

## Grandview Plaza City Council

Met in Regular Session December 15, 2015 at 6:30 PM

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm, by Mayor Rick Geike. Present were council members Honey Grant, Jack Rider, Marvin Edison, Gary Sacher and Robert Rodney. Also present was Roger Unruh, Janet Young, Chief Peirano, Chief Thomas, Dan Hoffman, Alan Rothlisberg, Jerry Bielefeld, Michelle Fernandez and children, Pattie and Dean Whitten, Shelly Carver and Jason Beets.

Mayor Geike led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Honey Grant led the Invocation.

Dan Hoffman advised the council that the 2014 audit had been completed and that all looked good. Dan Hoffman recommended that the official depository (Central National Bank) be recorded in the minutes annually.

Marvin Edison made a motion to accept the 2014 audit as presented. Gary Sacher seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Shelly Carver formerly of Flinthills Regional Council addressed the council as the splash pad facilitator. Ms. Carver advised that she is attempting to locate funds through both public agencies and private parties. Ms. Carver requested permission to send the Bramlage Foundation a proposal on the splash pad to see if they may donate some money. Robert Rodney made a motion to have Ms. Carver send a proposal to the Bramlage Foundation. Jack Rider seconded the motion. Motion passed with vote of 4 to 1. Marvin Edison voted no. Shelly Carver advised that KState was given a master plan for the splash pad, and that between January and March 2016 they will be conducting a public participation plan and survey.

Janet Young and Mayor Geike presented Patti Whitten with a 5 year plaque and bonus check.

Honey Grant made a motion to approve the November 17, 2015 minutes. Gary Sacher seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Jerome Thomas addressed the council. 1) Jerome advised the council that the new city building was completed and requested permission to pay Cheney the remaining balance of \$160,224.00. Marvin Edison made the motion to pay Cheney. Gary Sacher seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous. 2) Jerome requested permission to have concrete laid down in the handicap parking spaces in front of the city building, due to the standing water and ice hazard. Jerome advised that Cheney construction gave him a bid of \$1700.00 to \$2500.00 to complete the job. Jerome advised that it would be 23 ft X 18 ft and 4 inches thick. Gary Sacher made a motion to have Jerome hire Cheney for the project. Marvin Edison seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous. 3) Jerome advised that the Thanksgiving meals were delivered and that Santa would be at the Grandview Plaza Elementary

School on 12-17-15. Santa would hand out gifts to 3 families on 12-18-15 at the city building. 4) Jerome advised that they had picked up 120 loads of tree branches in 3 days and will be going around the city one more time.

Chief Peirano distributed his monthly reports: 1) Chief Peirano reported that the police department had responded to 281 incidents in the last month. 2) Chief Peirano advised that the work in the garage has been completed.

Janet Young advised council that the annual renewal for the Flinthills Regional Council was due for \$780.00. Marvin Edison made a motion to renew. Gary Sacher seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Gary Sacher moved to approve the November expenditures, seconded by Marvin Edison. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Honey Grant moved to approve the November financial statement, seconded by Robert Rodney. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Jason Beets advised the council that he was no longer employed with the Daily Union but would continue to attend the meetings and would post events on his blog. Honey Grant suggested that Jason Beets become our city photographer. Mr. Beets will come in and see Mrs. Young about the position.

Honey Grant made a motion to give a 3% pay increase to all employees. Robert Rodney seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Mayor Geike wanted to close the city building on December 24, 2015. Jack Rider made a motion to close. Marvin Edison seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.

Jack Rider made a motion to adjourn. Marvin Edison seconded the motion. Motion carried, vote unanimous.