



**CITY OF WALESKA
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
July 24, 2023**

Present: Mary Helen Lamb, Mayor
Dennis Cochran, Pro Tem
Jon Costales, Councilmember
Lee Lamb, Councilmember
Vickie Lawson, Councilmember
Robyn Smith, City Clerk/Manager
Stanley Townsend, Townsend Pipeline
Lamar Rogers, Turnipseed Engineers
John Meier, City Attorney

Absent: Kristi Bosch, Councilmember

The City Manager asked to amend the agenda to approve Resolution for Sunday Sales and Consumption on Premises. A motion was made by Councilmember Cochran, seconded by Councilmember Boswell and approved by all members present.

Item 1: Call to Order

Mayor Mary Helen Lamb called the meeting to order with a quorum present.

Item 2: Pledge of Allegiance/Innovation

Mayor Lamb led the Pledge to the Flag

Item 3: Consideration to Approve Regular Council Meeting Minutes July 10, 2023

Mayor Mary Helen Lamb asked for a motion to approve the Regular council minutes for July 10, 2023. A motion was made by Councilmember Cochran, seconded by Councilmember Lee Lamb, and approved by all members present.

Item 4: Five Minute Public Hearing

- Mark Dagele approached the council about a subdivision on Sardis Circle, about the water line. Stanley Townsend mentioned to him that he should contact Nathan Pressley and maybe they could go in together and split the cost of the line. The talk of a 6" has been proposed before. Nathan would have to put in a 6" before he built any more houses.

Item 5: Water System Report

- Lamar Rogers stated that he received preliminary plans for Abbington Hall (the old RM Moore). Stanley stated that a flow test had been done there and it was good.
- Stanley Townsend mentioned that we almost ran out of water at Silver Creek this past weekend, due to no power and there were trees that needed to be cut there. The council asked the City Manager if she could get 3 quotes to get trees cut.
- Stanley Townsend mentioned that we really need to get a generator for Silver Creek, so this doesn't happen again. A motion was made by Councilmember Lee Lamb to get 3 quotes for a generator, seconded by Councilmember Cochran, and approved by all members present.
- The City Manager asked that we consider a part-time employee to help with mowing. Councilmember Cochran stated that he would rather have a sub-contractor, so the city manager will be looking for that, and get quotes.

Item 6: City Manager Report

- City Manager Robyn Smith brought to the council's attention the partnership agreement with the Board of Education that we were to vote for at this meeting. The council asked that we contact Barbara Jacoby to come and present this to the council since all our council is new.

Item 7: City Attorney's Report

- Attorney John Meier asked about the Fate Conn pump station, Stanley reported we are moving forward.
- Attorney John Meier reported that he is working on the easements for 108.
- Attorney John Meier will write an ordinance for adult entertainment, like the one at Cherokee County.

Item 8: Mayor's Report

- None

Item 9: Council Remarks

- None

Item 10: Adjourn Regular Council Meeting

APPROVED THIS 21st DAY OF August, 2023.

Mary Helen Lamb

Mary Helen Lamb, Mayor

Attest:

Robyn Smith

Robyn Smith, City Clerk