

PUBLIC NOTICE

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF POSTVILLE, IOWA JANUARY 10, 2022

1. A regular meeting of the City Council of Postville, Iowa, in the Council Chambers at 147 N. Lawler St. on January 10, 2022, beginning at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Koenig presiding.

2. On call of the roll, the following Council Members were present: Rebecca Engelhardt, Mary Engstrom, Ross Malcom, Zev Frimmerman and Larry Moore. Absent: None.

3. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all in attendance.

4. Council Member Malcom made a motion to approve the agenda as posted by the Clerk. Seconded by Moore. Carried 5:0.

5. Presentations were given regarding contributions for Budget Requests by Postville Library, Postville Area Ambulance, & Northeast Iowa Wellness & Recreation Center, for FY 2022-2023. No action was taken regarding the requests. The council then set the special budget workshop meeting for January 17, 2022, at 6:00 PM, at City Hall.

6. Council member Moore made a motion to adopt Resolution #1340-22, A Resolution to combine township and city voting precincts in Clayton County. Seconded by Frimmerman. The roll was called ayes: Engelhardt, Engstrom, Malcom, Frimmerman, Moore. Absent: None. Carried 5:0.

7. Jesse Weymiller of Town & Country Trailer Park made a request for relief on the sewer portion of their water bill, after the trailer park experienced a significant water leak. Council Member Moore motioned to grant relief of the sewer portion of the bill in the amount of \$500. Seconded by Englehardt. Carried 5:0.

8. Randy Plahst spoke to the council about the potential reinstatement of Jeffrey Bohr back on to the Postville Fire Department. The council took the matter under advisement, but took no action.

9. Discussion was held regarding Turner Hall usage and the deposit necessary to rent the building. The council directed city staff to revise the agreement and raise the rent and deposit fees for the building, to be considered at next months meeting. Council member Engstrom motioned to purchase signage that states that there is no drinking allowed in Turner Hall, and to be posted as soon as it is delivered. Council Member Engstrom then amended her motion adding that the signs should be in English and in Spanish. Seconded by Malcom. Carried 5:0.

10. Discussion was held regarding holding a Live Stream of council meetings in the future. Council Member Malcom directed City staff to continue to gather more information on the matter and figure out how the technology works before a decision is made.

11. Council Member Engstrom made a motion to approve the con-

sent agenda.

- a. Approval of the minutes of the meeting of December 13, 2021.
- b. Departmental reports for the month of December 2021
- (1) Treasurer and Clerk
- (2) Police
- (3) Swimming Pool
- (4) Zoning Administrator
- (5) Public Works
- (6) Library
- (7) Fire Department
- c. Claims and Transfers for January 10, 2021.
- d. Appointment of Council Committees
- e. Appointment of Gwen Foels- Library Board
- Seconded by Frimmerman. Carried.
12. Council Member Engstrom made a motion to approve the resolution for money to pay claims. Seconded by Frimmerman. The roll was called ayes: Engelhardt, Engstrom, Malcom, Frimmerman and Moore. Nays: None. Absent: None. Carried 5:0.

CASH RECEIPTS for month DECEMBER 2021	
GENERAL	51,650.67
LIBRARY	910.36
SWIMMING POOL	62
RUT	24,924.27
T&A	13,215.91
EMERGENCY	981.68
LOST	25,031.42
CAP IMP	2,454.25
TIF	5,765.01
DEBT	6,393.61
WATER.....	47,226.78
SEWER	77,705.29
STORM WATER	2,859.24
RESOLUTION FOR THE APPROPRIATION OF MONEY	
BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Postville, Iowa, that there is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the City Treasury not otherwise appropriated in payment of all bills and miscellaneous claims this day allowed:	
GENERAL FUND	155,364.91
ROAD USE FUND	19,313.56
TRUST & AGENCY FUND	10,095.63
EMERGENCY FUND	6,055.00
LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX FUND.....	12,643.39
CAPITAL PROJECT FUND	7,089.06
AMERICAN RESCUE FUNDS	
FUND	3,500.00
WATER FUND	35,902.33
SEWER FUND	35,300.45
STORM WATER UTILITY FUND.....	1,322.13
TRANSFERS - USDA IND	
WW Sewer to Sewer Sinking.....	\$27,844.00
Dated at Postville, Iowa, this 10th day of January of 2022.	
Attest:	
Brock Rogness-Waters,	
Deputy Clerk	
Dennis Koenig, Mayor	

CLAIMS OF JANUARY 10, 2022	
DAVY LABORATORIES TESTING	1,780.50
ZIEGLER INC. GENERATOR WATER PLANT	7,734.40

NORTHERN SAFETY CO., INC. SUPPLIES WWTF	182.22
IOWA CODIFICATION INC. CODIFICATION UPDATE DOWNPAYMEN	
US POSTAL SERVICE STAMPED ENVELOPES	1,000.00
.....	1,047.15
IDNR NPDES PERMIT AMENDMENT.....	85
JEFF HUINKER SLUDGE HAULING	4,988.00
IRWA MEMBERSHIP 2022	275
U.S. CELLULAR CELL PHONE SERVICE ..	438.56
GALLS INCORPORATED UNIFORMS POLICE	350.9
DAVE IMOEHL PHONE STIPEND 2022	569.75
IA DIV OF LABOR SERVICES BOILER INSPECTION CITY HALL.....	40
CHRIS HACKMAN CELL PHONE STIPEND 2022	420
CROELL REDI-MIX INC SAND	1,012.33
ALLAMAKEE CO. AUDITOR ELECTIONS	1,147.54
REKOW LEIGH MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT	24.08
BACON CONCRETE WATER LEAK AGRI	1,207.50
DECORAH ELECTRIC ALARM DIGESTER WWTF	90
NORTHEAST IOWA YMCA DONATION FY 21/22	9,500.00
HANGARTNER CONSTRUCTION TREE REMOVAL	18,055.00
SPEER FINANCIAL TIF REPORT	325
BLAZEK CORPORATION SEWER PLANT PUMP ..	1,348.79
JEREMY POWERS OWNER OCCUPIED GRANT 247EGREEN	23,550.00
T & K CAHOON INC. SERVICE JACK	631.11
SPEE-DEE SHIPPING	283.28
T&W GRINDING GRINDING SERVICES ..	3,900.00
DARCY RADLOFF CELL PHONE STIPEND 2022	870.28
STREICHER'S HOLSTERS POLICE	381
B & K HEATING & MEDIA FILTER CH	339.02
NORTHEAST IOWA TELEPHONE INTERNET ROUTER SECURITY	5,696.14
WELLMARK BLUE CROSS HEALTH INSURANCE	12,269.63
AVESIS 3RD PART HEALTH INSURANCE	159.47
MODERN MARKETING INC SUPPLIES POLICE	560.34
KIESLER'S POLICE AMMO	618.3
TRI-STATE HOME INSPECTION INSPECTION SERVICES	400
BASE ADMIN FEE INSURANCE	116
ELSBERND PEST CONTROL PEST CONTROL	140
MID-STATES ORGANIZED CRIM MEMBERSHIP 2022	100
DEARBORN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE	390.88

TOWN & COUNTRY SANITATION GARBAGE SERVICE ...	21,481.60
OLSGARD AUTO SALES & SERV WESTERN PLOW LIFT CYLINDER	254.49
TRUE NORTH FIREFIGHTER AD&D RENEWAL	412.3
POSTVILLE HERALD COPIES COMMUNITY H&S ...	66
MID-AMERICA PUBLISHING PUBLICATION	794.76
FARMERS UNION COOPERATIVE GENERATOR FUEL	2,479.09
ZACH STEFFANS CELL PHONE STIPEND 2022	420
ACCESS SYSTEMS COPY MACHINE MAINT ..	459.56
CONVERGINT TECHNOLOGIES LICENSE FEE SECURITY CAMERA	2,087.73
KWIK TRIP INC. FUEL	1,368.56
AERO-MOD REPAIR KIT WWTF	974.86
LUPITA SOLIS TRANSLATION SERVICES....	100
LYNCH DALLAS, P.C. LEGAL SERVICES	1,600.00
BLUE SKY SOLAR CO. WELL # 5 SOLAR INSTALL FINAL	7,089.06
BLAKE EVERMAN CELL PHONE STIPEND 2022	420
CLINE'S SERVICES CAMERA MANHOLE FRONT ST.	200
VISA HOUSING GRANT 18-HSG-020 KUSHE	1,305.80
FELECIA DEJONG COMMUNITY HEART & SOUL HRS NOV	1,223.93
INTOXIMETERS INTOXIMETERS POLICE	1,660.00
ALMA BON UTILITY DEPOSIT REFUND	28.85
WINNESHIEK CO SHERIFF CELLBRITE DOWNLOAD	50
PAYROLL CHECKS PAYROLL CHECKS ON 12/17/2021	15,272.14
PAYROLL CHECKS PAYROLL CHECKS ON 12/18/2021	176.39
PAYROLL CHECKS PAYROLL CHECKS ON 12/31/2021	15,081.30
PAYROLL CHECKS PAYROLL CHECKS ON 01/01/2022	3,312.73
PAYROLL CHECKS PAYROLL CHECKS ON 01/07/2022	5,007.29
CLAIMS TOTAL	286,586.46

There being no further business on the agenda to come before the Council, Council Member Moore made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was seconded by Engstrom. Carried unanimously. Adjournment 8:32 p.m.

DENNIS KOENIG, MAYOR

ATTEST:
BROCK ROGNESS-WATERS
DEPUTY CITY CLERK

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PUBLIC NOTICE

POSTVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING AT 5:30 P.M. FINE ARTS LOBBY JANUARY 10, 2022 https://tinyurl.com/postvilleschoolboard

President Deering called the regular meeting of the Postville Board of Education to order at 5:30 PM, on Monday, January 10, 2022, with the following members present: Travis Koenig, Greg Lage, Amy Loera and Larry Schultz. Members absent: n/a.

Motion by Koenig, second by Loera, to approve the agenda. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Loera, second by Koenig, to approve the consent agenda. Carried unanimously.

a. Approve January 13, 2021 regular meeting minutes and organizational meeting minutes.

b. Approve the monthly invoices and financial reports (reviewed by Jessica Deering).

c. Approve the hire of Elizabeth McQuade/FT Elementary Paraprofessional; Ravyn Knecht/FT Elementary Paraprofessional.

d. N/A.

e. N/A.

f. Approve Donations (Goodfellas Riding Club/After School Program/\$500; Goodfellas Riding Club/Nursing Supplies/\$500).

g. Approve an open enrollment request in for one student from Oelwein.

Mr. Dugger shared that the district illness rate has remained under 5% so far this year. A discussion will take place on 1/12/22 with NFV regarding staff sharing opportunities.

Mr. Knudtson provided information about the start of the second semester after the holiday break. The high school will begin offering some PE credits via a weightlifting program. Several newcomer students have enrolled since the break.

Mrs. Schutte shared information regarding some concerns regarding substitute shortages. The Hunter Safety Program has begun in the 6th grade. FAST assessments have begun in the elementary grades. The STEAM night is being planned. Kindergarten round-up is scheduled for 4/28/22.

Motion by Koenig, second by Loera, to bus driver pay increases through FY2027, at 50 cents per route, per year, along with continuing the per-semester incentive pay-

ment, along with the flexibility of offering a sign-on bonus payment for new drivers when needed. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Lage, second by Loera, to approve an electrical panel upgrade in the Jr/Sr High School with Perry Novak, at a cost of \$33,355. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Schultz, second by Lage, to approve Asbestos removal services with Site Services, at a cost of up to \$39,783. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Koenig, second by Lage, to approve replacement flooring from Knockel's Floor Covering in the elementary building at a cost of \$34,760.72; and replacement flooring in the Jr/Sr High School at a cost of \$29,805.22. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Loera, second by Koenig, to approve the resolution accepting the resignations and approving participation in the early retirement program, according to Postville's Early Retirement Plan as approved on November 8, 2021, for the following: Candis Frieden, Julie Heitland, Anne Koopman, Linda Monroe, and Linda Story. This is approved with great appreciation to the staff members. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Koenig, second by Loera, to approve the resolution to request to the School Budget Review Committee for Modified Supplemental Amount and Supplemental Aid for the 2022-2023 Dropout Prevention Program in the amount \$244,128, for expenditures necessary to implement the 2022-2023 at-risk and dropout prevention program plans as approved by the Postville CSD school board. Ayes: Deering, Koenig, Lage, Loera, Schultz. Nays: none. Carried unanimously.

The approval of the policies is being tabled at this time.

The next regular board meeting will be held on February 14, 2022, at 5:30 P.M. at the Postville Fine Arts Center Lobby.

Motion by Koenig, second by Schultz, to adjourn the meeting at 6:03 P.M. Carried unanimously.

The board entered into an exempt session following the regular meeting.

Jessica Deering, President
Melissa Fettkether, Secretary

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