

City of Macedonia  
Regular City Council Meeting  
Macedonia City Hall  
March 12, 2024

Council Present: Mayor Clark, Croson, Duede, J. Keast, T. Keast, Swope.

Staff Present: Emge, Mahan. Absent: Antunez. Public: John Mischo, Marianne Pilling.

Mayor Clark called the Regular Council meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Swope to Approve Agenda, 2<sup>nd</sup> by J. Keast- 5 ayes.

Marianne Pilling gave the Council an update from the Mural Committee and spoke about the "Pack the Grandstand" event scheduled for May 5<sup>th</sup>. Painting of the mural on the City Hall Building will start mid-June, and painting for the mural on the Stempel Bird Museum will begin in August.

John Mischo explained that he has dead ash trees on the property line between his property and his neighbor's property. John would like to have the trees removed, and his neighbor does not want the trees removed. John would like the Council to require the dead ash trees be removed and stated he will acquire a letter from an arborist stating that the trees are dead.

Clerk told Council about a call she received from Donna Easton. Donna requested that she be forgiven the cost of her January water usage due to leaving her water trickle to prevent her water line from freezing. Council discussed. Motion by J. Keast to require resident pay for all metered water usage, 2<sup>nd</sup> by T. Keast -5 ayes.

Motion by J. Keast to Approve Consent Agenda, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Swope- 5 ayes. The Consent Agenda consisted of February 13, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes, March Bills, February Utility Report, February Clerk and Treasurer's Reports, Sheriff's Report, and County Animal Control Report.

Motion by J. Keast to approve Resolution 2024-3 Adopt FY24-25 Pottawattamie County Law Enforcement Contract, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Swope. Roll Call: Ayes- Swope, J. Keast, Croson, Duede, T. Keast. Motion Carried.

Mayor Clark appointed Ben Dorr to fill the empty Zoning Commission seat.

Council reviewed and discussed the playground equipment quote.

Motion by T. Keast to require the 507 Dye Street property install a separate connection to the water main before closing, 2<sup>nd</sup> by J. Keast -5 ayes.

Emge provided a water/sewer report and is continuing to identify curb stops as part of a leak detection effort.

Discussion was held regarding reprogramming the radar speed sign at the east side of town to make it more responsive to traffic. Council discussed creating an itemized list of equipment.

Motion to adjourn at 8:56 pm by Swope, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Croson- 5 ayes.

City of Macedonia February 2024-Revenue: General \$10,120.96; Road Use \$2,142.48; T&A \$247.91; Water \$5,142.94; Sewer \$3,468.19 Total Revenue \$21,172.48. Expenses: General \$6,576.28; Road Use \$323.84; T&A \$247.91; Water \$5,142.94; Sewer \$3,468.19. Total Expenses \$21,172.48.