

Grandview Plaza City Council

Met in Regular session October 16, 2012 at 6:30 PM

Mayor Hall called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. Present was Council members Grant, Rider, Edison, Sacher and Rodney. Unanimous. Also present was Shirley Bowers, Roger Unruh, Jerome Thomas, Allen Rothlisberg. Chief Clark, Chase Jordan, Carl Corey.

Ms Grant led the group with the Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation.

Grant moved to approve the September 18, 2012 Minutes as written and without public reading. Seconded by Edison. Unanimous

Jerome reported on his departments. New street signs have been installed. A major water leak on Grandview Drive was fixed. Jerome contacted T&B Construction concerning the stagnant pond of water behind Hagemester's house on Plaza Street. This area had been of concern for years, due to the breeding ground created for mosquitoes and snakes. T&B Construction agreed to pay for the cost of the material needed, if the city would install the needed 12" pipe. Cost estimates came to \$1402. Rider moved to approve the project, seconded by Edison. Unanimous. The 50th Anniversary Celebration for Grandview Plaza was discussed. Several ideas came up. A committee will be appointed with decisions regarding dates, menus etc be brought back before the council at a later date. The fire and police departments will be distributing Halloween candy to kids October 31, 2012 between 6:00 and 8:00 PM. At 2:00 PM the school kids will have their Halloween walk, with the city handing out candy at that time also.

Ty Warner, from the Flint Hills Regional council updated the council on the projects of the organization, and the positive effects it brought to the surrounding areas and communities. At present, there are 21 members and meetings are held once a month.

Chief Clark distributed the monthly activity reports. A meth lab was busted at the Red Carpet Inn last week. For Thanksgiving and Christmas, 3 to 4 families will be adopted, with meals provided. At Christmas, toys, food and clothes will be donated to them, with Santa Claus delivering the presents to the children in the City Fire Truck. WIBW TV will be present at the Grandview School this year when Santa visits there. \$1000 in activity funds are budgeted for the "Shop with a Cop" program. Donations are accepted to any of the projects. Rodney moved to approve Reserve Officer Lytle be promoted to a Part Time Police Officer at \$16.25 per hour, starting November 1, 2012. Motion seconded by Sacher. Unanimous. He will be required to complete 2 weeks of training for part time officers at KLECT within one year. Grant moved to approve the replacement of 4 work station computers, a server, and 4 monitors for \$4000, seconded by Rodney. Unanimous. \$1000 of Drug seizure money will be used towards the project, costing the police budget \$3000.

Grant moved to approve the October Expenditures; seconded by Edison. Unanimous. Grant moved to approve the October Financial Statement; seconded by Rodney. Unanimous.

At 7:35, Edison moved to enter into Executive session for 5 minutes, to discuss legal issues. Seconded by Rodney. Unanimous. Regular session resumed at 7:40 PM, no action taken.

Grant moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 PM. Seconded by Edison. Unanimous.

Shirley Bowers, City Clerk