

February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020

The Laurens City Council met in regular session at the Municipal Building at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020. Mayor Rod Johnson called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. Present were Council members Aaron Christenson, Rich Newgard, John Jamison, Julie Potter, City Manager Hilary Reed, City Clerk Joan Hoben, and City Attorney Ann Beneke. Council member Jean Swanson was absent.

Jamison moved to approve the consent agenda including the minutes from the January 20th meeting and the list of claims, Potter seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

CLAIMS 02-03-2020

A&M SERVICES, INC.	MOPS, RUGS, RAGS	94.24
AHLERS AND COONEY, PC	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	225.00
ALLIANT ENERGY	MONTHLY GAS FEE	681.64
BOMGAARS	SUPPLIES	690.94
BROWN SUPPLY CO	DISTRUBUTION SUPPLIES	638.87
IACMA	RETIREMENT 457	450.00
IMFO	MEMBERSHIP DUES	50.00
IRS	FED/FICA TAX	4,856.01
IOWA ONE CALL	LOCATES	17.20
IPERS	IPERS	5,557.58
IPERS/PD	PROTECTED IPERS	2,060.60
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE	ANNUAL DUES	62.00
LAURENS HOUSE OF PRINT	GARBAGE LABELS	140.00
LMPC	MONTHLY SIP CHARGES	30.00
LMU	MONTHLY UTILITIES	7,160.55
LAURENS SUN	LEGALS	147.88
MIDWEST BREATHING AIR		
LLC	GAUGE	118.91
NORTH LAKE TRUCK REPAIR	DUMP TRUCK REPAIRS	16.26
PETE RUNNEBERG	CLOTHING ALLOWANCE	68.39
PLUMBING AND HEATING	SUPPLIES	21.10
POC HEALTHCARE		
FOUNDATION	MEDICAL EQUIPMENT	245.16
PRIME BENEFITS SYSTEMS	GROUP INSURANCE	3,692.50
RAMIERZ ROOFING, LLC	ROOF REPAIRS - LIBRARY	49,669.51
SANTANDER LEASING	PUMPER MONTHLY FEE	1,461.34
SECRETARY OF STATE	NOTARY RENEWAL	30.00
STAPLES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	101.37
TREASURER STATE OF IA	JAN SALES TAX	4,792.00
US BANK	SUPPLIES	1,385.90
VERIZON WIRELESS	CELL PHONE	116.60
	TOTAL	<u>84,581.55</u>

PAYROLL

1/27/2020

001	GENERAL	4,387.80
210	ROAD USE TAX	2,146.90
600	WATER	2,688.48
610	SEWER	2,125.30
670	GARBAGE	2,569.98

TOTAL 13,918.46

PAYROLL TOTAL 13,918.46

PAID TOTAL 98,500.01

001	GENERAL	64,731.20
110	ROAD USE TAX	6,456.75
112	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	2,659.15
600	WATER	12,893.29
610	SEWER	5,941.68
670	GARBAGE	5,817.94

TOTAL BY FUND 98,500.01

Mayor Johnson opened the public budget hearing for the FY21 Proposed Property Tax Max Levy. There were no written or oral objections.

After the public hearing was closed, Newgard motioned to approve Resolution 04-20 Proposed Property Tax Max Levy, seconded by Christenson. Roll call vote: Ayes: Potter, Jamison, Newgard, Christenson. Nays: none. Absent: Swanson.

After discussion, Potter moved to award the CD Investment Bid to West Iowa Bank in the amount of \$214,457.50 for 60 months. Jamison seconded. All ayes; motion carried.

Jamison moved to approve Resolution 05-20 Utility Board Compensation. Christenson seconded. Roll call vote: Ayes: Potter, Jamison, Newgard, Christenson. Nays: None. Absent: Swanson. Motion carried.

Newgard moved to approve the release of City Specials at 332 S. 1<sup>st</sup> Street. Potter seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

A discussion was held on stop and yield signs within the city and a possible grant opportunity.

Potter moved to adjourn at 5:25 p.m. Jamison seconded. All ayes. Motion carried.

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Rod Johnson, Mayor

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Hilary Reed, City Clerk