City of Rock Falls

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Eric Arduini
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Kay Abner
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City Council Meeting
Rock Falls Council Chambers
May 5th, 2015
6:30 p.m.

Call to Order @ 6:30 p.m. Pledge of Allegiance Roll Call

Police Department:

- 1. Proclamation National Police Week
- 2. Appointment of Police Chief Tammy Nelson
- 3. Introduction and promotion of Police Officers

Audience Requests:

Community Affairs:

Randy Balk, Executive Director, Rock Falls Community Development Corporation Bethany Bland, President / CEO, Rock Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Ordinance 1st Reading

1. Ordinance 2015-2211 Amendment of Section 5-611 Storm Water Drainage

Ordinance 2nd Reading / Adoption

1. Ordinance 2015-2208 Energy Conservation Code

Consent Agenda:

- 1. Approve the Minutes of the April 21st, 2015 Council Meeting
- 2. Approval of bills as presented.
- 3. Approval of Raffle Licenses
 - a. Rock Falls American Legion
 - b. St. Andrews Catholic School
 - c. Rock Falls Chamber of Commerce
 - d. Rock Falls Optimist Club
- 4. Approve the Utility write offs at the recommendation of the Public Works and Electric Committee. The period covered is February 2014 March 2015 with a total of \$18,950.34.

City Administrator Robbin D. Blackert:

- 1. Sauk Valley Bank CD Rates
- 2. Approval of changes to the penalties on utility billing due to postal carrier delivery issues. The proposed billing scheduled as a due date of the 22nd day after the billing date; penalty posted the 23rd day after the billing date; notice of disconnect generated the 24th day after billing date; disconnection the 32nd day after billing date.

Information/Correspondence:

Eric Arduini, City Clerk

1. Public Works / Public Property Committee has been moved to May 14th, 2015 at 4:30p.m.

James Reese, City Attorney Brian Frickenstein, City Engineer

Department Heads:

Water Reclamation- Mr. Cox

1. Approval of the recommendation from Willett Hoffman & Associates to accept the low bid from Go Excavating - 447 S. Hancock Avenue Freeport, IL. The bid is for Addendum No. 1 to the Sanitary Sewage Extension to Holiday Inn Express and Suites in the amount of \$21,270.00.

Electric- Mr. Simon

- 1. Approval of the bid from Kuhlemier Painting 28401 Woodside Drive Rock Falls for crack filling, and painting at the Hydro Plant in the amount of \$16,300.00
- 2. Approval of the purchase of two handhelds from Ferguson Waterworks 1720 State Street Dekalb, IL. 60115-2617 one for the Service Trucks and one for the Meter Reader in the amount of \$21,465.00

Police- Acting Chief Nelson Fire Chief- Chief Cook Building Inspector- Mr. Searing Water – Mr. Padilla Street – Mr. Spinka

Recess

Seating of Newly Elected Officials

- City Treasurer Kay M. Abner
- Alderman Ward 1 Daehle Reitzel
- Alderman Ward 1 (two years) George Logan Jr.
- Alderman Ward 2 Glen R. Kuhlemier
- Alderman Ward 3 Rodney G. Kleckler
- Alderman Ward 4 Lee R. Folsom

Ward Reports:

Ward 1Ward 2Ward 3Ward 4Ald. ReitzelAld. KuhlemierAld. SchunemanAld. FolsomAld. LoganAld. SnowAld. KlecklerAld. Watts

Mayor's Report:

Executive Session:

Any action taken from Executive Session

Adjournment:

Next City Council Meeting 5/19/2015

Posted 5/1/2015 Eric Arduini / City Clerk

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