

May 9, 2016

The Stromsburg Mayor and City Council met in Regular Session Monday, May 9, 2016 at 5:35 p.m. at the City Office. Members present were Ken Everingham, mayor; Doug Lamoree, Terry Larson, and Dennis Nuttelman, councilmembers; Nancy Bryan, city clerk/treasurer; and Lenard Schaefer, public works director/city supervisor. Lois Burke, councilmember, and Jim Papik, city attorney, were absent. Ken Everingham, mayor, called the meeting to order and all present recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Jim Papik, city attorney, arrived at 5:37 p.m. Larson moved, Nuttelman seconded, to approve the April 25, 2016 minutes. Larson and Nuttelman voted yes, Lamoree abstained, Burke absent, motion approved. Lois Burke, councilmember, arrived at 5:38 p.m. The hearing for the request from Myron Bernt to vacate an alley to put up a fence was opened at 5:37 p.m. The planning commission recommended approval of the request to vacate the alley. The hearing was closed at 5:38 p.m. Nuttelman moved, Lamoree seconded, to approve the request from Myron Bernt to vacate the alley located west of High Street running north and south between 5th and 6th Streets. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Burke moved, Lamoree seconded, to accept the March, 2016 treasurer's report. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Lamoree moved, Larson seconded, to approve **Ordinance Number 1116** to amend Section 4-903 pertaining to nuisance abatement and waive the three reading rule. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Lamoree moved, Nuttelman seconded, to approve **Ordinance Number 1116** to amend Section 4-903 pertaining to nuisance abatement. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Nuttelman moved, Burke seconded, to approve the following appointments as recommended by Ken Everingham, mayor: Mike Cotter and Charles Noyd to the cemetery board; Tom French and Tammy Schaefer to the park committee; and Eleanor Greenwall to the Midwest Covenant Home Board. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Lamoree moved, Nuttelman seconded, to approve the claims. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, motion approved. Claims approved were **May 2, 2016 NET PAYROLL-\$12,049.08; GENERAL & UTILITIES-\$50,145.84** as follows: Almquist, Maltzahn, Galloway & Luth, se-\$8,145.00; Ameritas Life Ins., ins-\$428.40; Ascensus, 401(k)-\$2,192.14; Blue Cross Blue Shield, ins-\$9,640.83; Burg Auto Repair, se-\$64.49; Ronald Carson, re-\$103.90; Casey's, su-\$660.61; CVA, su-\$44.68; City of Stromsburg, se & loan pymts-\$6,986.82; Cornerstone Bank, HSA contributions & se-\$230.00; Cramer Concrete Construction, se-\$352.00; Steve Dubas, se-\$35.00; Eakes, su-\$98.57; Economy, su-\$93.45; EFTPS, withholding tax-\$3,936.17; EMS Billing Services, se-\$281.67; Ericson Cash Hardware, su-\$251.47; Gary's Plumbing & Heating, se-\$449.98; Goldenrod Ins. Agency, ins-\$115.00; Jennifer Graham, se-\$460.00; Groebner, su-\$1,200.46; Hays Land Surveying, se-\$164.85; Heritage Bank, se-\$36.02; Jackson Services, se-\$515.47; Klein's Blue River, su-\$237.37; Kriz-Davis, su-\$86.90; Marsden's Auto, se-\$68.15; Nebr. Dept. of Rev., withholding tax-\$1,087.24; Nebr. Sweeping, se-\$1,837.08; C.J. Norman, se-\$150.00; NRECA, se-\$68.24; NRECA Group Benefits Trust, ins-\$606.30; OfficeNet, su-\$14.99; One Call Concepts, se-\$10.56; Osceola Implement, su-\$70.21; Osceola Veterinary Hospital, se-\$216.00; Overland Sand and Gravel, su-\$233.56; Tim Pallas, re-\$22.00; Pinnacle Bank, HSA contributions-\$100.00; Pitney Bowes, postage-\$600.00; Polk Co. Clerk, contract-\$6,240.45; Polk Co. News, se-\$662.99; Postmaster, se-\$165.28; Rally Auto Parts, su-\$548.45; US Cellular, se-\$256.24 and Windstream, se-\$376.85. No further business appearing, Larson moved, Lamoree seconded, the meeting be adjourned. Burke, Lamoree, Larson, and Nuttelman voted yes, meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk/Treasurer

Mayor