

**City of Walnut
City Council Meeting
October 12th, 2020, 7:00 P.M.**

Call to Order

Mayor Karen Crapson called the meeting to order with Council Members Brian Kirkpatrick, Brian Crapson, Joshua Sturm, and Cory Scott, all in attendance. Also in attendance were City Clerk Saralyn Boyd, City Treasurer Samantha Guy, and City Attorney Timothy Fielder. Council Member Jamie Burke and City Superintendent Craig Kirkpatrick were absent.

Approval of Agenda

Brian Crapson made a motion to approve the meeting agenda. Cory Scott seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Approval of Minutes

Brian Crapson motioned for approval of the minutes from the previous regular meeting. Joshua Sturm seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Approval of Bills

Cory Scott made a motion to approve the bills. Brian Kirkpatrick seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Clerk's Report

The account balance as of October 12th, is \$70,452.01. As for delinquent utility accounts for September, one delinquent account was closed and the initial deposit was applied to the delinquent balance. The number of utility bills left for October collection is to be determined.

Treasurer's Report

City Treasurer, Samantha Guy, reported all was accurate for the reports for September.

Old Business

Mayor Karen Crapson stated that she has not been able to contact Rusty at Cr. Co. Emergency Department again for an update on the Official ID's.

New Business

The council discussed the donation of half-payment of the annual insurance policy to Walnut Community Service Organization to help out WCSO with finances to keep the buildings available for use. Brian Kirkpatrick made a motion to make this \$2,000 donation towards the insurance policy on the church and hall buildings run under WCSO. Cory Scott seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Maintenance Report

Water Station Repairs are still in progress. Craig, Brian Kirkpatrick, and Brian Crapson are still working on setting up a date and time for the welding that is needed on the pipe at the Maintenance Building/Water Station.

It was brought to the attention of the council that a 2” trash pump was needed for maintenance repairs/water leaks. Cory Scott made a motion for permission to purchase the 2” trash pump, not to exceed \$500. Brian Kirkpatrick seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Librarian’s Report

Pancake Feed is scheduled for October 17th, at 8-10am.

Councilmember Concerns

There were no councilmember concerns at the time.

Public Comment

Jamie Scott questioned about the city mowing. Karen mentioned the former bidder that has mowed most of the season has resigned from the mowing for the remainder of the season. She also mentioned she contacted Frank Hayes and offered the remainder of the season for \$250/mowing.

Call for Adjournment

Brian Kirkpatrick made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Brian Crapson seconded the motion. All were in favor.