

(Subject to Approval)
CITY OF LISBON
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
July 22nd, 2024

CALL TO ORDER: The City Council of Lisbon, Iowa, met in regular session on July 22nd, 2024, at 7:00p.m. with Mayor Doug O'Connor presiding. The following City Council members were present: John Bardsley, Mike Williams, Keven Steele, Nathan Smith and Rick Scott.

OTHERS PRESENT: Drayton Kamberling, Brandon Siggins, Travis Bagby, Doug Shannon, Tyson Scott, Tracey Achenbach and Deanna Robinson with ECICOG. Becky Hess was present via zoom.

CONSENT AGENDA: Motion by Bardsley, seconded by Smith to approve the consent agenda consisting of minutes of July 8th, list of bills, liquor license for Family Dollar Stores of Iowa, LLC, Five Seasons Stand Down Proclamation and tabling of Item 5A. All Ayes. Motion carried 5-0.

Tracey Achenbach and Deanna Robinson with ECICOG presented a Linn County Housing Needs Assessment.

Motion by Smith, seconded by Williams to approve Street Finance Report for FY24. All Ayes. Motion carried 5-0.

Council reviewed two emails from residents. One concerning the reactivation of a solid waste committee and one thanking city public works staff for going above and beyond.

The council received the following reports from city departments:

Public Works Director Travis Bagby – took down a few trees damaged in the latest storm, painting, and working with the Parks Department on installing an ADA sand digger at the park.

Parks & Recreation Director Drayton Kamberling – fall sports registration deadline is August 2nd, movie in the park on August 14th, slow pitch tournament at Sauerkraut Days, August 21st is back to school night event, and turf tank has arrived, and training is complete.

City Administrator Brandon Siggins – Thank you to all fire members that came down during recent tornado warnings/watches, pancake breakfast on Labor Day. Working with Drayton and a community member for future fundraising for the sports complex, City Hall storm damage repairs are almost done, new sign is installed, thank you Rickard's for assistance on logos for the sign, tree trimming at City Hall, Downtown Reinvestment grant application opening soon, Highway 30 mowing to be done before Sauerkraut Days and canopy work along streets. Question was raised on the process of screening History Center apartment applicants. A written policy is to come.

Council wished the Lisbon Softball team good luck this week, the library has a new computer program for late returns, complimented the new sign, downtown signs and thanked city crews for their work in the coming weeks to prepare and cleanup from Sauerkraut Days.

Motion by Bardsley, seconded by Smith to go into closed session at 7:45pm to discuss possible purchase/sale of real property. All Ayes. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Bardsley, seconded by Scott to go out of closed session at 8:28pm. All Ayes. Motion carried 5-0.

Mayor Doug O'Connor adjourned the meeting at 8:30pm.

Christina Eicher, City Clerk

Doug O'Connor, Mayor