

City of Dover Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes March 6, 2025

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Dover City Council was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor Dave Iseminger in the City Hall as posted.

Present were Mayor Dave Iseminger, Council Members Jaime Putzier, Chelsie Kiekbusch, Eric Tyler and Jodi Nicklay. Absent none. Staff present Gary Pedersen, Clerk/Treasurer and Marvin Ihrke, Water Supervisor. Others in attendance: Sargent Adam Weletzki and Commissioner Brian Mueller.

Motion by Member Nicklay and seconded by Member Tyler to approve the agenda as presented, the motion carried.

Citizen items brought forward: none

Sargent Weletzki stated he did not have anything new for the council to discuss.

Motion by Member Kiekbusch and seconded by Member Nicklay to approve the meeting minutes as presented from the last meeting, the motion carried.

Motion by Member Tyler and seconded by Member Kiekbusch to pay bills as presented and accept the financial statements, the motion carried.

New Business:

Discussion on toilet replacement needs for restrooms in City Hall/ Community Center.

Motion by Member Putzier and seconded by Member Nicklay to approve up to \$17,000 for the restroom project which will include replacing toilets, replacing urinals, fixing or replacing soft water machine and take out the toilet that is upstairs (not needed), the motion carried. City employees and Mayor should carry out the project. Quotes have been received from at least two businesses.

Eyota Ambulance discussion took place- Eyota is covering the entire City of Dover and is the understanding that when St. Charles reorganizes it may not enter Olmsted County for their district lines. The Eyota billing of Dover is \$15,000 for 2024 and \$24,721 for 2025. The discussion took place to consider 2024 ask, but not sure on the 2025 ask for about \$10,000 more. One item that should be asked of the Eyota Ambulance, does the City of Eyota pay extra because of the Assisted Living business located in Eyota, we all know their calls are many for transport and adds a lot to the yearly budget.

Motion by Member Tyler and seconded by Member Kiekbusch to approve the request of \$15,000 to the Eyota Ambulance for 2025, the motion carried.

The Dover Fire Department Annual Meeting for 2025 report was given.

Motion by Member Kiekbusch and seconded by Member Nicklay to approve the transfer of \$17,145.60 to the Dover Fire Department for our 2025 share of their budget to be paid by the City, the motion carried.

Old Business: none

Council Members:

Nicklay and Kiekbusch informed the council on their research on a supportive group to put on events for the city in the future. Trying to work through legal items needed for this group, if it does get formed.

Putzier talked about the organized garbage collection that is slated to start on May first this year.

Mayor Iseminger talked about July 3rd events for this year and gave thoughts about what should be held or not, wishing organizers of the events that are held would come to the city earlier to help plan the schedule instead of doing so much of it last minute.

The mayor is still working on ball field proposal.

Commissioner Brian Mueller updated on County Board information.

Motion by Member Putzier and seconded by Member Nicklay to adjourn at 8:35 pm, the motion carried.

Minutes by: Gary Pedersen, Clerk/Treasure