

The Mediapolis City Council met in regular session on 3/16/20. Mayor Young called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. Present – Doyle, Massner, Licko, and Kerr. Absent - Garrison. Visitors – Keith and Edna Frownfelter, Jim Mehaffy, Coleton Sutton, Rob Rhum, Lori Carnes, Dustin Crear, and Lieutenant McCune.

Motion by Doyle seconded by Massner to amend and approve the agenda by adding the COVID-19 Discussion. All ayes.

Motion by Licko seconded by Massner to approve the Consent Agenda – Minutes, Expenses, Clerk, Library and Water Reports. Proclamation to declare April 2, 2020, as Junior Achievement Day. Proclamation for Southeastern Community College. Approve Class B Native Wine Permit - Clara's Garden. Approve a Building Permit for a Concrete Slab at 115 Minerva St. – Josh Bailey. All ayes.

Frownfelter expressed concern about why the City approved allowing Pitbulls in the City. Doyle mentioned that we are not allowed to specify certain breeds in our ordinance. Young said the council will look further into it.

Sheriff's reported presented by Lieutenant McCune.

Council discussed COVID-19. By protecting our employees and the public we have reviewed the status of the water supply, sewer system, and garbage pick-up and found no reason to believe any of these public utilities would be compromised. City Hall and Community Room will be closed until March 31st for any and all indoor activity. All payments can be made Online, Dropbox located outside City Hall front door or by Mail.

Rhum and Carnes presented the council with an operation spreadsheet showing the number of lifeguards and managers that will be needed to operate the pool each day. The Mediapolis Aquatic Center is scheduled to open on Saturday, May 30th

Licko gave an update to the council about the Freedom Rock. We are looking at placing the rock across the street from City Hall. Massner would like to see a plan drawn up. The city has budgeted \$5,000 to be put towards the Freedom Rock.

Motion by Massner seconded by Doyle to approve the building permit for a deck at 120 Main Street for Dustin Crear and to be charged a 10% fine of the estimated value as the deck was built before council approval. All ayes. Dustin Crear will be charged a \$100.00 fine.

Council reviewed a sign permit application for Dustin & Anne Crear and recommend the permit go in front of the Board of Adjustment for a variance request.

Motion by Doyle seconded by Massner to abate 2-2020. All ayes. Sutton present to discuss with the council about his nuisance complaint. The council would like to see an orange safety fence put up around the garage. Council would like another update at the April 6th meeting.

Project update presented by PWD.

No report for Employee, Health and Safety.

Motion by Licko seconded by Massner to adjourn at 8:24 PM. All ayes. The next, Council Meeting will be on Monday, April 6th at 6:30 PM. A list of revenue and expenses for February follows: