

**Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting, Tuesday, September 22, 2020  
Via Zoom**

**Present:** Mayor Kriner and Councilmembers Alexander, McMillan and Weddle.

**Staff:** Attwood, Johnson and Hawley

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm and the pledge of allegiance was given by all.

Roll call was taken and those in attendance were Councilmembers Alexander, McMillan and Weddle.

**Motion to approve the agenda.** M/McMillan, S/Weddle.

**Motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting.** M/McMillan, S/Weddle. Motion carried 3:0.

Councilmember Levine joined the meeting via zoom.

Public Comment: None

**This meeting has been advertised as a Public Hearing to review the 2021 Revenue sources including consideration of possible increases in property tax revenues and for setting the tax levy for 2021.** Mayor Kriner opened the public hearing. City Clerk Attwood explained the process and reason for the public hearing. There were concerns voiced from the Council that if the Council approved the Tax Levy Ordinance that we would be adding to the tax burden of the citizens. The Clerk will research the subject for a more detailed answer for the Council. Mayor Kriner closed the public hearing portion of the meeting at 7:15 pm.

**Unfinished Business**

**Resolution 2020-18 was on the agenda again.** There was much discussion on setting the price for the John Deere Grader.

**Motion to approve Resolution 2020-18 declaring the John Deere Grader surplus to the City's needs and to set the price for the grader at \$15,000.** M/Alexander, S/McMillan. 3 no and one yes. Motion failed.

**Motion to approve Resolution 2020-18 declaring the John Deere Grader surplus to the City's needs and to set the price \$11,000.** M/McMillan, S/Alexander. 2 voted no, 2 voted yes. Motion failed.

After further discussion: **Motion to approve Resolution 2020-18 declaring the John Deere Grader surplus to the City's needs and to set the price at \$12,500.00.** M/Levine, S/Weddle. Motion carried 3 yes, McMillan no.

**Mayor/Council/Committee Reports**

**Mayor:** No Report.

**Levine:** Gave an update on the status of the WIRA meetings—asked Council for their support to be included in the minority report. All of the Council voiced their support for Councilmember Levine regarding the WIRA and the minority report.

**McMillan:** Reported he and Councilmember Alexander met with Sheriff Hawley and Laura Wright, chief Criminal Deputy, for the quarterly meeting. Nothing earth shattering—make an attempt at more aggressive traffic control. They had a donation and giving away bike helmets for kids and promoting safety. Fires and airport and cemetery not much going on.

**Weddle:** No report

**Alexander:** No report.

**Ordinance #816—setting the tax levy for 2021.** No action was taken on this Ordinance. Council would like more information. Clerk stated it can be on the agenda at a later meeting.

**Miscellaneous and Correspondence:**

**No action was taken to excuse Councilmember Ritter from the meeting.**

**Reminder: the IACC conference can be attended virtually.**

**There being no further business the meeting was declared adjourned at 8:03pm.**

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**Alice J. Attwood, Clerk-Treasurer**