

REGULAR MEETING

The City of New Melle Board of Aldermen meeting was called to order at 7:00 by Mayor West. The Meeting was held at City Hall, 145 Almeling Street, New Melle, Missouri 63365

ROLL CALL

Mayor Rich West

Alderman Janet Karrenbrock – absent

Alderman Don Hendrich

Alderman Gary Schneider

Alderman Nik Bradley

City Clerk Marcia Gay

Attorney Steve Martin

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor West led the Pledge of Allegiance

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Alderman Hendrich made a motion, seconded by Alderman Schneider to approve the Agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

REGULAR SESSION

Alderman Bradley noted a correction to the address at 3700 Mill St. (not 3600 Mill St.)

Alderman Hendrich made a motion, seconded by Alderman Bradley to approve the Minutes with correction. Motion passed unanimously.

WORK SESSION

Alderman Hendrich made a motion, seconded by Alderman Bradley to approve the Minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

OPEN FORUM

1. Randy Hoff, Jacob Ln., began the discussion regarding the condition of the streets in Nicole Park Subdivision and if a Neighborhood Improvement District might benefit the repairs and upkeep of the streets in Nicole Park, Sycamore Creek and other streets in the City. He provided a copy of Missouri Laws 67.453 documenting NID's. Attorney Martin suggested to contact St. Charles County Transportation to see how the Law works for subdivisions. Tim Miller, Hickory Grove Ln., expressed the disappointment of the degrading streets in Sycamore Creek and what can be done to keep up with maintenance and repairs. The City will have Cochran Engineering contact Mr. Miller for specific problem areas
2. James Browne brought attention to the misuse of ATV's and golf carts driven by young children/young adults out of compliance with regulation and without supervision. It is against State Law for such vehicles to operate on State Highways. Samantha Sims also noted that they are being driven on sidewalks as well. Mayor West will check with the

City Ordinance and also County Ordinance to address the issue and danger within the Community. If a resident can document the infraction and contact the County Police or State Highway Patrol to enforce the Law it may curtail such activity.

Mayor West Motioned to close Open Forum

FINANCE REPORT

City Clerk Marcia Gay submitted the March 2021 Balance Sheets. Alderman Hendrich made a motion, seconded by Alderman Bradley to approve the balance sheets for January 2021. Motion passed unanimously.

ENGINEERING REPORT

1. Peter St./Mill St. Road Project – Cochran Engineering is contacting the residents for further conversation regarding the Plans and R/W.

OLD BUSINESS

1. City of New Melle vs. Sullivan et al – Judge Cunningham issued a decision for the City of New Melle. Attorney Steve Martin issued a letter to the Plaintiff's attorney to comply with the conclusions of the judgement. The City will now wait for a response from the Plaintiff/Plaintiff's Attorney.
2. Alderman Hendrich made a motion to approve the lease on a new copy machine for the City of New Melle from Da-com, seconded by Alderman Bradley. Motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor West stated the next BOA Meeting will be Thursday May 13, 2021. Alderman Schneider made a motion, seconded by Alderman Hendrich to adjourn at 7:30 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted

Marcia Gay, City Clerk

