

City of Orchard Grass Hills
City Council Minutes
January 12, 2016

Mayor Doug Lalli called the meeting to order at 7:33 p.m.

Council Members Present:

Bob Dalton
Bob McCue
April Phillips
Scott Pierce
Eric Vorseth

Others Present:

Mayor Doug Lalli
Ruth LeMaster – City Clerk
Kyle Hubbard – City Attorney
Mark Adams – City Engineer
Charlie Fudold
Rylan Oldham
Officer Cornell
Cub Scout Troop 170 - Tamara and Jaron Funk, Ryan Thiess
Adrianna, Andrew, Elissa and Charles Garrett, Kaleb Madsen

Absent:

Kim Taylor – City Treasurer
Darren Francis

MINUTES

Bob McCue **made a Motion** to dispense with the reading of the December 8, 2015 minutes. Bob Dalton **seconded the Motion**. Bob Dalton **made a Motion** to approve the December 8, 2015 minutes. Bob McCue **seconded the Motion**. **The Motion passed.**

POLICE REPORT

The December 2015 Oldham County police reports were emailed to city council members and discussed. There were 15 citations for the month and 19 courtesy notices issued. An unmarked vehicle was also used this month at times.

TREASURER'S REPORT

No Treasurer's Report was presented.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

There was no Attorney's Report.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

City Engineer reported the \$50,000 paving and curving work has been completed as well as associated drainage repairs. Received good feedback and after the last big rain further minor repairs were addressed. Cline finished the \$50,000 of repairs on the sidewalks in Section 1. The sidewalk damaged by juveniles has also been repaired.

A couple of areas need further clearing of debris on occasion. This will be discussed by the Mayor with Cory Mullins who can address these in the off season. Cost will be in addition to the regular city beautification and mowing he handles. Some residents have been dumping debris into the easements behind homes that the city has just paid to clear.

Light poles continue to lean or twist but Bob McCue is working with LG&E to fix this.

Funds for drainage within the budget has run out at 102%. Mayor addressed council as there are still more drainage type projects needing repairs. He will email the City Treasurer to see if additional funds can be allocated with an amended budget. Paving and Sidewalk contracts can be renewed up to 5 years for additional repairs. City Engineer said paving costs were low this past year. He would like us to pave earlier than we did in 2015. Several long term drainage problems were repaired in 2015.

NEW BUSINESS

City council discussed the Wet Dry vote that passed in Oldham County. The vote does not affect the city ordinance that is in place prohibiting the sale of alcohol within city limits.

Haunz and 22 area has an empty lot owned that extends towards Apple Orchard Ct. City Council discussed investigating how to acquire the land and develop a small neighborhood park there. Eric Vorseth will try and find contact information.

Bob McCue made a Motion for the meeting to be adjourned. Eric Vorseth **seconded the Motion. The Motion passed.** The meeting was adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY

Doug Lalli, Mayor and Ruth LeMaster, City Clerk

Next meeting will be on Feb. 9, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.