

## City of Dover Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes July 7, 2022

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

Present were Mayor Dave Iseminger, Council Members Jaime Putzier, Chelsie Kiekbusch, Kevin Connor and Roger Ihrke,. Absent- none. Staff in attendance were: City Clerk/Treasurer Gary Pedersen and Marvin Ihrke Water Superintendent-. Others in attendance: none

The August meeting is scheduled for Thursday August 4th.

Motion by member Connor and seconded by member Ihrke to approve the agenda as presented, the motion carried.

Motion by member Ihrke and seconded by member Kiekbusch to approve the June minutes as presented, the motion carried.

The financial report and checks to be paid were presented by the Treasurer.

Motion by member Ihrke and seconded by member Connor to approve the treasurers report and pay the checks as presented, the motion carried.

A presentation was given by Kim Benjamin of MN Solar with a quote to put solar panels on top of the Fire Hall in Dover. The program was designed for an approximate 22-year payback with at 25-year guarantee on the equipment. The payback and guarantee were too close to the same number of years for the council to feel comfortable with the program.

Clerks Report:

- Clerk will be on vacation the first week of August, will have the phone covered by the mayor.
- Roofing updates on hail and wind damage to city buildings
- Kitchen update- nearly done- furnishings are left to purchase.
- Allpaid credit card program is nearly ready to begin for the city.
- About 110 kids participated in the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July pedal pullers- a record number.
- Latest State Demographer estimates show- population at 792 and houses at 295.

Old Business:

7<sup>th</sup> Street SW- repair needed of bridges and ditch work-

- Clerk was directed to send County Engineer a letter to request bridges be funded by federal bridge program.
- Have Bill Clemens give a quote on cleaning the ditch on the west end and placing the dirt on the east end if it works- have quote for August meeting; also have him haul in two more loads of rock to be placed on the east city pond for erosion control.

New Business:

Council member reports;

Member Kiekbusch gave an update on her research for playground equipment. It was also discussed about the north ball field and its future, whether it be a ball field or changed into a combination of activity fields for all ages.

Motion by member Connor and seconded by member Kiekbusch to adjourn at 8:52 PM, the motion carried.

Gary Pedersen, Clerk-Treasurer