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Council Proceedings
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A special meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Atkinson, Nebraska, was held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building at 104 S. Main Street, Atkinson, Nebraska on the 20th day of June 2023 at 7:00 o'clock p.m. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Erickson. On roll call the following were present: Chuck Asher, Ron Krysl, Helen Olson, Riley Olson, Jerry Osborne, Scott Shane, City Clerk Shelly Wieneke and City Attorney Michael Sholes.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance by publication in the Atkinson Graphic, Atkinson, Nebraska as shown by the affidavit of publication. Notice of the meeting was simultaneously given to the Mayor and all members of the City Council and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to these minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Mayor Erickson publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated that the poster was on display on the east wall.

Moved by Asher, seconded by Shane to approve the minutes of the June 5th meeting. RCV: Ayes: Asher, Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane. Nay: None. Motion Carried

Moved by Osborne, seconded by R. Olson to approve a building permit for Cameron Miller for a 40' x 64' x 16' building for storage at 511 St. John's Drive. A variance was granted for the 16' sidewalls on an accessory building in a residential neighborhood at the Board of Adjustment meeting on Monday, June 19, 2023, RCV: Ayes: Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane, Asher. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Asher, seconded by Osborne to approve a building permit for Steve and Mari Osborne for a 60' x80' x 16' building at 713 East State Street. The original permit was for a 60' X 120' x 16' building. Steve decided to scale the building down and set the building back further in the lot. A variance was granted for the 16' sidewalls on an accessory building in a residential neighborhood at the Board of Adjustment meeting on Monday, June 19, 2023. RCV: Ayes: H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane, Asher, Krysl. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Krysl, seconded by H. Olson to approve a building permit for Casey Peterson for a 30' x 40' x 16' shop at 403 North Tuller Street. A variance was granted for the 16' sidewalls on an accessory building in a residential neighborhood at the Board of Adjustment meeting on Monday, June 19, 2023. RCV: Ayes: R. Olson, Osborne, Shane, Asher, Krysl, H. Olson. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Asher, seconded by Shane to table the decision on the water main project. City Clerk, Shelly Wieneke, is working on getting more information on the type of financing that can be used to pay for the project that is not covered by grant funds. A special meeting will be called in the following week to decide whether to accept the bid from Rutjens Construction for

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\$930,303.00. RCV: Ayes: Osborne, Shane, Asher, Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Asher, seconded by Osborne to give Vickie Friedel a \$1.50 per hour raise to be retroactive to the last pay period. Vickie not only takes care of the softball/baseball fields and the city park but has taken on the supervision of the community swimming pool this year. RCV: Ayes: Shane, Asher, Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Krysl, seconded by H. Olson to go into executive session regarding personnel issues at 7:15 p.m. RCV: Ayes: Asher, Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by Krysl, seconded by Osborne to come out of executive session regarding personnel issues at 7:53 p.m. RCV: Ayes: Krysl, H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane, Asher. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Moved by R. Olson, seconded by H. Olson to adjourn at 7:54 p.m. RCV: Ayes: H. Olson, R. Olson, Osborne, Shane, Asher, Krysl. Nay: None. Motion Carried.

Josh Erickson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Shelly Wieneke
City Clerk/Treasurer

I, the undersigned City Clerk/Treasurer for the City of Atkinson, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council June 20, 2023; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and readily available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the said minutes were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of the said body; that all new media requesting notification concerning meeting of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

City Clerk/Treasurer

