

COMMON COUNCIL

July 26, 2021

The Common Council met in a regular meeting on July 26, 2021, at 7:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers, 301 East Clinton Street, Frankfort, Indiana.

Mayor Judy Sheets called the meeting to order and led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance. Upon roll call, the following members were present: Mayor Judy Sheets, Brandt Fuller, Joe Palmer, Clarence Warthan, Megan Sheets, Steve Beardsley, Mike Brite, and Eric Woods. Also present were Clerk-Treasurer Carol Bartley and City Attorney Les Bergum.

MINUTES: The minutes for the July 12, 2021, regular meeting were presented. Councilmember Palmer made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 12, 2021 meeting, seconded by Councilmember Sheets. Upon a roll call vote, six ayes and one abstention were recorded. Motion passed 6-0.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

None

OLD BUSINESS:

Mayor Sheets informed the council that the golf committee will be meeting August 27, 2021.

NEW BUSINESS:

Clerk-Treasurer Carol Bartley addressed the council regarding the decision to bolster the Human Resources Department by eliminating the part-time human resources generalist position and contracting a human resources consulting group for the city's HR needs. The city will begin using InvigorateHR, LLC, located in Zionsville. Recommended by Dennis Dunlap, this firm has extensive municipal experience. InvigorateHR will be paid an hourly rate on an as-needed basis. The city is not locked into a long-term contract. The Clerk-Treasurer will be requesting an appropriation from the council at some point this year in order to move funds from the HR generalist position to professional services in order to pay the contractor for services in 2021.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Council, Councilmember Palmer moved to adjourn, seconded by Councilmember Warthan. Mayor Sheets adjourned the meeting at 7:05 P.M.