

City of Rock Falls

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Rock Falls City Council Agenda
Council Chambers
603 W 10th Street, Rock Falls, IL 61071

February 2, 2021
6:30 p.m.

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

Audience Requests

Community Affairs

Bethany Bland, President/CEO, Rock Falls Chamber of Commerce

Consent Agenda:

1. Approval of the Minutes of the January 19, 2021 City Council Meeting
2. Approval of bills as presented

Ordinances 1st Reading:

Ordinances 2nd Reading and Adoption:

1. Ordinance 2021-2517 – Amending Chapter 14 of the Rock Falls Municipal Code Creating the Position of Deputy Chief of Police and Removing the Position of Police Commander

Resolutions:

1. Resolution 2021-859 – Resolution Accepting a Grant from the Illinois Housing Development Authority's Strong Communities Program
2. Resolution 2021-860 – Resolution Authorizing Notice of Termination from Blackhawk Area Task Force Interagency Agreement

City Administrator Robbin Blackert

Information/Correspondence

James Reese, City Attorney
Corey Buck, City Engineer

Alderman Reports/Committee Chairman Requests

Ward 1

Alderman Bill Wangelin

Alderman Gabriella Palmer – Finance/Insurance/Investment Committee Chairman

1. Approve Utility Office Write-Offs / October 2020-December 2020
2. Approve Engagement Letter from Sikich, LLP for the Fiscal Year 2021 Audit

Ward 2

Alderman Brian Snow – Building Code Committee Chairman

Alderman Casey Babel

Ward 3

Alderman Jim Schuneman – Utility Committee Chairman/Tourism Committee Chairman

Alderman Rod Kleckler – Public Works/Public Property Committee Chairman

Ward 4

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

1. Approval of Chief of Police Job Description
2. Approval of Deputy Chief of Police Job Description
3. Approve request by Phil McDermott for his storage facility located at 1805 Industrial Park Road to have a fence placed beyond the building set back line to provide security for the property

Mayor's Report:

1. Appoint Alderman Casey Babel as a member of the Police Fire Committee

Executive Session:

1. Section 2(c)(21) – Review of Closed Session Minutes
2. Personnel – Section 2 (c)(1) – Employee hiring, firing, compensation, discipline and performance

Action Take from Executive Session

Adjournment

Next City Council meeting – February 16, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.

Posted: January 29, 2021

Michelle Conklin, Deputy City Clerk

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