payroll 5/31/2024 Ck# 44967 - 44972 Including EFT's; \$25,072.01
    - Expense Claims 6/1/2024 Ck# 44971 - 46504 Including EFT's; \$30,417.40
    - Voids: Ck#
  - **Motion to approve the consent calendar by Cowdrey/Weakland, motion passed 5/0**
- **UNFINISHED BUSINESS: American Cell Towers – Lease Agreement of Telecom Easement:** Our Attorney is talking with their Attorney, so this will be tabled until a further notice.
- **NEW BUSINESS:**
- **CONSULTANT/CONTRACTOR REPORTS:** None
- **CLERK'S REPORT:**
  - Tina reported that the Community Center doors did get painted. Vikki volunteered to do it and her and Bob decided on a gray color and it looks awesome.
  - Tina also reported that June 19<sup>th</sup> if NOT a holiday for the City of Asotin.
- **DEPARTMENTS:**
  - **POLICE DEPARTMENT:** None
  - **FIRE DEPARTMENT:** None
  - **PLANNING COMMISSION:** Next Meeting: July 11, 2024 @ 7:00pm
    - **Public Hearing on Short Plat**
- **COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS - COMMITTEE/LIAISON REPORTS**
  - **Steve Cowdrey-**Steve asked if there could be a request made to WSDOT to put rumble strips on the highway between Asotin & Clarkston. Dwayne state he is having a meeting with them and will ask.
  - **Lori Loseth** –. None
  - **Craig Stein-** None
  - **David Weakland** – David reported that he did go by and check out the sinkhole and noticed that it was a pretty big hole. Dwayne reported that they had a company come in and survey the sinkhole and so we are just waiting to hear back from them to get a plan for repair.
  - **Tim Ottmar** – Tim asked if the Jail Tax that we opt into, if it is a mandate. Dwayne stated that yes, we are required to dedicate a portion of the tax.
- **MAYOR'S REPORT:**
  - Mayor Paris reported that public works is working on dust abatement in the alleys. We only budget for a few at a time, next time we will do some more and the driveway into the park.

- **RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES:**
  - **Resolution 2024-738 - A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Asotin, Washington, to Transfer \$32,000.00 From General Funds into Street-Parks-WWTP For Unbudgeted Purchase of Tractor.**
- **Motion to Approve Resolution 2024-738, Weakland/Stein, motion passed 5/0**
  - **Ordinance 2024-891 – An Ordinance Amending Chapter 18.32.020 R2 Permitted uses of The Asotin Municipal Code – Adding Section 18.32.020 C: Chickens and providing for the Effective Date Hereof.**
- **Motion to Approve Ordinance 2024-891, Loseth/Cowdrey, motion passed 5/0**
- **EXECUTIVE SESSION: None**
- **ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn by Cowdrey/Weakland, Motion passed. 5/0**  
Meeting adjourned at 5:45pm.

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Dwayne Paris, Mayor

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Tina Davidson, City Clerk-Treasurer