

City of Rock Falls

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Rock Falls City Council Agenda

May 5, 2020
6:30 p.m.

Governor Pritzker's Executive Orders No. 2020-07 and No. 2020-18, suspends the in-person attendance requirement for members of the public body and allows for remote participation. In light of the current COVID-19 public health emergency and the prohibition of public gatherings of 10 or more, the City Council has chosen to conduct the City Council Meeting remotely.

If you would like to listen to the meeting, please go to <https://zoom.us/j/96744641245>

To submit questions or comments for the Audience Request portion of the meeting:

Submit your questions to meeting@rockfalls61071.com prior to May 5, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. and your questions and/or comments, if appropriate, will be read during the meeting and addressed at that time.

Call to Order at 6:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Public Hearing – To provide interested parties an opportunity to express their views on the proposed Downstate Small Business Stabilization application funded by Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds

Audience Requests

Consent Agenda

1. Approval of the Minutes of the April 21, 2020 Regular City Council Meeting
2. Approval of bills as presented
3. Resolution 2020-842 – Resolution in support of Arthur's Garden Delicatessen, Inc. application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant
4. Resolution 2020-843 – Resolution in support of Harold's Furniture, Inc. application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant
5. Resolution 2020-844 – Resolution in support of Wheelock Furniture application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant
6. Resolution 2020-845 – Resolution in support of Touch of Thai Properties, LLC application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant

7. Resolution 2020-846 – Resolution in support of Ren & Ken Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a The Cooler application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant
8. Resolution 2020-847 – Resolution in support of Ahlstrand & Ahlstrand, Inc. d/b/a Corner Tap application for the Downstate Small Business Stabilization Grant
9. Approve the renewal of License Agreement No. 3316 between the City of Rock Falls and the Illinois Department of Natural Resources for a parcel of land at the Hennepin Canal (Route 40 Kiosk) for a period of 5 years (August 1, 2020 – July 31, 2025)

City Administrator Robbin Blackert

1. Approve the bid proposal from Marking Specialists Corp, 1622 Princeton Ave, Arlington Heights, IL 60005 in the amount of \$60,881.95 for the Intersection Pavement Striping project

Information/Correspondence

James Reese, City Attorney

Alderman Reports/Committee Chairman Requests

Ward 1

Alderman Bill Wangelin

Alderman Gabriella Palmer

Ward 2

Alderman Glen Kuhlemier – Finance/Insurance/Investment Committee Chairman

Alderman Brian Snow – Building Code Committee Chairman

1. Approve the sale of 214 W 12th Street, Rock Falls IL to Charles Davis, 1717 Woodburn, Sterling IL in the amount of \$2,000.00

Ward 3

Alderman Jim Schuneman – Utility Committee Chairman/Tourism Committee Chairman

1. Award the bid for the Sanitary Sewer System Improvements – W. 5th Street Sanitary Sewer Lining Project to Visu-Sewer of Illinois, LLC, 9014 S. Thomas Ave, Bridgeview, IL 60455 in the amount of \$113,370.80
2. Approve Change Order No. 1 in the amount of \$73,900.00, Tri-City Electric 6225 N. Brady, Davenport, IA 52806 for the Avenue A Substation Upgrades Installation

Alderman Rod Kleckler – Public Works/Public Property Committee Chairman

Ward 4

Alderman Lee Folsom – Police/Fire Committee Chairman

Alderman Violet Sobottka – Ordinance/License/Personnel/Safety Committee Chairman

Mayor's Report

1. Resolution No. 2020-848 – Resolution Authorizing a Local Hospitality and Small Business Grant Program

Adjournment

Next City Council meeting – May 19, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.

Posted: May 1, 2020

Michelle Conklin, Deputy City Clerk