

CITY OF MATTOON, ILLINOIS
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
December 15, 2020
6:30 PM

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Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Electronic Attendance

CONSENT AGENDA:

Items listed on the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be enacted by one motion. No separate discussion of these items will occur unless a Council Member requests the item to be removed from the Consent Agenda. If an item is removed from the Consent Agenda, it will be considered elsewhere on the agenda for this meeting. Prior to asking for a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, the Mayor will ask if anyone desires to remove an item from the Consent Agenda for public discussion.

1. Minutes of the Regular Meeting December 1, 2020
2. Bills and Payroll for the first half of December, 2020

PRESENTATIONS, PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

This portion of the City Council meeting is reserved for persons who desire to address the Council. The Illinois Open Meetings Act mandates that the City Council may NOT take action on comments received on matters that have not been identified on this agenda, but the Council may direct staff to address the topic or refer the matter for action on the agenda for another meeting. Persons addressing the Council are requested to limit their presentations to three minutes and to avoid repetitious comments. We would also ask you to state your name and address for the record as well as stand when speaking.

Presentation: Open 1100 Broadway Parking Lot bids.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion – Adopt Ordinance No. 2020-5435: Amending Section 32.05 of Chapter 32 of the municipal code to provide for hiring of full-time employees with an affirmative super-majority vote by members of Council currently holding office. (Hall/Graven)
2. Motion – Approve Council Decision Request 2020-2078: Authorizing the employment of Robert Agney as a probationary patrol officer for the Mattoon Police Department effective January 02, 2021, contingent upon successful completion of background, physical and psychological exams. (Hall/Graven)
3. Motion – Approve Council Decision Request 2020-2079: Authorizing the employment of Judson Wienke as a probationary patrol officer for the Mattoon Police Department effective February 13, 2021, contingent upon successful completion of background, physical and psychological exams. (Hall/Graven)
4. Motion – Approve Council Decision Request 2020-2080: Authorizing the employment of Dalton Roberts as an Assistant Information Technology Director in the Computer Information Services Department effective January 04, 2021, contingent upon successful completion of a drug screen and background check. (Hall/Graven)

5. Motion – Adopt Special Ordinance No. 2020-1764: Declaring personal property owned by the municipality surplus and authorizing the sale or disposal of the property. (Owen)

6. Motion – Adopt Resolution No. 2020-3114: Approving the continuance of a Local State of Emergency due to the virus (Coronavirus COVID-19). (Owen)

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

**CITY ADMINISTRATOR/COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
CITY ATTORNEY
CITY CLERK
FINANCE
PUBLIC WORKS
FIRE
POLICE
ARTS AND TOURISM**

COMMENTS BY THE COUNCIL

Recessed to closed session pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act for the purpose of the discussion of the selection of a person to fill a public office, as defined in this Act, including a vacancy in a public office, when the public body is given power to appoint under law or ordinance, or the discipline, performance or removal of the occupant of a public office when the public body is given power to remove the occupant under law or ordinance (5ILCS 120 (2)(C)(3)); the appointment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the City or legal counsel for the City. (5ILCS/20 (2)(C)(1)); and litigation which is affecting the City and an action is probable or imminent (5ILCS 120 (2)(C)(11)). (Owen)

Reconvene

Adjourn

Virtual City Council Meetings Details

Due to the Covid-19 “Coronavirus” pandemic, regular and special meetings of the City Council will continue to be held in a “virtual” meeting room. This will allow for safe participation by elected officials, departmental managers, and any citizen interested in attending.

Cisco WebEx hosts the virtual Council Chamber. Join the meetings using the information shown below.

Visit the [City Council Meeting page](#) to view the agenda for upcoming meetings.

The next regular meeting of the City Council is Tuesday, December 15 at 6:30 p.m.
There is also a special City Council meeting on Friday, December 18 at 7:45 a.m.

December 15, 2020 Virtual Meeting Details

At no sooner than 6:20 p.m., visit the Cisco WebEx meeting site by clicking the link below.

<https://bit.ly/MattoonCC201215>

Meeting number (access code): 126 024 2130

Meeting password: 20819