MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELMONT

The Belmont City Council met in regular session on Tuesday February 21, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Those present for the meeting were Mayor Tim Barnes, Councilmembers: Ancil Drane, Wayne Birkhimer, Betty Smith, Will Carouthers and City Recorder Connie Binegar and City Clerk Erica Pierce. John Carpenter was absent for this meeting.

Mayor Barnes called the meeting to order with a silent roll call.

Wayne Birkhimer led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Wayne Birkhimer made a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting on February 7. Ancil Drain second the motion. Motion carried

John Armstrong was our special guest. He was here representing The Oracle. Michael Shultz the water plant operator. He was here to give presentation about the water protection. The water protection plan was to let Council about if we would have an emergency, we have emergency numbers for the plants. If we would get contamination in the water, it would probably come from the railroad tracks, State Route 2, barges, above storage tanks, oil wells. Michael did a excellent job.

Mayor Barnes wanted to let council that the city put a French drain in on Cressup street.

Ancil Drane mentions the electric pole on Emerald 65A is flashing.

Betty Smith wanted to know about our footers for the garage. Carr's concrete has 3 done. She also wants a letter sent to 629 Triplett Street.

Wayne Birkhimer made a motion to get 18-inch covert pipe for the water tank road. The cost on them is \$339.00 each. Ancil Drane seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Betty Smith made a motion to continue the Kids first (Belmont Elementary School homework/Communication folders. Betty had one stipulation we would like to receive a folder. Will Carouthers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

We had one mowing company to applied for the mowing job for this year. C&M Lawn Care. Wayne Birkhimer made a motion to accept their application. Betty Smith seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Mayor Barnes gave Council an estimate for repairing Myers Street this job will be started in the July cost will be \$34,800.00. Wayne Birkhimer made a motion to approve. Betty Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

We had no building permits for this meeting.

Betty Smith made a motion to pay the bills. Will Carouthers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Ancil Drane made the motion to adjourned. Wayne Birkhimer seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mayor Recorder